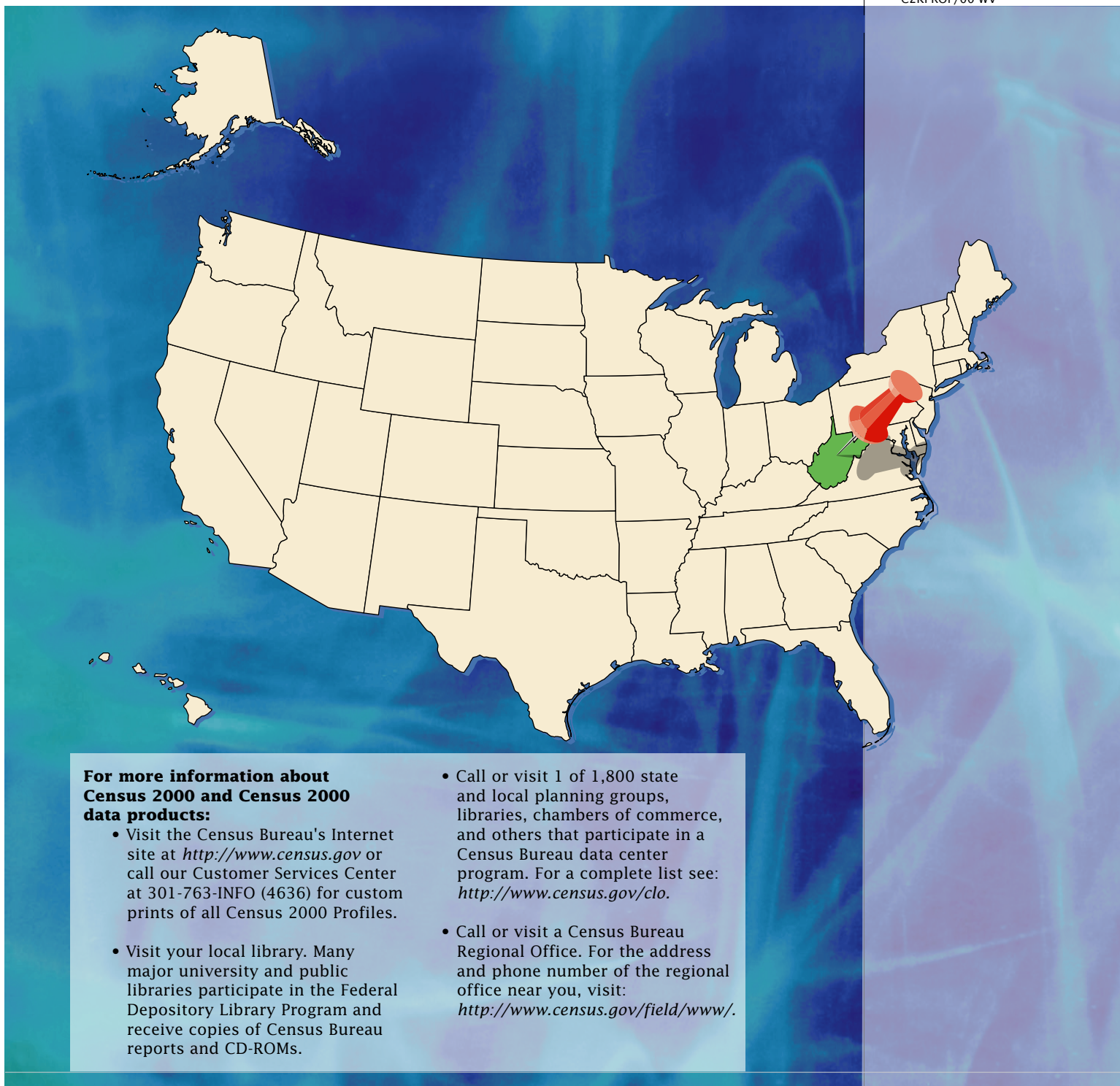


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Table DP-1. **Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000**

