

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

State: Maryland

Area Name: Dorchester County, Maryland

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population.....	30,674	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population.....	30,674	100.0
Male.....	14,510	47.3	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	385	1.3
Female.....	16,164	52.7	Mexican.....	107	0.3
Under 5 years.....	1,650	5.4	Puerto Rican.....	171	0.6
5 to 9 years.....	2,017	6.6	Cuban.....	21	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	2,166	7.1	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	86	0.3
15 to 19 years.....	1,954	6.4	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	30,289	98.7
20 to 24 years.....	1,434	4.7	White alone.....	21,117	68.8
25 to 34 years.....	3,457	11.3			
35 to 44 years.....	4,760	15.5	RELATIONSHIP		
45 to 54 years.....	4,343	14.2	Total population.....	30,674	100.0
55 to 59 years.....	1,885	6.1	In households.....	30,004	97.8
60 to 64 years.....	1,585	5.2	Householder.....	12,706	41.4
65 to 74 years.....	2,872	9.4	Spouse.....	6,030	19.7
75 to 84 years.....	1,922	6.3	Child.....	8,080	26.3
85 years and over.....	629	2.1	Own child under 18 years.....	6,096	19.9
Median age (years).....	40.7	(X)	Other relatives.....	1,737	5.7
18 years and over.....	23,523	76.7	Under 18 years.....	843	2.7
Male.....	10,904	35.5	Nonrelatives.....	1,451	4.7
Female.....	12,619	41.1	Unmarried partner.....	818	2.7
21 years and over.....	22,602	73.7	In group quarters.....	670	2.2
62 years and over.....	6,349	20.7	Institutionalized population.....	490	1.6
65 years and over.....	5,423	17.7	Noninstitutionalized population.....	180	0.6
Male.....	2,263	7.4			
Female.....	3,160	10.3	HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
RACE			Total households.....	12,706	100.0
One race.....	30,402	99.1	Family households (families).....	8,506	66.9
White.....	21,302	69.4	With own children under 18 years.....	3,471	27.3
Black or African American.....	8,708	28.4	Married-couple family.....	6,030	47.5
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	70	0.2	With own children under 18 years.....	2,094	16.5
Asian.....	202	0.7	Female householder, no husband present.....	1,969	15.5
Asian Indian.....	20	0.1	With own children under 18 years.....	1,133	8.9
Chinese.....	41	0.1	Nonfamily households.....	4,200	33.1
Filipino.....	18	0.1	Householder living alone.....	3,588	28.2
Japanese.....	7	0.0	Householder 65 years and over.....	1,720	13.5
Korean.....	8	0.0	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	4,024	31.7
Vietnamese.....	52	0.2	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	3,921	30.9
Other Asian ¹	56	0.2	Average household size.....	2.36	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1	0.0	Average family size.....	2.86	(X)
Native Hawaiian.....	1	0.0	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	0	0.0	Total housing units.....	14,681	100.0
Samoan.....	0	0.0	Occupied housing units.....	12,706	86.5
Other Pacific Islander ²	0	0.0	Vacant housing units.....	1,975	13.5
Some other race.....	119	0.4	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	613	4.2
Two or more races.....	272	0.9	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.20%	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	6.80%	(X)
White.....	21,487	70.0	HOUSING TENURE		
Black or African American.....	8,861	28.9	Occupied housing units.....	12,706	100.0
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	162	0.5	Owner-occupied housing units.....	8,906	70.1
Asian.....	244	0.8	Renter-occupied housing units.....	3,800	29.9
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	14	0.0	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.39	(X)
Some other race.....	209	0.7	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.31	(X)

- Represents zero or rounds to zero. (X) Not applicable.

