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Profile of General Demographic Characteristics - 2000

County: Beaver

1. TOTAL POPULATION	4. POPULATION FOR SPECIAL AGE GROUPS			5. POPULATION BY AGE RANGE (IN YEARS)		
181,412	<u>Age Group</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	<u>Age Range</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
	Total 18+	140,350	77.4%	Under 5	9,860	5.4%
2. POPULATION BY GENDER	Males 18+	65,762	36.3%	5 to 9	11,596	6.4%
<u>Gender</u>	<u>Number</u>		<u>% of Total</u>	10 to 14	12,311	6.8%
Males	86,860		47.9%	15 to 19	11,888	6.6%
Females	94,552		52.1%	20 to 24	8,921	4.9%
3. MEDIAN AGE (IN YEARS)	Total 21+	133,765	73.7%	25 to 34	20,098	11.1%
40.7	Total 62+	38,540	21.2%	35 to 44	29,419	16.2%
	Total 65+	33,424	18.4%	45 to 54	25,905	14.3%
	Males 65+	13,669	7.5%	55 to 59	9,481	5.2%
	Females 65+	19,755	10.9%	60 to 64	8,509	4.7%
				65 to 74	17,422	9.6%
6. POPULATION: ONE RACE ONLY				75 to 84	12,503	6.9%
<u>Race</u>	<u>Number</u>		<u>% of Total</u>	Over 84	3,499	1.9%
One race only total	179,735		99.1%	7. POPULATION: TWO OR MORE RACES		
White	167,890		92.5%	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	
Black or African American	10,811		6.0%	1,677	0.9%	
American Indian & Alaska Native	190		0.1%	8. POPULATION: RACE ALONE OR IN COMBINATION WITH ONE OR MORE OTHER RACES		
Asian	458		0.3%	<u>Race</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Asian Indian	72		0.0%	White	169,386	93.4%
Chinese	103		0.1%	Black or African American	11,762	6.5%
Filipino	81		0.0%	American Indian & Alaska Native	745	0.4%
Japanese	40		0.0%	Asian	632	0.3%
Korean	82		0.0%	Native Hawaiian/Othr Pacif Islndr	61	0.0%
Vietnamese	38		0.0%	Some other race	625	0.3%
Other Asian (other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories)	42		0.0%	NOTE: the numbers may add to more than the total population & the percentages may add to more than 100% because individuals may report more than one race		
Native Hawaiian & Other Pacific Islander	24		0.0%			
Native Hawaiian	7		0.0%			
Guamanian or Chamorro	6		0.0%			
Samoan	1		0.0%			
Other Pacific Islander (other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian & Other Pacific Islander categories)	10		0.0%			
Some other race	362		0.2%			
9. POPULATION: HISPANIC OR LATINO				11. POPULATION: BY RELATIONSHIP		
	<u>Number</u>		<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1,315		0.7%	In households	177,005	97.6%
Mexican	581		0.3%	Householder	72,576	40.0%
Puerto Rican	239		0.1%	Spouse	39,581	21.8%
Cuban	62		0.0%	Child	52,333	28.8%
Other Hispanic or Latino	433		0.2%	Own child under 18 years old	37,683	20.8%
				Other relatives	7,095	3.9%
10. POPULATION: NOT HISPANIC OR LATINO				Under 18 years old	2,658	1.5%
	<u>Number</u>		<u>% of Total</u>	Nonrelatives	5,420	3.0%
Total not Hispanic or Latino	180,097		99.3%	Unmarried partner	3,021	1.7%
White alone	167,018		92.1%	In group quarters	4,407	2.4%
				Institutionalized population	2,139	1.2%
				Noninstitutionalized population	2,268	1.3%

