

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

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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: Kern-Inyo-Mono Counties**

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total population.....</b>	<b>692,443</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE</b>		
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>			<b>Total population.....</b>	<b>692,443</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male.....	355,202	51.3	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	258,567	37.3
Female.....	337,241	48.7	Mexican.....	214,665	31.0
Under 5 years.....	57,395	8.3	Puerto Rican.....	2,901	0.4
5 to 9 years.....	63,679	9.2	Cuban.....	487	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	61,801	8.9	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	40,514	5.9
15 to 19 years.....	57,285	8.3	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	433,876	62.7
20 to 24 years.....	48,482	7.0	White alone.....	350,379	50.6
25 to 34 years.....	96,676	14.0	<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>		
35 to 44 years.....	108,756	15.7	<b>Total population.....</b>	<b>692,443</b>	<b>100.0</b>
45 to 54 years.....	81,532	11.8	In households.....	661,958	95.6
55 to 59 years.....	28,018	4.0	Householder.....	221,492	32.0
60 to 64 years.....	22,360	3.2	Spouse.....	120,457	17.4
65 to 74 years.....	36,745	5.3	Child.....	236,696	34.2
75 to 84 years.....	22,782	3.3	Own child under 18 years.....	191,816	27.7
85 years and over.....	6,932	1.0	Other relatives.....	48,886	7.1
Median age (years) [CALCULATED].....	31.0	(X)	Under 18 years.....	21,213	3.1
18 years and over.....	473,735	68.4	Nonrelatives.....	34,427	5.0
Male.....	243,002	35.1	Unmarried partner.....	13,872	2.0
Female.....	230,733	33.3	In group quarters.....	30,485	4.4
21 years and over.....	442,133	63.9	Institutionalized population.....	26,455	3.8
62 years and over.....	79,348	11.5	Noninstitutionalized population.....	4,030	0.6
65 years and over.....	66,459	9.6	<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>		
Male.....	28,929	4.2	<b>Total households.....</b>	<b>221,492</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Female.....	37,530	5.4	Family households (families).....	164,483	74.3
<b>RACE</b>			With own children under 18 years.....	91,753	41.4
One race.....	663,993	95.9	Married-couple family.....	120,457	54.4
White.....	432,766	62.5	With own children under 18 years.....	63,271	28.6
Black or African American.....	39,888	5.8	Female householder, no husband present .....	31,358	14.2
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	12,110	1.7	With own children under 18 years.....	20,905	9.4
Asian.....	22,574	3.3	Nonfamily households.....	57,009	25.7
Asian Indian.....	4,370	0.6	Householder living alone.....	46,161	20.8
Chinese.....	1,938	0.3	Householder 65 years and over.....	17,507	7.9
Filipino.....	10,705	1.5	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	101,649	45.9
Japanese.....	1,057	0.2	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	48,128	21.7
Korean.....	1,529	0.2	Average household size.....	N/A	(X)
Vietnamese.....	807	0.1	Average family size.....	N/A	(X)
Other Asian <sup>1</sup> .....	2,168	0.3	<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	998	0.1	<b>Total housing units.....</b>	<b>252,363</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Native Hawaiian.....	270	0.0	Occupied housing units.....	221,492	87.8
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	296	0.0	Vacant housing units.....	30,871	12.2
Samoan.....	225	0.0	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	12,067	4.8
Other Pacific Islander <sup>2</sup> .....	207	0.0	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	N/A	(X)
Some other race.....	155,657	22.5	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	N/A	(X)
Two or more races.....	28,450	4.1	<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>		
<b>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: <sup>3</sup></b>			<b>Occupied housing units.....</b>	<b>221,492</b>	<b>100.0</b>
White.....	456,856	66.0	Owner-occupied housing units.....	137,769	62.2
Black or African American.....	43,895	6.3	Renter-occupied housing units.....	83,723	37.8
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	19,962	2.9	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	N/A	(X)
Asian.....	27,941	4.0	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	N/A	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1,953	0.3			
Some other race.....	171,844	24.8			

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<sup>1</sup> Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