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 following 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-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics : 1990

State: Maryland

Area Name: Dorchester County, Maryland

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	30,236	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE ²		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	30,236	100.0
Male.....	14,324	47.4	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	177	0.6
Female.....	15,912	52.6	Mexican.....	35	0.1
Under 5 years.....	2,028	6.7	Puerto Rican.....	90	0.3
5 to 9 years.....	2,005	6.6	Cuban.....	2	0.0
10 to 14 years.....	1,868	6.2	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	50	0.2
15 to 19 years.....	1,796	5.9	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	30,059	99.4
20 to 24 years.....	1,823	6.0	White.....	21,478	71.0
25 to 34 years.....	4,710	15.6	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	4,250	14.1	Total population	30,236	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	3,260	10.8	In households.....	29,750	98.4
55 to 59 years.....	1,565	5.2	Householder.....	12,117	40.1
60 to 64 years.....	1,705	5.6	Spouse.....	6,266	20.7
65 to 74 years.....	3,041	10.1	Child.....	8,239	27.2
75 to 84 years.....	1,660	5.5	Own child under 18 years.....	5,804	19.2
85 years and over.....	525	1.7	Other relatives.....	1,882	6.2
Median age (years).....	36.9	(X)	Under 18 years.....	935	3.1
18 years and over.....	23,319	77.1	Nonrelatives.....	1,246	4.1
Male.....	10,782	35.7	Unmarried partner ³	562	1.9
Female.....	12,537	41.5	In group quarters.....	486	1.6
21 years and over.....	22,218	73.5	Institutionalized population.....	424	1.4
62 years and over.....	6,278	20.8	Noninstitutionalized population.....	62	0.2
65 years and over.....	5,226	17.3	HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Male.....	2,123	7.0	Total households	12,117	100.0
Female.....	3,103	10.3	Family households (families).....	8,490	70.1
RACE ¹			With own children under 18 years.....	3,483	28.7
One race ¹	30,236	100.0	Married-couple family.....	6,266	51.7
White.....	21,548	71.3	With own children under 18 years.....	2,333	19.3
Black or African American.....	8,423	27.9	Female householder, no husband present.....	1,779	14.7
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	51	0.2	With own children under 18 years.....	958	7.9
Asian.....	135	0.4	Nonfamily households.....	3,627	29.9
Asian Indian.....	39	0.1	Householder living alone.....	3,123	25.8
Chinese.....	24	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	1,576	13.0
Filipino.....	23	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	4,066	33.6
Japanese.....	2	0.0	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	3,808	31.4
Korean.....	7	0.0	Average household size.....	2.46	(X)
Vietnamese.....	34	0.1	Average family size.....	2.93	(X)
Other Asian.....	6	0.0	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	3	0.0	Total housing units	14,269	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	3	0.0	Occupied housing units.....	12,117	84.9
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	0	0.0	Vacant housing units.....	2,152	15.1
Samoan.....	0	0.0	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	860	6.0
Other Pacific Islander.....	0	0.0	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.46%	(X)
Some other race.....	76	0.3	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	7.71%	(X)
Two or more races ¹	(NA)	(NA)	HOUSING TENURE		
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ¹			Occupied housing units	12,117	100.0
White.....	(NA)	(NA)	Owner-occupied housing units.....	8,193	67.6
Black or African American.....	(NA)	(NA)	Renter-occupied housing units.....	3,924	32.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.48	(X)
Asian.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.41	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	(NA)	(NA)			
Some other race.....	(NA)	(NA)			

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² Census 2000 terminology is used for ethnic categories. The corresponding term for "Hispanic or Latino" in the 1990 census was "Hispanic origin."