Source: Census 2000 Table DP-1 from U.S. Census Bureau, containing 100% data

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19. SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			20. EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Population 3 years+ enrolled in school	41,572	100.0%	Population 25 years & over	126,933	100.0%
Nursery school, preschool	2,982	7.2%	Less than 9th grade	6,358	5.0%
Kindergarten	2,288	5.5%	9th to 12th grade, no diploma	14,465	11.4%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	19,496	46.9%	High school graduate	53,822	42.4%
High school (grades 9-12)	9,852	23.7%	(includes equivalency)		
College or graduate school	6,954	16.7%	Some college, no degree	21,990	17.3%
21. MARITAL STATUS			Associate degree	10,247	8.1%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	Bachelor's degree	14,059	11.1%
Population 15 years & over	147,535	100.0%	Graduate or professional degree	5,992	4.7%
Never married	33,998	23.0%	Percent high school graduate or higher	83.6	
Now married, except separated	85,067	57.7%	Percent bachelor's degree or higher	15.8	
Separated	3,022	2.0%	22. GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS		
Widowed	13,293	9.0%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Female	10,802	7.3%	Grandparent living in household		
Divorced	12,155	8.2%	with one or more own		
Female	7,059	4.8%	grandchildren under 18 years	3,004	100.0%
23. VETERAN STATUS			Grandparent responsible		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	for grandchildren	1,202	40.0%
Civilian population 18 years & over	140,286	100.0%	24. DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN		
Civilian veterans	22,655	16.1%	NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION		
25. RESIDENCE IN 1995				<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	Population 5 to 20 years	37,535	100.0%
Population 5 years & over	171,594	100.0%	With a disability	2,671	7.1%
Same house in 1995	117,468	68.5%	Population 21 to 64 years	99,859	100.0%
Different house in U.S. in 1995	53,361	31.1%	With a disability	16,539	16.6%
Same county	36,424	21.2%	Percent employed	52.2	
Different county	16,937	9.9%	No disability	83,320	83.4%
Same state	10,621	6.2%	Percent employed	78.3	
Different state	6,316	3.7%	Population 65 years & over	32,028	100.0%
Elsewhere in 1995	765	0.4%	With a disability	12,202	38.1%
26. NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH			27. REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total population	181,412	100.0%	Total (excluding born at sea)	2,997	100.0%
Native	178,415	98.3%	Europe	2,020	67.4%
Born in United States	177,597	97.9%	Asia	427	14.2%
State of residence	152,536	84.1%	Africa	70	2.3%
Different state	25,061	13.8%	Oceania	0	0.0%
Born outside United States	818	0.5%	Latin America	278	9.3%
Foreign born	2,997	1.7%	Northern America	202	6.7%
Entered 1990 to March 200	531	0.3%			
Naturalized citizen	2,205	1.2%			
Not a citizen	792	0.4%			

Source: Census 2000 Table DP-2 from U.S. Census Bureau, containing sample data

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28. LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME

	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Population 5 years & over	171,594	100.0%			
English only	164,183	95.7%	Language other than English (cont.)		
Language other than English	7,411	4.3%	Other Indo-European languages	4,979	2.9%
Speak English less than "very well"	2,003	1.2%	Speak English less than "very well"	1,284	0.7%
Spanish	1,860	1.1%	Asian & Pacific Island languages	260	0.2%
Speak English less than "very well"	496	0.3%	Speak English less than "very well"	140	0.1%

29. ANCESTRY (single or multiple)

	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total population	181,412	100.0%	Norwegian	421	0.2%
Total ancestries reported	215,060	118.5%	Polish	13,298	7.3%
Arab	1,117	0.6%	Portuguese	236	0.1%
Czech (including Czechoslovakian	1,869	1.0%	Russian	1,541	0.8%
Danish	186	0.1%	Scotch-Irish	6,874	3.8%
Dutch	2,823	1.6%	Scottish	2,992	1.6%
English	16,592	9.1%	Slovak	6,060	3.3%
French (except Basque)			Subsaharan African	278	0.2%
(including Alsatian)	3,008	1.7%	Swedish	1,251	0.7%
French Canadian			Swiss	501	0.3%
(including Acadian/Cajun)	448	0.2%	Ukrainian	3,063	1.7%
German	50,326	27.7%	United States or American	8,548	4.7%
Greek	1,697	0.9%	Welsh	2,438	1.3%
Hungarian	2,515	1.4%	West Indian		
Irish (including Celtic)	29,025	16.0%	(excluding Hispanic groups)	44	0.0%
Italian	30,216	16.7%	Other ancestries	27,296	15.0%
Lithuanian	397	0.2%			

