

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Southwick town, Hampden County, Massachusetts

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	8,835	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	8,835	100.0
Male.....	4,427	50.1	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	152	1.7
Female.....	4,408	49.9	Mexican.....	20	0.2
Under 5 years.....	558	6.3	Puerto Rican.....	81	0.9
5 to 9 years.....	654	7.4	Cuban.....	8	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	696	7.9	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	43	0.5
15 to 19 years.....	624	7.1	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	8,683	98.3
20 to 24 years.....	371	4.2	White alone.....	8,502	96.2
25 to 34 years.....	1,011	11.4	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	1,836	20.8	Total population	8,835	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	1,296	14.7	In households.....	8,821	99.8
55 to 59 years.....	447	5.1	Householder.....	3,318	37.6
60 to 64 years.....	311	3.5	Spouse.....	1,991	22.5
65 to 74 years.....	535	6.1	Child.....	2,847	32.2
75 to 84 years.....	384	4.3	Own child under 18 years.....	2,202	24.9
85 years and over.....	112	1.3	Other relatives.....	304	3.4
Median age (years).....	37.9	(X)	Under 18 years.....	104	1.2
18 years and over.....	6,490	73.5	Nonrelatives.....	361	4.1
Male.....	3,215	36.4	Unmarried partner.....	187	2.1
Female.....	3,275	37.1	In group quarters.....	14	0.2
21 years and over.....	6,223	70.4	Institutionalized population.....	-	-
62 years and over.....	1,207	13.7	Noninstitutionalized population.....	14	0.2
65 years and over.....	1,031	11.7	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	433	4.9	Total households	3,318	100.0
Female.....	598	6.8	Family households (families).....	2,419	72.9
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	1,214	36.6
One race.....	8,733	98.8	Married-couple family.....	1,991	60.0
White.....	8,606	97.4	With own children under 18 years.....	967	29.1
Black or African American.....	45	0.5	Female householder, no husband present.....	274	8.3
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	18	0.2	With own children under 18 years.....	158	4.8
Asian.....	33	0.4	Nonfamily households.....	899	27.1
Asian Indian.....	5	0.1	Householder living alone.....	726	21.9
Chinese.....	10	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	328	9.9
Filipino.....	4	-	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	1,300	39.2
Japanese.....	3	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over ..	764	23.0
Korean.....	4	-	Average household size.....	2.66	(X)
Vietnamese.....	-	-	Average family size.....	3.13	(X)
Other Asian ¹	7	0.1	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1	-	Total housing units	3,533	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	-	-	Occupied housing units.....	3,318	93.9
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	1	-	Vacant housing units.....	215	6.1
Samoan.....	-	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	45	1.3
Some other race.....	30	0.3	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.0	(X)
Two or more races.....	102	1.2	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	9.6	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	3,318	100.0
White.....	8,704	98.5	Owner-occupied housing units.....	2,699	81.3
Black or African American.....	69	0.8	Renter-occupied housing units.....	619	18.7
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	76	0.9	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.80	(X)
Asian.....	47	0.5	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.04	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	6	0.1			
Some other race.....	44	0.5			

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¹ Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

² Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

³ In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-2. Profile of Selected Social Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Southwick town, Hampden County, Massachusetts

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH		
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school			Total population		
Nursery school, preschool	207	8.7	Native	8,608	97.4
Kindergarten	102	4.3	Born in United States	8,486	96.0
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	1,059	44.5	State of residence	5,845	66.2
High school (grades 9-12)	619	26.0	Different state	2,641	29.9
College or graduate school	393	16.5	Born outside United States	122	1.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	227	2.6
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000	35	0.4
Less than 9th grade	234	3.9	Naturalized citizen	155	1.8
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	676	11.4	Not a citizen	72	0.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	2,266	38.1	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	935	15.7	Total (excluding born at sea)		
Associate degree	564	9.5	Europe	116	51.1
Bachelor's degree	859	14.4	Asia	33	14.5
Graduate or professional degree	416	7.0	Africa	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher	84.7	(X)	Oceania	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	21.4	(X)	Latin America	15	6.6
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	63	27.8
Population 15 years and over			LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	1,614	23.3	Population 5 years and over		
Now married, except separated	4,198	60.7	English only	8,286	100.0
Separated	74	1.1	Language other than English	7,696	92.9
Widowed	382	5.5	Speak English less than "very well"	590	7.1
Female	282	4.1	Spanish	86	1.0
Divorced	651	9.4	Speak English less than "very well"	198	2.4
Female	347	5.0	Other Indo-European languages	63	0.8
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	373	4.5
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Asian and Pacific Island languages	23	0.3
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	34	21.9	Speak English less than "very well"	19	0.2
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over			Total population		
Civilian veterans	976	15.1	Total ancestries reported	8,835	100.0
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	11,520	130.4
Population 5 to 20 years			Czech ¹	18	0.2
With a disability	90	4.4	Danish	59	0.7
Population 21 to 64 years			Dutch	17	0.2
With a disability	726	14.0	English	73	0.8
Percent employed	60.6	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	1,168	13.2
No disability	4,475	86.0	French Canadian ¹	1,840	20.8
Percent employed	82.1	(X)	German	791	9.0
Population 65 years and over			Greek	850	9.6
With a disability	412	40.6	Hungarian	135	1.5
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	30	0.3
Population 5 years and over			Italian	1,734	19.6
Same house in 1995	5,158	62.2	Lithuanian	1,587	18.0
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	3,111	37.5	Norwegian	97	1.1
Same county	1,992	24.0	Polish	16	0.2
Different county	1,119	13.5	Portuguese	1,314	14.9
Same state	326	3.9	Russian	40	0.5
Different state	793	9.6	Scotch-Irish	51	0.6
Elsewhere in 1995	17	0.2	Scottish	161	1.8
			Slovak	259	2.9
			Subsaharan African	8	0.1
			Swedish	-	-
			Swiss	282	3.2
			Ukrainian	16	0.2
			United States or American	34	0.4
			Welsh	282	3.2
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	21	0.2
			Other ancestries	-	-
				637	7.2

