



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Matagorda County, Texas

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	36,928	100.0	37,957	100.0	1,029	2.8
In households	36,665	99.3	37,479	98.7	814	2.2
In group quarters	263	0.7	478	1.3	215	81.7
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	13,147	100.0	13,939	100.0	792	6.0
1-person household	2,966	22.6	3,488	25.0	522	17.6
2-person household	3,839	29.2	4,148	29.8	309	8.0
3-person household	2,216	16.9	2,358	16.9	142	6.4
4-person household	2,219	16.9	2,124	15.2	-95	-4.3
5-or-more-person household	1,907	14.5	1,821	13.1	-86	-4.5
Mean number of persons per household	2.79	(X)	2.69	(X)	-0.10	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	13,147	100.0	13,939	100.0	792	6.0
No vehicle available	1,367	10.4	1,381	9.9	14	1.0
1 vehicle available	4,713	35.8	4,774	34.2	61	1.3
2 vehicles available	5,254	40.0	5,665	40.6	411	7.8
3 vehicles available	1,504	11.4	1,612	11.6	108	7.2
4 vehicles available	221	1.7	433	3.1	212	95.9
5 or more vehicles available	88	0.7	74	0.5	-14	-15.9
Mean vehicles per household	1.60	(X)	1.65	(X)	0.05	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	14,524	100.0	14,760	100.0	236	1.6
Male	8,462	58.3	8,360	56.6	-102	-1.2
Female	6,062	41.7	6,400	43.4	338	5.6
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	14,524	100.0	14,762	100.0	238	1.6
Drove alone	10,258	70.6	11,060	74.9	802	7.8
Carpooled	3,138	21.6	2,855	19.3	-283	-9.0
Public transportation (including taxicab)	86	0.6	53	0.4	-33	-38.4
Bicycle or walked	410	2.8	325	2.2	-85	-20.7
Motorcycle or other means	259	1.8	203	1.4	-56	-21.6
Worked at home	373	2.6	266	1.8	-107	-28.7
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	14,151	100.0	14,496	100.0	345	2.4
Less than 5 minutes	996	7.0	820	5.7	-176	-17.7
5 to 9 minutes	2,439	17.2	2,628	18.1	189	7.7
10 to 14 minutes	2,210	15.6	2,431	16.8	221	10.0
15 to 19 minutes	1,998	14.1	1,602	11.1	-396	-19.8
20 to 29 minutes	2,549	18.0	2,767	19.1	218	8.6
30 to 44 minutes	2,630	18.6	2,156	14.9	-474	-18.0
45 or more minutes	1,329	9.4	2,092	14.4	763	57.4
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	20.8	(X)	23.9	(X)	3.0	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	14,151	100.0	14,496	100.0	345	2.4
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	4,630	32.7	5,279	36.4	649	14.0
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	4,976	35.2	4,639	32.0	-337	-6.8
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	1,940	13.7	1,553	10.7	-387	-19.9
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	620	4.4	600	4.1	-20	-3.2
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	268	1.9	250	1.7	-18	-6.7
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	1,388	9.8	1,696	11.7	308	22.2
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	329	2.3	479	3.3	150	45.6

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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: Matagorda County, Texas

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	37,957	100.0
Under 16 years	9,921	26.1
16 to 20 years	3,022	8.0
21 to 24 years	1,505	4.0
25 to 44 years	10,644	28.0
45 to 64 years	7,960	21.0
65 years and over	4,905	12.9
Mean age (years)	35.0	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	13,939	100.0
Less than \$15,000	3,439	24.7
\$15,000 to 19,999	919	6.6
\$20,000 to 24,999	1,076	7.7
\$25,000 to 49,999	4,172	29.9
\$50,000 to 74,999	2,266	16.3
\$75,000 to 99,999	987	7.1
\$100,000 or more	1,080	7.7
Mean household income (dollars)	42,427	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	32,174	(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	1.65	13,940	1,380	4,775	5,665	1,610	505
Row percent	(X)	100.0	9.9	34.3	40.6	11.5	3.6
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.02	3,490	725	2,165	450	115	30
Row percent	(X)	100.0	20.8	62.0	12.9	3.3	0.9
Column percent	(X)	25.0	52.5	45.3	7.9	7.1	5.9
2-person household	1.69	4,150	330	1,135	2,250	370	65
Row percent	(X)	100.0	8.0	27.3	54.2	8.9	1.6
Column percent	(X)	29.8	23.9	23.8	39.7	23.0	12.9
3-person household	1.82	2,360	165	715	980	400	105
Row percent	(X)	100.0	7.0	30.3	41.5	16.9	4.4
Column percent	(X)	16.9	12.0	15.0	17.3	24.8	20.8
4-or-more-person household	2.08	3,945	155	765	1,990	730	305
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.9	19.4	50.4	18.5	7.7
Column percent	(X)	28.3	11.2	16.0	35.1	45.3	60.4

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	23.9	14,495	3,450	4,035	2,765	2,155	2,090
Row percent	(X)	100.0	23.8	27.8	19.1	14.9	14.4
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	22.0	11,060	2,695	3,355	2,015	1,580	1,415
Row percent	(X)	100.0	24.4	30.3	18.2	14.3	12.8
Column percent	(X)	76.3	78.1	83.1	72.9	73.3	67.7
Carpooled	30.3	2,855	455	550	720	540	595
Row percent	(X)	100.0	15.9	19.3	25.2	18.9	20.8
Column percent	(X)	19.7	13.2	13.6	26.0	25.1	28.5
Public transportation (including taxicab)	21.9	55	15	20	0	10	10
Row percent	(X)	100.0	27.3	36.4	0.0	18.2	18.2
Column percent	(X)	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.5
Bicycle or walked	14.9	325	230	45	15	10	20
Row percent	(X)	100.0	70.8	13.8	4.6	3.1	6.2
Column percent	(X)	2.2	6.7	1.1	0.5	0.5	1.0
Motorcycle or other means	49.9	205	50	65	20	15	55
Row percent	(X)	100.0	24.4	31.7	9.8	7.3	26.8
Column percent	(X)	1.4	1.4	1.6	0.7	0.7	2.6

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