Comparison of selected data items for different areas

<u>Data Item</u>	<u>This County</u>	<u>SPC 10-cnty Region</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>	<u>United States</u>
% of population aged 25 & over who are high school graduates or higher	83.6%	84.5%	81.9%	80.4%
% of population aged 5 & over who resided in same house in 1995	68.5%	66.5%	63.5%	54.1%
% of population aged 5 & over who resided in different house in same county in 1995	21.2%	21.9%	21.7%	24.9%
% of civilian noninstitutionalized population aged 5 & over with a disability	18.5%	18.6%	18.6%	19.3%



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30. EMPLOYMENT STATUS			31. COMMUTING TO WORK		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Population 16 years & over	145,097	100.0%	Workers 16 years & over	81,203	100.0%
In labor force	87,264	60.1%	Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	67,877	83.6%
Civilian labor force	87,160	60.1%	Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	7,867	9.7%
Employed	82,493	56.9%	Public transportation	976	1.2%
Unemployed	4,667	3.2%	(including taxicab)		
Percent of civilian labor force	5.4		Walked	2,375	2.9%
Armed Forces	104	0.1%	Other means	568	0.7%
Not in labor force	57,833	39.9%	Worked at home	1,540	1.9%
Females 16 years & over	76,972	100.0%	Average travel time to work	24.5 minutes	
In labor force	40,862	53.1%	32. OCCUPATION		
Civilian labor force	40,852	53.1%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Employed	38,772	50.4%	Employed civilian population	82,493	100.0%
Own children under 6 years	11,619	100.0%	16 years & over		
All parents in family in labor force	7,164	61.7%	Management, professional, & related occupations	21,625	26.2%
33. INDUSTRY			Service occupations	14,147	17.1%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	Sales & office occupations	23,009	27.9%
Employed civilian population	82,493	100.0%	Farming, fishing, & forestry occupations	171	0.2%
16 years & over			Construction, extraction, & maintenance occupations	8,599	10.4%
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, & mining	400	0.5%	Production, transportation, & material moving occupations	14,942	18.1%
Construction	5,212	6.3%	34. CLASS OF WORKER		
Manufacturing	12,566	15.2%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Wholesale trade	2,452	3.0%	Employed civilian population	82,493	100.0%
Retail trade	10,930	13.2%	16 years & over		
Transportation and warehousing & utilities	9,516	11.5%	Private wage & salary workers	70,576	85.6%
Information	1,287	1.6%	Government workers	7,426	9.0%
Finance, insurance, real estate, & rental and leasing	4,212	5.1%	Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	4,343	5.3%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, & waste management services	5,848	7.1%	Unpaid family workers	148	0.2%
Educational, health & social services	17,093	20.7%	35. HOUSEHOLDS BY 1999 INCOME RANGE		
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accomodation & food services	6,542	7.9%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Other services (except public administration)	4,133	5.0%	Households	72,664	100.0%
Public administration	2,302	2.8%	Less than \$10,000	6,840	9.4%
36. AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999 BY TYPE			\$10,000 to \$14,999	5,855	8.1%
			\$15,000 to \$24,999	11,065	15.2%
Average earnings		\$47,109	\$25,000 to \$34,999	10,542	14.5%
Average Social Security income		\$12,195	\$35,000 to \$49,999	12,914	17.8%
Average Supplemental Security income		\$6,757	\$50,000 to \$74,999	14,665	20.2%
Average public assistance income		\$2,726	\$75,000 to \$99,999	6,317	8.7%
Average retirement income		\$11,783	\$100,000 to \$149,999	3,435	4.7%
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	508	0.7%
			\$200,000 or more	523	0.7%

