

Demographic Profiles for Local Workforce Investment Areas in California (2000 Census of Population and Housing)

The U.S. Census Bureau has released a series of **Demographic Profiles** for the 2000 Census of Population and Housing. These four-page profiles contain summary data for age, race/ethnicity, sex, household type and relationship, housing occupancy, and the social and economic data, such as income, poverty and labor force. The Profiles were released for California, counties, incorporated cities and Census Designated Places, Congressional Districts, and Indian Reservations.

Selected **Local Workforce Investment Areas** (LWIA) in California consist of a group of legal jurisdictions rather than a single county or city. In response to their request, the following Demographic Profile was generated from the Demographic Profiles for the individual component geography.

Missing Data Items:

Since the detailed data needed to calculate some elements are not available on the Profile itself, these items are not present in these “aggregate” Profiles. “N/A” in the “Number” column indicates these items.

Calculated Medians:

It was necessary to calculate median values from the data available in ranges. The following medians were calculated: Age; Household and Family Income; Number of Rooms; Value; Selected Monthly Owner Costs (with a mortgage); and Gross Rent. They are indicated with “[CALCULATED]” in the item description.

The user should be aware that the difference of these medians from the actual median is in direct relationship to the width of the ranges from which they are calculated. For example, the median age will be more accurate since the ranges are only 5 or 10 years compared to the median household income where the ranges are \$10,000 or \$25,000 in width.

Explanation of Terms:

For more information on the terms and the census, see “[About the Profile](#)”.

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Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000
Geographic Area: Golden Sierra Consortium (Alpine, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, & Sierra Counties)

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see <http://www.census.gov/prod/www/abs/decennial.html>]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population.....	501,494	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population.....	501,494	100.0
Male.....	247,902	49.4	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	44,093	8.8
Female.....	253,592	50.6	Mexican.....	32,540	6.5
Under 5 years.....	29,384	5.9	Puerto Rican.....	1,218	0.2
5 to 9 years.....	36,445	7.3	Cuban.....	419	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	39,795	7.9	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	9,916	2.0
15 to 19 years.....	35,423	7.1	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	457,401	91.2
20 to 24 years.....	21,654	4.3	White alone.....	427,136	85.2
25 to 34 years.....	53,357	10.6	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	85,560	17.1	Total population.....	501,494	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	81,723	16.3	In households.....	496,651	99.0
55 to 59 years.....	27,688	5.5	Householder.....	191,218	38.1
60 to 64 years.....	21,773	4.3	Spouse.....	113,182	22.6
65 to 74 years.....	37,030	7.4	Child.....	146,035	29.1
75 to 84 years.....	24,351	4.9	Own child under 18 years.....	118,780	23.7
85 years and over.....	7,311	1.5	Other relatives.....	18,932	3.8
Median age (years) [CALCULATED].....	39.1	(X)	Under 18 years.....	7,002	1.4
18 years and over.....	372,561	74.3	Nonrelatives.....	27,284	5.4
Male.....	181,660	36.2	Unmarried partner.....	10,454	2.1
Female.....	190,901	38.1	In group quarters.....	4,843	1.0
21 years and over.....	355,555	70.9	Institutionalized population.....	3,178	0.6
62 years and over.....	81,230	16.2	Noninstitutionalized population.....	1,665	0.3
65 years and over.....	68,692	13.7	HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Male.....	30,757	6.1	Total households.....	191,218	100.0
Female.....	37,935	7.6	Family households (families).....	137,982	72.2
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	64,211	33.6
One race.....	486,304	97.0	Married-couple family.....	113,182	59.2
White.....	450,448	89.8	With own children under 18 years.....	48,836	25.5
Black or African American.....	3,117	0.6	Female householder, no husband present	17,245	9.0
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	4,874	1.0	With own children under 18 years.....	10,807	5.7
Asian.....	11,370	2.3	Nonfamily households.....	53,236	27.8
Asian Indian.....	1,719	0.3	Householder living alone.....	40,723	21.3
Chinese.....	2,103	0.4	Householder 65 years and over.....	15,711	8.2
Filipino.....	3,124	0.6	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	69,046	36.1
Japanese.....	2,301	0.5	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	47,191	24.7
Korean.....	814	0.2	Average household size.....	N/A	(X)
Vietnamese.....	500	0.1	Average family size.....	N/A	(X)
Other Asian ¹	809	0.2	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	680	0.1	Total housing units.....	226,578	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	230	0.0	Occupied housing units.....	191,218	84.4
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	135	0.0	Vacant housing units.....	35,360	15.6
Samoan.....	123	0.0	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	26,845	11.8
Other Pacific Islander ²	192	0.0	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	N/A	(X)
Some other race.....	15,815	3.2	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	N/A	(X)
Two or more races.....	15,190	3.0	HOUSING TENURE		
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units.....	191,218	100.0
White.....	464,470	92.6	Owner-occupied housing units.....	141,753	74.1
Black or African American.....	4,590	0.9	Renter-occupied housing units.....	49,465	25.9
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	10,564	2.1	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	N/A	(X)
Asian.....	15,585	3.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	N/A	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1,748	0.3			
Some other race.....	20,705	4.1			