Geographic area: West Virginia

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,808,344	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	1,808,344	100.0
Male.....	879,170	48.6	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	12,279	0.7
Female.....	929,174	51.4	Mexican.....	4,347	0.2
Under 5 years.....	101,805	5.6	Puerto Rican.....	1,609	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	111,150	6.1	Cuban.....	453	-
10 to 14 years.....	116,182	6.4	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	5,870	0.3
15 to 19 years.....	125,578	6.9	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	1,796,065	99.3
20 to 24 years.....	120,109	6.6	White alone.....	1,709,966	94.6
25 to 34 years.....	229,094	12.7	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	272,249	15.1	Total population	1,808,344	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	270,466	15.0	In households.....	1,765,197	97.6
55 to 59 years.....	98,916	5.5	Householder.....	736,481	40.7
60 to 64 years.....	85,900	4.8	Spouse.....	397,499	22.0
65 to 74 years.....	148,463	8.2	Child.....	491,697	27.2
75 to 84 years.....	96,653	5.3	Own child under 18 years.....	363,929	20.1
85 years and over.....	31,779	1.8	Other relatives.....	68,787	3.8
Median age (years).....	38.9	(X)	Under 18 years.....	28,216	1.6
18 years and over.....	1,405,951	77.7	Nonrelatives.....	70,733	3.9
Male.....	672,385	37.2	Unmarried partner.....	34,755	1.9
Female.....	733,566	40.6	In group quarters.....	43,147	2.4
21 years and over.....	1,326,880	73.4	Institutionalized population.....	24,009	1.3
62 years and over.....	327,270	18.1	Noninstitutionalized population.....	19,138	1.1
65 years and over.....	276,895	15.3	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	112,538	6.2	Total households	736,481	100.0
Female.....	164,357	9.1	Family households (families).....	504,055	68.4
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	213,072	28.9
One race.....	1,792,556	99.1	Married-couple family.....	397,499	54.0
White.....	1,718,777	95.0	With own children under 18 years.....	156,927	21.3
Black or African American.....	57,232	3.2	Female householder, no husband present.....	79,120	10.7
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	3,606	0.2	With own children under 18 years.....	42,304	5.7
Asian.....	9,434	0.5	Nonfamily households.....	232,426	31.6
Asian Indian.....	2,856	0.2	Householder living alone.....	199,587	27.1
Chinese.....	1,878	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	87,568	11.9
Filipino.....	1,495	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	233,906	31.8
Japanese.....	887	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	201,399	27.3
Korean.....	857	-	Average household size.....	2.40	(X)
Vietnamese.....	379	-	Average family size.....	2.90	(X)
Other Asian ¹	1,082	0.1	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	400	-	Total housing units	844,623	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	111	-	Occupied housing units.....	736,481	87.2
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	87	-	Vacant housing units.....	108,142	12.8
Samoan.....	79	-	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	32,757	3.9
Other Pacific Islander ²	123	-	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.2	(X)
Some other race.....	3,107	0.2	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	9.1	(X)
Two or more races.....	15,788	0.9	HOUSING TENURE		
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	736,481	100.0
White.....	1,733,390	95.9	Owner-occupied housing units.....	553,699	75.2
Black or African American.....	62,817	3.5	Renter-occupied housing units.....	182,782	24.8
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	10,644	0.6	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.47	(X)
Asian.....	11,873	0.7	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.17	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	887	-			
Some other race.....	5,579	0.3			

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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: West Virginia

