

**BLACK AND WHITE POPULATION BY NEIGHBORHOOD IN THE LOWER EASTERN SHORE, 1990 and 2000 \***

**2000**

**LOWER EASTERN SHORE**

Population:	186,608	100.0%
White:	134,480	72.1%
Black:	46,351	24.8%
Other:	5,777	3.1%

**WHITE POPULATION**

Racial Composition of Community	White Population	Percent of Population	Cumulative Percentage	Number of Neighborhoods
Less than 1/4 White	1,780	1.3%	1.3%	13
1/4 to 1/2 White	6,311	4.7%	6.0%	13
1/2 to 3/4 White	27,708	20.6%	26.6%	40
3/4 to 9/10 White	46,487	34.6%	61.2%	48
Virtually all White	52,194	38.8%	100.0%	39
<b>Total White Population</b>	<b>134,480</b>	<b>100.0%</b>		<b>153</b>

**BLACK POPULATION**

Racial Composition of Community	Black Population	Percent of Population	Cumulative Percentage	Number of Neighborhoods
Less than 1/4 Black	10,704	23.1%	23.1%	93
1/4 to 1/2 Black	12,969	28.0%	51.1%	35
1/2 to 3/4 Black	12,927	27.9%	79.0%	14
3/4 to 9/10 Black	4,996	10.8%	89.7%	6
Virtually all Black	4,755	10.3%	100.0%	5
<b>Total Black Population</b>	<b>8,451</b>	<b>100.0%</b>		<b>153</b>

**1990**

**LOWER EASTERN SHORE**

Population:	163,043	100.0%
White:	119,838	73.5%
Black:	41,406	25.4%
Other:	1,799	1.1%

**WHITE POPULATION**

Racial Composition of Community	White Population	Percent of Population	Cumulative Percentage	Number of Neighborhoods
Less than 1/4 White	1,467	1.2%	1.2%	14
1/4 to 1/2 White	6,209	5.2%	6.4%	13
1/2 to 3/4 White	23,878	19.9%	26.3%	37
3/4 to 9/10 White	32,060	26.8%	53.1%	47
Virtually all White	56,224	46.9%	100.0%	103
<b>Total White Population</b>	<b>119,838</b>	<b>100.0%</b>		<b>214</b>

**BLACK POPULATION**

Racial Composition of Community	Black Population	Percent of Population	Cumulative Percentage	Number of Neighborhoods
Less than 1/4 Black	8,555	20.7%	20.7%	152
1/4 to 1/2 Black	11,724	28.3%	49.0%	36
1/2 to 3/4 Black	8,292	20.0%	69.0%	12
3/4 to 9/10 Black	4,906	11.8%	80.9%	5
Virtually all Black	7,929	19.1%	100.0%	9
<b>Total Black Population</b>	<b>41,406</b>	<b>100.0%</b>		<b>214</b>

\* Neighborhood is defined as a census block group

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Summary Tape File 1(1990) and Summary File 1, (2000).

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