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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 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.

Table DP-2. Profile of Selected Social Characteristics: 2000
Geographic Area: Golden Sierra Consortium (Alpine, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, & Sierra Counties)

[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.....	138,423	100.0	Total population.....	501,494	100.0
Nursery school, preschool.....	8,447	6.1	Native.....	468,538	93.4
Kindergarten.....	7,524	5.4	Born in United States.....	463,918	92.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	61,515	44.4	State of residence.....	311,235	62.1
High school (grades 9-12).....	32,206	23.3	Different state.....	152,683	30.4
College or graduate school.....	28,731	20.8	Born outside United States.....	4,620	0.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Population 25 years and over.....	339,413	100.0	Total (excluding born at sea).....	32,956	100.0
Less than 9th grade.....	9,404	2.8	Europe.....	8,653	26.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	24,688	7.3	Asia.....	6,952	21.1
High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	75,097	22.1	Africa.....	517	1.6
Some college, no degree.....	102,841	30.3	Oceania.....	390	1.2
Associate degree.....	31,626	9.3	Latin America.....	13,533	41.1
Bachelor's degree.....	65,141	19.2	Northern America.....	2,911	8.8
Graduate or professional degree.....	30,616	9.0	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	90.0	(X)	Population 5 years and over.....	472,416	100.0
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	28.2	(X)	English only.....	426,943	90.4
MARITAL STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Population 15 years and over.....	396,391	100.0	Total population.....	501,494	100.0
Never married.....	83,650	21.1	Total ancestries reported.....	581,036	115.9
Now married, except separated.....	240,161	60.6	Arab.....	1,378	0.3
Separated.....	6,305	1.6	Czech ¹	2,849	0.6
Widowed.....	23,132	5.8	Danish.....	6,345	1.3
Female.....	18,177	4.6	Dutch.....	10,813	2.2
Divorced.....	43,143	10.9	English.....	82,450	16.4
Female.....	25,052	6.3	French (except Basque) ¹	22,418	4.5
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Other Indo-European languages.....		
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years.....	7,913	100.0	Speak English less than "very well".....	2,881	0.6
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	3,498	44.2	Asian and Pacific Island languages.....	5,730	1.2
VETERAN STATUS			Speak English less than "very well".....		
Civilian population 18 years and over.....	372,798	100.0		2,503	0.5
Civilian veterans.....	60,956	16.4	RESIDENCE IN 1995		
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Population 5 years and over.....		
Population 5 to 20 years.....	115,761	100.0	Same house in 1995.....	472,416	100.0
With a disability.....	7,760	6.7	Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	236,509	50.1
Population 21 to 64 years.....	286,234	100.0	Same county.....	229,225	48.5
With a disability.....	48,201	16.8	Same state.....	95,590	20.2
Percent employed.....	N/A	(X)	Different county.....	133,635	28.3
No disability.....	238,033	83.2	Same state.....	105,490	22.3
Percent employed.....	N/A	(X)	Different state.....	28,145	6.0
Population 65 years and over.....	66,857	100.0	Elsewhere in 1995.....	6,682	1.4
With a disability.....	24,479	36.6	Other ancestries.....		