³ Sample data on unmarried-partner households, as shown in U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population, *Social and Economic Characteristics* (1990 CP-2), report series published 1993-1994.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population, *General Population Characteristics* (1990 CP-1), and 1990 Census of Housing, *General Housing Characteristics* (1990 CH-1), report series published 1992-1993; and Summary Tape File (STF) 1A, series released 1991. Prepared by the Maryland Department of Planning, Planning Data Services, May 2001

Table DP-3. Change in General Demographic Characteristics : 2000 - 1990

State: Maryland

Area Name: Dorchester County, Maryland

Subject	Change	Percent Change	Subject	Change	Percent Change
Total population.....	438	1.4%	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE ²		
SEX AND AGE			Total population.....	438	1.4%
Male.....	186	1.3%	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	208	117.5%
Female.....	252	1.6%	Mexican.....	72	205.7%
Under 5 years.....	-378	-18.6%	Puerto Rican.....	81	90.0%
5 to 9 years.....	12	0.6%	Cuban.....	19	950.0%
10 to 14 years.....	298	16.0%	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	36	72.0%
15 to 19 years.....	158	8.8%	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	230	0.8%
20 to 24 years.....	-389	-21.3%	White.....	-361	-1.7%
25 to 34 years.....	-1,253	-26.6%	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	510	12.0%	Total population.....	438	1.4%
45 to 54 years.....	1,083	33.2%	In households.....	254	0.9%
55 to 59 years.....	320	20.4%	Householder.....	589	4.9%
60 to 64 years.....	-120	-7.0%	Spouse.....	-236	-3.8%
65 to 74 years.....	-169	-5.6%	Child.....	-159	-1.9%
75 to 84 years.....	262	15.8%	Own child under 18 years.....	292	5.0%
85 years and over.....	104	19.8%	Other relatives.....	-145	-7.7%
Median age (years).....	3.8	10.3%	Under 18 years.....	-92	-9.8%
18 years and over.....	204	0.9%	Nonrelatives.....	205	16.5%
Male.....	122	1.1%	Unmarried partner ³	256	45.6%
Female.....	82	0.7%	In group quarters.....	184	37.9%
21 years and over.....	384	1.7%	Institutionalized population.....	66	15.6%
62 years and over.....	71	1.1%	Noninstitutionalized population.....	118	190.3%
65 years and over.....	197	3.8%	HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Male.....	140	6.6%	Total households.....	589	4.9%
Female.....	57	1.8%	Family households (families).....	16	0.2%
RACE ¹			With own children under 18 years.....	-12	-0.3%
One race ¹	166	0.5%	Married-couple family.....	-236	-3.8%
White.....	-246	-1.1%	With own children under 18 years.....	-239	-10.2%
Black or African American.....	285	3.4%	Female householder, no husband present.....	190	10.7%
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	19	37.3%	With own children under 18 years.....	175	18.3%
Asian.....	67	49.6%	Nonfamily households.....	573	15.8%
Asian Indian.....	-19	-48.7%	Householder living alone.....	465	14.9%
Chinese.....	17	70.8%	Householder 65 years and over.....	144	9.1%
Filipino.....	-5	-21.7%	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	-42	-1.0%
Japanese.....	5	250.0%	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	113	3.0%
Korean.....	1	14.3%	Average household size.....	-0.10	-4.1%
Vietnamese.....	18	52.9%	Average family size.....	-0.07	-2.4%
Other Asian.....	50	833.3%	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-2	-66.7%	Total housing units.....	412	2.9%
Native Hawaiian.....	-2	-66.7%	Occupied housing units.....	589	4.9%
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	0	...	Vacant housing units.....	-177	-8.2%
Samoan.....	0	...	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	-247	-28.7%
Other Pacific Islander.....	0	...	Homeowner vacancy rate (percentage point).....	-0.26	-10.7%
Some other race.....	43	56.6%	Rental vacancy rate (percentage point).....	-0.91	-11.8%
Two or more races ¹	(NA)	(NA)	HOUSING TENURE		
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ¹			Occupied housing units.....	589	4.9%
White.....	(NA)	(NA)	Owner-occupied housing units.....	713	8.7%
Black or African American.....	(NA)	(NA)	Renter-occupied housing units.....	-124	-3.2%
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	-0.09	-3.6%
Asian.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	-0.10	-4.1%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	(NA)	(NA)			
Some other race.....	(NA)	(NA)			

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