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¹The data represent a combination of two ancestries shown separately in Summary File 3. Czech includes Czechoslovakian. French includes Alsatian. French Canadian includes Acadian/Cajun. Irish includes Celtic.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census 2000.

Table DP-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Southwick town, Hampden County, Massachusetts

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total housing units	3,533	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	3,318	100.0
1-unit, detached	2,730	77.3	1.00 or less	3,267	98.5
1-unit, attached	188	5.3	1.01 to 1.50	42	1.3
2 units	122	3.5	1.51 or more	9	0.3
3 or 4 units	92	2.6			
5 to 9 units	59	1.7	Specified owner-occupied units	2,362	100.0
10 to 19 units	135	3.8	VALUE		
20 or more units	198	5.6	Less than \$50,000	20	0.8
Mobile home	9	0.3	\$50,000 to \$99,999	389	16.5
Boat, RV, van, etc	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999	930	39.4
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	513	21.7
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	418	17.7
1999 to March 2000	110	3.1	\$300,000 to \$499,999	83	3.5
1995 to 1998	429	12.1	\$500,000 to \$999,999	9	0.4
1990 to 1994	204	5.8	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	533	15.1	Median (dollars)	140,800	(X)
1970 to 1979	419	11.9			
1960 to 1969	409	11.6	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	997	28.2	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	432	12.2	With a mortgage	1,805	76.4
			Less than \$300	-	-
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	62	2.6
1 room	41	1.2	\$500 to \$699	123	5.2
2 rooms	67	1.9	\$700 to \$999	427	18.1
3 rooms	243	6.9	\$1,000 to \$1,499	729	30.9
4 rooms	547	15.5	\$1,500 to \$1,999	380	16.1
5 rooms	828	23.4	\$2,000 or more	84	3.6
6 rooms	608	17.2	Median (dollars)	1,176	(X)
7 rooms	624	17.7	Not mortgaged	557	23.6
8 rooms	368	10.4	Median (dollars)	331	(X)
9 or more rooms	207	5.9			
Median (rooms)	5.6	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	3,318	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	704	29.8
1999 to March 2000	473	14.3	15.0 to 19.9 percent	477	20.2
1995 to 1998	880	26.5	20.0 to 24.9 percent	387	16.4
1990 to 1994	473	14.3	25.0 to 29.9 percent	223	9.4
1980 to 1989	683	20.6	30.0 to 34.9 percent	158	6.7
1970 to 1979	375	11.3	35.0 percent or more	395	16.7
1969 or earlier	434	13.1	Not computed	18	0.8
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	616	100.0
None	89	2.7	GROSS RENT		
1	1,056	31.8	Less than \$200	17	2.8
2	1,440	43.4	\$200 to \$299	66	10.7
3 or more	733	22.1	\$300 to \$499	105	17.0
			\$500 to \$749	251	40.7
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	104	16.9
Utility gas	330	9.9	\$1,000 to \$1,499	34	5.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	217	6.5	\$1,500 or more	7	1.1
Electricity	498	15.0	No cash rent	32	5.2
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	2,120	63.9	Median (dollars)	622	(X)
Coal or coke	-	-			
Wood	125	3.8	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	28	0.8	Less than 15.0 percent	109	17.7
No fuel used	-	-	15.0 to 19.9 percent	104	16.9
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	101	16.4
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	54	8.8
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	23	0.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent	47	7.6
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	-	-	35.0 percent or more	169	27.4
No telephone service	43	1.3	Not computed	32	5.2

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