[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	22,008	5.3	Native	1,788,954	98.9
Kindergarten	22,820	5.5	Born in United States	1,782,125	98.6
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	186,967	44.7	State of residence	1,342,589	74.2
High school (grades 9-12)	94,429	22.6	Different state	439,536	24.3
College or graduate school	92,329	22.1	Born outside United States	6,829	0.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born		
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000		
Less than 9th grade	123,622	10.0	Naturalized citizen	10,446	0.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	182,192	14.8	Not a citizen	8,944	0.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	486,334	39.4	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	205,025	16.6	Total (excluding born at sea)		
Associate degree	53,448	4.3	Europe	6,694	34.5
Bachelor's degree	109,651	8.9	Asia	8,385	43.2
Graduate or professional degree	73,309	5.9	Africa	664	3.4
Percent high school graduate or higher	75.2	(X)	Oceania	158	0.8
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	14.8	(X)	Latin America	2,411	12.4
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America		
Population 15 years and over			1,078		
Never married	327,275	22.1	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Now married, except separated	846,400	57.2	Population 5 years and over		
Separated	21,707	1.5	English only		
Widowed	129,556	8.8	1,661,036		
Female	106,709	7.2	Language other than English		
Divorced	154,363	10.4	45,895		
Female	82,704	5.6	Speak English less than "very well"		
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			13,550		
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Spanish		
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	16,151	52.4	17,652		
VETERAN STATUS			Speak English less than "very well"		
Civilian population 18 years and over			5,728		
Civilian veterans	201,701	14.4	19,491		
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Other Indo-European languages		
Population 5 to 20 years			Speak English less than "very well"		
With a disability	34,350	9.1	4,970		
Population 21 to 64 years			Asian and Pacific Island languages		
With a disability	247,261	23.8	6,038		
Percent employed	40.4	(X)	Speak English less than "very well"		
No disability	791,455	76.2	2,249		
Percent employed	71.5	(X)	ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Population 65 years and over			Total population		
With a disability	129,170	48.6	1,808,344		
RESIDENCE IN 1995			<i>Total ancestries reported</i>		
Population 5 years and over			1,468,395		
Same house in 1995	1,081,045	63.3	Arab		
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	617,552	36.2	5,497		
Same county	358,912	21.0	Czech ¹		
Different county	258,640	15.2	4,319		
Same state	120,153	7.0	Danish		
Different state	138,487	8.1	1,317		
Elsewhere in 1995	8,334	0.5	Dutch		
			37,837		
			English		
			176,297		
			French (except Basque) ¹		
			25,183		
			French Canadian ¹		
			2,824		
			German		
			253,388		
			Greek		
			4,372		
			Hungarian		
			7,477		
			Irish ¹		
			198,473		
			Italian		
			69,935		
			Lithuanian		
			1,660		
			Norwegian		
			3,855		
			Polish		
			28,500		
			Portuguese		
			550		
			Russian		
			4,436		
			Scotch-Irish		
			37,394		
			Scottish		
			28,139		
			Slovak		
			4,451		
			Subsaharan African		
			2,901		
			Swedish		
			5,351		
			Swiss		
			2,884		
			Ukrainian		
			1,808		
			United States or American		
			340,519		
			Welsh		
			12,138		
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)		
			920		
			Other ancestries		
			205,970		

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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. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-3. **Profile of Selected Economic Characteristics: 2000**