<sup>2</sup> Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

<sup>3</sup> 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: Kern-Inyo-Mono 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
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>			<b>NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH</b>		
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school.....	<b>213,203</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Total population.....	<b>692,443</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Nursery school, preschool.....	10,529	4.9	Native.....	577,534	83.4
Kindergarten.....	12,341	5.8	Born in United States.....	565,710	81.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	102,510	48.1	State of residence.....	415,445	60.0
High school (grades 9-12).....	52,115	24.4	Different state.....	150,265	21.7
College or graduate school.....	35,708	16.7	Born outside United States.....	11,824	1.7
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>			Foreign born.....	114,909	16.6
Population 25 years and over.....	<b>404,907</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Entered 1990 to March 2000.....	43,043	6.2
Less than 9th grade.....	58,671	14.5	Naturalized citizen.....	34,508	5.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	65,576	16.2	Not a citizen.....	80,401	11.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	103,070	25.5	<b>REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>		
Some college, no degree.....	94,781	23.4	Total (excluding born at sea).....	<b>114,909</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Associate degree.....	26,278	6.5	Europe.....	4,145	3.6
Bachelor's degree.....	37,706	9.3	Asia.....	15,903	13.8
Graduate or professional degree.....	18,825	4.6	Africa.....	849	0.7
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	69.3	(X)	Oceania.....	346	0.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	14.0	(X)	Latin America.....	91,805	79.9
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>			Northern America.....	1,861	1.6
Population 15 years and over.....	<b>509,662</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>		
Never married.....	126,943	24.9	Population 5 years and over.....	<b>635,692</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Now married, except separated.....	288,936	56.7	English only.....	429,192	67.5
Separated.....	13,698	2.7	Language other than English.....	206,500	32.5
Widowed.....	31,203	6.1	Speak English less than "very well".....	103,099	16.2
Female.....	22,687	4.5	Spanish.....	179,207	28.2
Divorced.....	48,882	9.6	Speak English less than "very well".....	91,455	14.4
Female.....	27,672	5.4	Other Indo-European languages.....	8,866	1.4
<b>GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS</b>			Speak English less than "very well".....	3,039	0.5
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years.....	<b>18,969</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Asian and Pacific Island languages.....	15,696	2.5
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	8,456	44.6	Speak English less than "very well".....	7,574	1.2
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>			<b>ANCESTRY (single or multiple)</b>		
Civilian population 18 years and over.....	<b>470,762</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Total population.....	<b>692,443</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Civilian veterans.....	57,918	12.3	Total ancestries reported.....	654,090	94.5
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>			Arab.....	2,081	0.3
Population 5 to 20 years.....	<b>189,835</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Czech <sup>1</sup> .....	1,396	0.2
With a disability.....	16,325	8.6	Danish.....	3,460	0.5
Population 21 to 64 years.....	<b>351,092</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Dutch.....	9,316	1.3
With a disability.....	88,293	25.1	English.....	49,692	7.2
Percent employed.....	N/A	(X)	French (except Basque) <sup>1</sup> .....	14,316	2.1
No disability.....	262,799	74.9	French Canadian <sup>1</sup> .....	2,649	0.4
Percent employed.....	N/A	(X)	German.....	68,702	9.9
Population 65 years and over.....	<b>64,541</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Greek.....	1,437	0.2
With a disability.....	29,859	46.3	Hungarian.....	932	0.1
<b>RESIDENCE IN 1995</b>			Irish <sup>1</sup> .....	52,300	7.6
Population 5 years and over.....	<b>635,692</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Italian.....	17,259	2.5
Same house in 1995.....	300,442	47.3	Lithuanian.....	363	0.1
Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	312,833	49.2	Norwegian.....	6,768	1.0
Same county.....	219,135	34.5	Polish.....	5,152	0.7
Different county.....	93,698	14.7	Portuguese.....	2,561	0.4
Same state.....	68,764	10.8	Russian.....	1,992	0.3
Different state.....	24,934	3.9	Scotch-Irish.....	7,762	1.1
Elsewhere in 1995.....	22,417	3.5	Scottish.....	9,846	1.4
			Slovak.....	204	0.0
			Subsaharan African.....	2,238	0.3
			Swedish.....	7,339	1.1
			Swiss.....	1,451	0.2
			Ukrainian.....	431	0.1
			United States or American.....	38,670	5.6
			Welsh.....	3,639	0.5
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups).....	495	0.1
			Other ancestries.....	341,639	49.3