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37. HOUSEHOLDS BY 1999 INCOME TYPE			38. FAMILIES BY 1999 INCOME RANGE		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Households	72,664	100.0%	Families	50,800	100.0%
With earnings	53,092	73.1%	Less than \$10,000	2,538	5.0%
With Social Security income	25,692	35.4%	\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,879	3.7%
With Supplemental Security income	3,033	4.2%	\$15,000 to \$24,999	5,863	11.5%
With public assistance income	2,131	2.9%	\$25,000 to \$34,999	7,587	14.9%
With retirement income	17,872	24.6%	\$35,000 to \$49,999	10,317	20.3%
			\$50,000 to \$74,999	12,849	25.3%
			\$75,000 to \$99,999	5,721	11.3%
			\$100,000 to \$149,999	3,160	6.2%
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	450	0.9%
			\$200,000 or more	436	0.9%

39. MISCELLANEOUS 1999 INCOME DATA	
Median household income	\$36,995
Median family income	\$45,495
Per capita income	\$18,402
Median earnings of full-time, year-round workers by sex:	
Male	\$35,992
Female	\$24,219

40. POVERTY STATUS IN 1999					
	<u>Number & percent below poverty level</u>			<u>Number & percent below poverty level</u>	
Families	3,640	7.2%	Individuals	16,635	9.4%
With related children under 18 years	2,770	12.1%	18 years & over	11,150	8.1%
With related children under 5 years	1,317	16.3%	65 years & over	2,323	7.3%
Families with female householder, no husband present	1,947	24.9%	Related children under 18 years	5,325	13.2%
With related children under 18 years	1,740	36.3%	Related children 5-17 years	3,761	12.3%
With related children under 5 years	829	54.1%	Unrelated individuals 15 years & over	5,526	19.9%

Comparison of selected data items for different areas

<u>Data Item</u>	<u>This County</u>	<u>SPC 10-cnty Region</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>	<u>United States</u>
% of civilian labor force that is unemployed	5.4%	5.9%	5.7%	5.8%
% of employed civilian population 16 years & over employed in manufacturing	15.2%	12.6%	16.0%	14.1%
% of workers 16 years & over whose means of commutation to work was "drove alone"	83.6%	77.8%	76.5%	75.7%
Average travel time to work in minutes	24.5	25.2	25.2	25.5
Median household income in 1999	\$36,995	\$37,148	\$40,106	\$41,994
% of families with related children under 18 years that are below the poverty level	12.1%	13.0%	12.1%	13.6%



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41. HOUSING UNITS IN STRUCTURE			42. YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total housing units	77,765	100.0%	Total housing units	77,765	100.0%
1 unit, detached	56,933	73.2%	1999 to March 2000	627	0.8%
1 unit, attached	2,600	3.3%	1995 to 1998	2,262	2.9%
2 units	3,544	4.6%	1990 to 1994	2,956	3.8%
3 or 4 units	3,676	4.7%	1980 to 1989	4,868	6.3%
5 to 9 units	2,758	3.5%	1970 to 1979	10,376	13.3%
10 to 19 units	1,293	1.7%	1960 to 1969	9,104	11.7%
20 or more units	2,550	3.3%	1940 to 1959	25,440	32.7%
Mobile home	4,382	5.6%	1939 or earlier	22,132	28.5%
Boat, RV, van, etc.	29	0.0%			
43. ROOMS			44. YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Total housing units	77,765	100.0%	Occupied housing units	72,576	100.0%
1 room	360	0.5%	1999 to March 2000	8,081	11.1%
2 rooms	991	1.3%	1995 to 1998	15,442	21.3%
3 rooms	4,840	6.2%	1990 to 1994	11,166	15.4%
4 rooms	11,958	15.4%	1980 to 1989	11,142	15.4%
5 rooms	18,686	24.0%	1970 to 1979	9,834	13.5%
6 rooms	19,574	25.2%	1969 or earlier	16,911	23.3%
7 rooms	10,550	13.6%			
8 rooms	6,629	8.5%	46. VEHICLES AVAILABLE		
9 or more rooms	4,177	5.4%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Median (rooms)	5.6		Occupied housing units	72,576	100.0%
45. HOUSE HEATING FUEL			None	6,835	9.4%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	1	25,508	35.1%
Occupied housing units	72,576	100.0%	2	28,558	39.3%
Utility gas	52,283	72.0%	3 or more	11,675	16.1%
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	2,125	2.9%	47. SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS		
Electricity	6,076	8.4%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	10,957	15.1%	Occupied housing units	72,576	100.0%
Coal or coke	83	0.1%	Lacking complete plumbing facilities	271	0.4%
Wood	625	0.9%	Lacking complete kitchen facilities	250	0.3%
Solar energy	6	0.0%	No telephone service	896	1.2%
Other fuel	329	0.5%	49. OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
No fuel used	92	0.1%		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
48. VALUE			Occupied housing units	72,576	100.0%
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>	1.00 or less	71,787	98.9%
Specified owner-occupied units	46,498	100.0%	1.01 to 1.50	609	0.8%
Less than \$50,000	8,420	18.1%	1.51 or more	180	0.2%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	22,007	47.3%	50. SELECTED MEDIANS (DOLLARS)		
\$100,000 to \$149,999	10,451	22.5%	Value of specified owner-occupied units	\$85,000	
\$150,000 to \$199,999	3,694	7.9%	Gross rent of specified renter-occupied units	\$438	
\$200,000 to \$299,999	1,579	3.4%	Monthly owner cost of mortgaged unit	\$898	
\$300,000 to \$499,999	262	0.6%	Monthly owner cost of not-mortgaged unit	\$328	
\$500,000 to \$999,999	65	0.1%			
\$1,000,000 or more	20	0.0%			