Geographic area: West Virginia

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

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
EMPLOYMENT STATUS			INCOME IN 1999		
Population 16 years and over			Households		
In labor force	1,455,101	100.0	Less than \$10,000	737,360	100.0
Civilian labor force	792,344	54.5	\$10,000 to \$14,999	113,931	15.5
Employed	732,673	50.4	\$15,000 to \$24,999	73,514	10.0
Unemployed	58,021	4.0	\$25,000 to \$34,999	128,448	17.4
Percent of civilian labor force	7.3	(X)	\$35,000 to \$49,999	107,192	14.5
Armed Forces	1,650	0.1	\$50,000 to \$74,999	121,089	16.4
Not in labor force	662,757	45.5	\$75,000 to \$99,999	111,446	15.1
Females 16 years and over			\$100,000 to \$149,999	44,643	6.1
In labor force	757,134	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	24,185	3.3
Civilian labor force	360,400	47.6	\$200,000 or more	5,632	0.8
Employed	360,165	47.6	Median household income (dollars)	7,280	1.0
Own children under 6 years	336,384	44.4	29,696	(X)	
All parents in family in labor force	64,028	54.2	With earnings	520,246	70.6
COMMUTING TO WORK			Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	41,287	(X)
Workers 16 years and over			With Social Security income	249,895	33.9
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	718,106	100.0	Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	10,931	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	576,360	80.3	With Supplemental Security Income	50,619	6.9
Public transportation (including taxicab)	91,133	12.7	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) ¹	5,974	(X)
Walked	5,714	0.8	With public assistance income	29,693	4.0
Other means	21,059	2.9	Mean public assistance income (dollars) ¹	2,019	(X)
Worked at home	6,417	0.9	With retirement income	162,008	22.0
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	17,423	2.4	Mean retirement income (dollars) ¹	14,826	(X)
Employed civilian population 16 years and over			Families		
732,673			507,255		
OCCUPATION			Less than \$10,000	46,904	9.2
Management, professional, and related occupations	204,370	27.9	\$10,000 to \$14,999	36,209	7.1
Service occupations	121,293	16.6	\$15,000 to \$24,999	80,620	15.9
Sales and office occupations	191,079	26.1	\$25,000 to \$34,999	78,312	15.4
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	5,362	0.7	\$35,000 to \$49,999	97,246	19.2
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	90,332	12.3	\$50,000 to \$74,999	95,497	18.8
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	120,237	16.4	\$75,000 to \$99,999	40,165	7.9
INDUSTRY			\$100,000 to \$149,999	21,413	4.2
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	29,945	4.1	\$150,000 to \$199,999	4,887	1.0
Construction	51,512	7.0	\$200,000 or more	6,002	1.2
Manufacturing	87,147	11.9	Median family income (dollars)	36,484	(X)
Wholesale trade	20,289	2.8	Per capita income (dollars) ¹	16,477	(X)
Retail trade	95,891	13.1	Median earnings (dollars):		
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	43,946	6.0	Male full-time, year-round workers	31,299	(X)
Information	15,916	2.2	Female full-time, year-round workers	21,154	(X)
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	33,408	4.6	Subject		
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	49,188	6.7	POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
Educational, health and social services	168,299	23.0	Families		
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	58,260	8.0	70,448		
Other services (except public administration)	36,421	5.0	With related children under 18 years	49,937	21.4
Public administration	42,451	5.8	With related children under 5 years	21,219	25.7
CLASS OF WORKER			Families with female householder, no husband present		
Private wage and salary workers	555,133	75.8	27,193		
Government workers	131,326	17.9	With related children under 18 years	22,892	48.8
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	43,225	5.9	With related children under 5 years	9,355	62.8
Unpaid family workers	2,989	0.4	Individuals		
			315,794		
			18 years and over	219,698	16.0
			65 years and over	31,555	11.9
			Related children under 18 years	93,848	23.9
			Related children 5 to 17 years	66,857	22.9
			Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	95,757	32.5

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¹If the denominator of a mean value or per capita value is less than 30, then that value is calculated using a rounded aggregate in the numerator. See text.