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<sup>1</sup> 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: Kern-Inyo-Mono 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
<b>Total housing units.....</b>	<b>252,363</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>		
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>			<b>Occupied housing units.....</b>	<b>221,492</b>	<b>100.0</b>
1-unit, detached.....	166,403	65.9	1.00 or less.....	189,394	85.5
1-unit, attached.....	9,768	3.9	1.01 to 1.50.....	15,366	6.9
2 units.....	7,586	3.0	1.51 or more.....	16,732	7.6
3 or 4 units.....	15,118	6.0			
5 to 9 units.....	8,227	3.3	<b>Specified owner-occupied units.....</b>	<b>114,542</b>	<b>100.0</b>
10 to 19 units.....	4,643	1.8	<b>VALUE</b>		
20 or more units.....	14,110	5.6	Less than \$50,000.....	7,269	6.3
Mobile home.....	25,740	10.2	\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	56,291	49.1
Boat, RV, van, etc.....	768	0.3	\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	29,762	26.0
			\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	11,333	9.9
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>			\$200,000 to \$299,999.....	6,562	5.7
1999 to March 2000.....	5,174	2.1	\$300,000 to \$499,999.....	2,714	2.4
1995 to 1998.....	17,008	6.7	\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	519	0.5
1990 to 1994.....	24,936	9.9	\$1,000,000 or more.....	92	0.1
1980 to 1989.....	51,839	20.5	Median (dollars) [CALCULATED].....	\$94,414	(X)
1970 to 1979.....	52,699	20.9			
1960 to 1969.....	35,618	14.1	<b>MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED</b>		
1940 to 1959.....	51,553	20.4	<b>MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
1939 or earlier.....	13,536	5.4	With a mortgage.....	88,174	77.0
			Less than \$300.....	512	0.4
<b>ROOMS</b>			\$300 to \$499.....	4,203	3.7
1 room.....	6,599	2.6	\$500 to \$699.....	11,404	10.0
2 rooms.....	16,630	6.6	\$700 to \$999.....	28,682	25.0
3 rooms.....	31,334	12.4	\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	29,014	25.3
4 rooms.....	45,282	17.9	\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	9,795	8.6
5 rooms.....	60,932	24.1	\$2,000 or more.....	4,564	4.0
6 rooms.....	48,873	19.4	Median (dollars) [CALCULATED].....	\$993	(X)
7 rooms.....	24,195	9.6	Not mortgaged.....	26,368	23.0
8 rooms.....	11,818	4.7	Median (dollars).....	N/A	(X)
9 or more rooms.....	6,700	2.7			
Median (rooms) [CALCULATED].....	4.4	(X)	<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
			<b>AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units.....</b>	<b>221,492</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>INCOME IN 1999</b>		
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>			Less than 15.0 percent.....	34,999	30.6
1999 to March 2000.....	52,693	23.8	15.0 to 19.9 percent.....	19,142	16.7
1995 to 1998.....	67,019	30.3	20.0 to 24.9 percent.....	15,874	13.9
1990 to 1994.....	37,887	17.1	25.0 to 29.9 percent.....	12,239	10.7
1980 to 1989.....	33,103	14.9	30.0 to 34.9 percent.....	8,031	7.0
1970 to 1979.....	17,322	7.8	35.0 percent or more.....	23,078	20.1
1969 or earlier.....	13,468	6.1	Not computed.....	1,179	1.0
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>			<b>Specified renter-occupied units.....</b>	<b>83,020</b>	<b>100.0</b>
None.....	22,645	10.2	<b>GROSS RENT</b>		
1.....	75,128	33.9	Less than \$200.....	2,073	2.5
2.....	84,141	38.0	\$200 to \$299.....	4,382	5.3
3 or more.....	39,578	17.9	\$300 to \$499.....	29,073	35.0
			\$500 to \$749.....	28,695	34.6
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>			\$750 to \$999.....	9,947	12.0
Utility gas.....	152,754	69.0	\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	3,023	3.6
Bottled, tank, or LP gas.....	18,729	8.5	\$1,500 or more.....	634	0.8
Electricity.....	40,132	18.1	No cash rent.....	5,193	6.3
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.....	491	0.2	Median (dollars) [CALCULATED].....	\$529	(X)
Coal or coke.....	55	0.0			
Wood.....	7,303	3.3	<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF</b>		
Solar energy.....	143	0.1	<b>HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999</b>		
Other fuel.....	928	0.4	Less than 15.0 percent.....	13,034	15.7
No fuel used.....	957	0.4	15.0 to 19.9 percent.....	11,020	13.3
			20.0 to 24.9 percent.....	9,694	11.7
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>			25.0 to 29.9 percent.....	7,516	9.1
Lacking complete plumbing facilities.....	1,603	0.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent.....	6,098	7.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities.....	1,995	0.9	35.0 percent or more.....	28,649	34.5
No telephone service.....	5,998	2.7	Not computed.....	7,009	8.4

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