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51. MORTGAGE STATUS & SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS			52. SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Specified owner-occupied units	46,498	100.0%	Specified owner-occupied units	46,498	100.0%
With a mortgage	26,420	56.8%	Less than 15 percent	18,104	38.9%
Less than \$300	95	0.2%	15 to 19 percent	8,660	18.6%
\$300 to \$499	1,758	3.8%	20 to 24 percent	6,331	13.6%
\$500 to \$699	5,231	11.2%	25 to 29 percent	4,081	8.8%
\$700 to \$999	9,206	19.8%	30 to 34 percent	2,245	4.8%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	7,260	15.6%	35 percent or more	6,718	14.4%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,935	4.2%	Not computed	359	0.8%
\$2,000 or more	935	2.0%			
Not mortgaged	20,078	43.2%			

53. GROSS RENT			54. GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
	<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>		<u>Number</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Specified renter-occupied units	17,979	100.0%	Specified renter-occupied units	17,979	100.0%
Less than \$200	1,486	8.3%	Less than 15 percent	4,516	25.1%
\$200 to \$299	2,441	13.6%	15 to 19 percent	2,440	13.6%
\$300 to \$499	6,506	36.2%	20 to 24 percent	2,000	11.1%
\$500 to \$749	4,887	27.2%	25 to 29 percent	1,746	9.7%
\$750 to \$999	1,238	6.9%	30 to 34 percent	1,437	8.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	142	0.8%	35 percent or more	4,314	24.0%
\$1,500 or more	22	0.1%	Not computed	1,526	8.5%
No cash rent	1,257	7.0%			

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<u>Data Item</u>	<u>This County</u>	<u>SPC 10-cnty Region</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>	<u>United States</u>
% of total housing units that are single-family units <small>(single-family units include: 1 unit, detached; 1 unit, attached; mobile home; boat, RV, van, etc.)</small>	82.2%	78.5%	78.8%	73.6%
% of total housing units that were built before 1970	72.9%	71.3%	65.9%	48.7%
% of occupied housing units with no vehicles available	9.4%	12.5%	12.8%	10.3%
Median value of specified owner-occupied units	\$85,000	\$84,566	\$97,000	\$119,600
Median gross rent of specified renter-occupied units	\$438	\$489	\$531	\$602
% of owner-occupied units where the selected monthly owner costs is 25% or more of household income in 1999	28.3%	28.1%	30.2%	31.5%
% of renter-occupied units where the gross rent is 25% or more of household income in 1999	45.6%	50.2%	50.0%	51.1%