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

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

Geographic area: West Virginia

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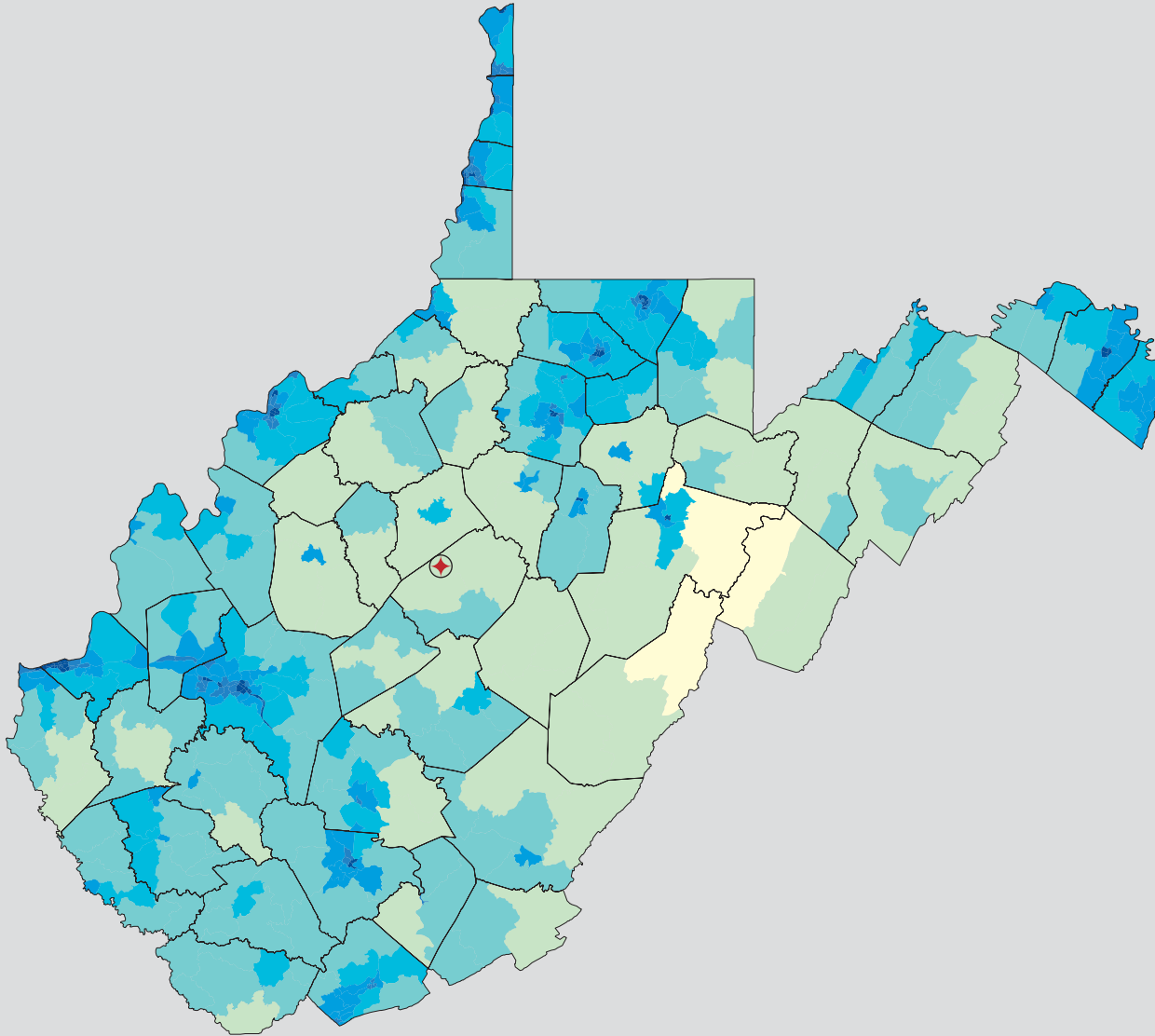
Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total housing units	844,623	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	736,481	100.0
1-unit, detached	583,695	69.1	1.00 or less	726,684	98.7
1-unit, attached	13,209	1.6	1.01 to 1.50	7,871	1.1
2 units	22,084	2.6	1.51 or more	1,926	0.3
3 or 4 units	24,594	2.9			
5 to 9 units	22,297	2.6	Specified owner-occupied units	392,928	100.0
10 to 19 units	12,539	1.5	VALUE		
20 or more units	19,978	2.4	Less than \$50,000	105,061	26.7
Mobile home	142,728	16.9	\$50,000 to \$99,999	184,733	47.0
Boat, RV, van, etc	3,499	0.4	\$100,000 to \$149,999	62,302	15.9
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	22,939	5.8
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	12,536	3.2
1999 to March 2000	16,300	1.9	\$300,000 to \$499,999	4,094	1.0
1995 to 1998	57,953	6.9	\$500,000 to \$999,999	879	0.2
1990 to 1994	56,800	6.7	\$1,000,000 or more	384	0.1
1980 to 1989	121,243	14.4	Median (dollars)	72,800	(X)
1970 to 1979	156,862	18.6			
1960 to 1969	91,692	10.9	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	180,652	21.4	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	163,121	19.3	With a mortgage	205,315	52.3
			Less than \$300	4,821	1.2
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	36,604	9.3
1 room	7,541	0.9	\$500 to \$699	57,904	14.7
2 rooms	16,944	2.0	\$700 to \$999	60,783	15.5
3 rooms	49,776	5.9	\$1,000 to \$1,499	32,077	8.2
4 rooms	145,634	17.2	\$1,500 to \$1,999	8,183	2.1
5 rooms	210,272	24.9	\$2,000 or more	4,943	1.3
6 rooms	178,191	21.1	Median (dollars)	713	(X)
7 rooms	110,127	13.0	Not mortgaged	187,613	47.7
8 rooms	67,308	8.0	Median (dollars)	207	(X)
9 or more rooms	58,830	7.0			
Median (rooms)	5.5	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	736,481	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	199,738	50.8
1999 to March 2000	112,650	15.3	15.0 to 19.9 percent	60,783	15.5
1995 to 1998	177,756	24.1	20.0 to 24.9 percent	40,023	10.2
1990 to 1994	116,203	15.8	25.0 to 29.9 percent	25,158	6.4
1980 to 1989	126,276	17.1	30.0 to 34.9 percent	15,883	4.0
1970 to 1979	94,797	12.9	35.0 percent or more	46,769	11.9
1969 or earlier	108,799	14.8	Not computed	4,574	1.2
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	176,393	100.0
None	79,885	10.8	GROSS RENT		
1	261,081	35.4	Less than \$200	18,717	10.6
2	283,173	38.4	\$200 to \$299	21,456	12.2
3 or more	112,342	15.3	\$300 to \$499	68,431	38.8
			\$500 to \$749	34,810	19.7
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	5,755	3.3
Utility gas	351,912	47.8	\$1,000 to \$1,499	1,742	1.0
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	41,507	5.6	\$1,500 or more	369	0.2
Electricity	236,818	32.2	No cash rent	25,113	14.2
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	49,689	6.7	Median (dollars)	401	(X)
Coal or coke	8,312	1.1			
Wood	43,634	5.9	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	125	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	3,402	0.5	Less than 15.0 percent	33,374	18.9
No fuel used	1,082	0.1	15.0 to 19.9 percent	20,118	11.4
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	17,400	9.9
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	14,823	8.4
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	7,451	1.0	30.0 to 34.9 percent	10,963	6.2
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	4,960	0.7	35.0 percent or more	49,917	28.3
No telephone service	34,786	4.7	Not computed	29,798	16.9