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¹ The 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-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000
Geographic Area: Golden Sierra Consortium (Alpine, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, & Sierra Counties)

[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.....	226,578	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units.....	191,218	100.0
1-unit, detached.....	177,559	78.4	1.00 or less.....	183,072	95.7
1-unit, attached.....	6,661	2.9	1.01 to 1.50.....	4,696	2.5
2 units.....	3,753	1.7	1.51 or more.....	3,450	1.8
3 or 4 units.....	7,002	3.1			
5 to 9 units.....	6,815	3.0	Specified owner-occupied units.....	118,410	100.0
10 to 19 units.....	3,742	1.7	VALUE		
20 or more units.....	8,327	3.7	Less than \$50,000.....	512	0.4
Mobile home.....	12,271	5.4	\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	3,969	3.4
Boat, RV, van, etc.....	448	0.2	\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	21,117	17.8
			\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	31,279	26.4
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999.....	36,854	31.1
1999 to March 2000.....	10,127	4.5	\$300,000 to \$499,999.....	19,227	16.2
1995 to 1998.....	23,515	10.4	\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	4,786	4.0
1990 to 1994.....	28,072	12.4	\$1,000,000 or more.....	666	0.6
1980 to 1989.....	53,497	23.6	Median (dollars) [CALCULATED].....	\$206,317	(X)
1970 to 1979.....	52,534	23.2			
1960 to 1969.....	25,366	11.2	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959.....	21,527	9.5	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier.....	11,940	5.3	With a mortgage.....	92,326	78.0
			Less than \$300.....	229	0.2
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499.....	1,383	1.2
1 room.....	3,407	1.5	\$500 to \$699.....	3,551	3.0
2 rooms.....	8,641	3.8	\$700 to \$999.....	11,752	9.9
3 rooms.....	18,502	8.2	\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	31,966	27.0
4 rooms.....	32,544	14.4	\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	24,465	20.7
5 rooms.....	49,711	21.9	\$2,000 or more.....	18,980	16.0
6 rooms.....	47,278	20.9	Median (dollars) [CALCULATED].....	\$1,457	(X)
7 rooms.....	31,155	13.8	Not mortgaged.....	26,084	22.0
8 rooms.....	19,793	8.7	Median (dollars).....	N/A	(X)
9 or more rooms.....	15,547	6.9			
Median (rooms) [CALCULATED].....	5.0	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units.....	191,218	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent.....	32,477	27.4
1999 to March 2000.....	39,358	20.6	15.0 to 19.9 percent.....	17,746	15.0
1995 to 1998.....	60,882	31.8	20.0 to 24.9 percent.....	18,027	15.2
1990 to 1994.....	34,895	18.2	25.0 to 29.9 percent.....	13,853	11.7
1980 to 1989.....	33,905	17.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent.....	9,702	8.2
1970 to 1979.....	15,129	7.9	35.0 percent or more.....	25,834	21.8
1969 or earlier.....	7,049	3.7	Not computed.....	771	0.7
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units.....	48,078	100.0
None.....	9,204	4.8	GROSS RENT		
1.....	51,671	27.0	Less than \$200.....	1,005	2.1
2.....	82,188	43.0	\$200 to \$299.....	1,313	2.7
3 or more.....	48,155	25.2	\$300 to \$499.....	5,700	11.9
			\$500 to \$749.....	15,235	31.7
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999.....	12,294	25.6
Utility gas.....	83,367	43.6	\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	8,653	18.0
Bottled, tank, or LP gas.....	42,984	22.5	\$1,500 or more.....	1,796	3.7
Electricity.....	38,024	19.9	No cash rent.....	2,082	4.3
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.....	2,024	1.1	Median (dollars) [CALCULATED].....	\$746	(X)
Coal or coke.....	23	0.0			
Wood.....	22,634	11.8	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy.....	156	0.1	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel.....	1,731	0.9	Less than 15.0 percent.....	7,358	15.3
No fuel used.....	275	0.1	15.0 to 19.9 percent.....	6,303	13.1
			20.0 to 24.9 percent.....	6,530	13.6
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent.....	5,759	12.0
Lacking complete plumbing facilities.....	922	0.5	30.0 to 34.9 percent.....	4,190	8.7
Lacking complete kitchen facilities.....	1,092	0.6	35.0 percent or more.....	15,212	31.6
No telephone service.....	1,484	0.8	Not computed.....	2,726	5.7

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