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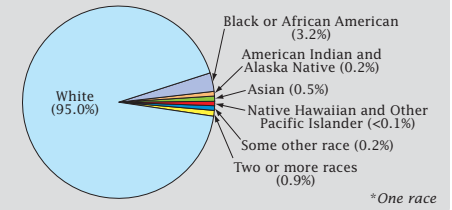
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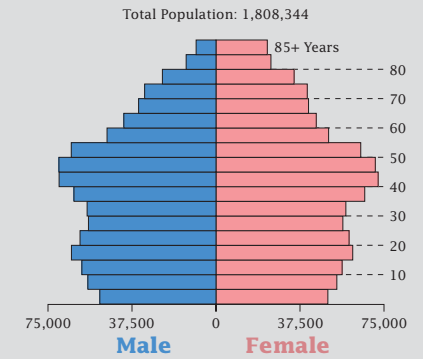


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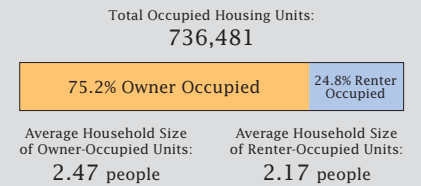


Hispanic or Latino (of any race) makes up **0.7%** of the state population.

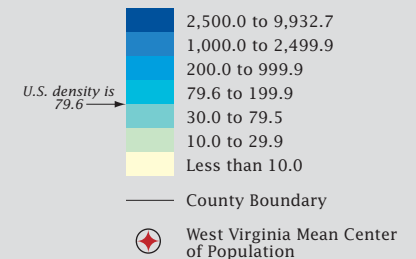
Population by Sex and Age



Housing Tenure



Population Per Square Mile by Census Tract



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