

Table FBP-1. Profile of Selected Demographic and Social Characteristics: 2000Population Universe: People Born in Liberia¹

Geographic Area: UNITED STATES

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population.....	39 030	100.0	SEX AND AGE		
U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND PERIOD OF U.S. ENTRY			Total population.....	39 030	100.0
Naturalized U.S. citizen.....	10 785	27.6	Male.....	18 290	46.9
Entered 1990 to 2000.....	2 650	6.8	Female.....	20 740	53.1
Entered 1980 to 1989.....	4 590	11.8			
Entered before 1980.....	3 540	9.1	Under 5 years.....	585	1.5
Not a U.S. citizen.....	28 245	72.4	5 to 9 years.....	1 225	3.1
Entered 1990 to 2000.....	20 770	53.2	10 to 14 years.....	2 580	6.6
Entered 1980 to 1989.....	5 760	14.8	15 to 19 years.....	3 450	8.8
Entered before 1980.....	1 715	4.4	20 to 24 years.....	4 010	10.3
			25 to 34 years.....	7 075	18.1
RACE			35 to 44 years.....	9 815	25.1
One race.....	36 885	94.5	45 to 54 years.....	6 225	15.9
White.....	595	1.5	55 to 59 years.....	1 245	3.2
Black or African American.....	36 070	92.4	60 to 64 years.....	1 075	2.8
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	15	-	65 to 74 years.....	1 195	3.1
Asian.....	145	0.4	75 to 84 years.....	410	1.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-	-	85 years and over.....	135	0.3
Some other race.....	60	0.2			
Two or more races.....	2 145	5.5	Median age (years).....	35.6	(X)
HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN			18 years and over.....	32 615	83.6
Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	105	0.3	Male.....	15 380	39.4
Not Hispanic or Latino.....	38 925	99.7	Female.....	17 235	44.2
White alone.....	585	1.5	21 years and over.....	30 165	77.3
			62 years and over.....	2 430	6.2
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME			65 years and over.....	1 740	4.5
Population 5 years and over.....	38 445	100.0	Male.....	475	1.2
English only.....	25 250	65.7	Female.....	1 270	3.3
Language other than English.....	13 190	34.3			
Speak English less than "very well".....	3 635	9.5	MARITAL STATUS		
Spanish.....	205	0.5	Population 15 years and over.....	34 640	100.0
Speak English less than "very well".....	80	0.2	Never married.....	12 450	35.9
Other Indo-European languages.....	2 570	6.7	Now married, excluding separated.....	15 110	43.6
Speak English less than "very well".....	690	1.8	Separated.....	2 120	6.1
Asian and Pacific Island languages.....	285	0.7	Widowed.....	1 880	5.4
Speak English less than "very well".....	65	0.2	Female.....	1 745	5.0
			Divorced.....	3 080	8.9
RELATIONSHIP			Female.....	1 870	5.4
Total population.....	39 030	100.0			
In households.....	38 310	98.2	GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS		
Householder.....	16 140	41.4	Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years.....	2 225	100.0
Spouse.....	5 900	15.1	Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	865	38.9
Child.....	8 280	21.2			
Own child under 18 years.....	5 040	12.9	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT		
Other relatives.....	5 480	14.0	Population 3 years and over enrolled in school.....	13 000	100.0
Under 18 years.....	1 180	3.0	Nursery school, preschool.....	190	1.5
Nonrelatives.....	2 510	6.4	Kindergarten.....	195	1.5
Unmarried partner.....	980	2.5	Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	3 220	24.8
In group quarters.....	720	1.8	High school (grades 9-12).....	3 245	25.0
Institutionalized population.....	120	0.3	College or graduate school.....	6 150	47.3
Noninstitutionalized population.....	610	1.6			
			EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE			Population 25 years and over.....	27 175	100.0
Total households².....	16 145	100.0	Less than 9th grade.....	1 585	5.8
Family households (families).....	11 925	73.9	9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	1 960	7.2
With own children under 18 years.....	8 200	50.8	High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	5 840	21.5
Married-couple family.....	6 480	40.1	Some college, no degree.....	6 475	23.8
With own children under 18 years.....	4 615	28.6	Associate degree.....	2 870	10.6
Female householder, no husband present.....	3 810	23.6	Bachelor's degree.....	5 635	20.7
With own children under 18 years.....	2 720	16.8	Graduate or professional degree.....	2 815	10.4
Nonfamily households.....	4 220	26.1			
Householder living alone.....	3 420	21.2	Percent high school graduate or higher.....	(X)	87.0
Householder 65 years and over.....	240	1.5	Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	(X)	31.1
			VETERAN STATUS		
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Civilian population 18 years and over.....	32 340	100.0
Population 5 years and over.....	38 445	100.0	Civilian veterans.....	720	2.2
Same house in 1995.....	11 430	29.7			
Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	15 860	41.3			
Same county.....	8 630	22.4			
Different county.....	7 230	18.8			
Same state.....	3 125	8.1			
Different state.....	4 100	10.7			
Elsewhere in 1995.....	11 155	29.0			

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Table FBP-2. Profile of Selected Economic Characteristics: 2000

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
EMPLOYMENT STATUS			COMMUTING TO WORK		
Population 16 years and over.....	34 050	100.0	Workers 16 years and over.....	22 350	100.0
In labor force.....	25 275	74.2	Car, truck, or van - - drove alone.....	13 950	62.4
Civilian labor force.....	25 000	73.4	Car, truck, or van - - carpooled.....	3 425	15.3
Employed.....	23 000	67.5	Public transportation (including taxicab).....	3 645	16.3
Unemployed.....	2 000	5.9	Walked.....	800	3.6
Percent of civilian labor force.....	(X)	8.0	Other means.....	200	0.9
Armed Forces.....	270	0.8	Worked at home.....	330	1.5
Not in labor force.....	8 775	25.8	Mean travel time to work (minutes).....	31.7	(X)
Females 16 years and over.....			INCOME IN 1999		
In labor force.....	18 010	100.0	Households ²	16 145	100.0
Civilian labor force.....	12 555	69.7	Less than \$10,000.....	1 875	11.6
Employed.....	12 510	69.5	\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	840	5.2
Own children under 6 years.....	690	100.0	\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	2 235	13.8
All parents in family in labor force.....	450	65.2	\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	2 390	14.8
Employed civilian population			\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	3 090	19.1
16 years and over.....	23 000	100.0	\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	3 160	19.6
OCCUPATION			\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	1 390	8.6
Management, professional, and related occupations.....	6 935	30.2	\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	920	5.7
Service occupations.....	6 840	29.7	\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	170	1.1
Sales and office occupations.....	5 515	24.0	\$200,000 or more.....	65	0.4
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations.....	35	0.2	Median household income (dollars).....	38 341	(X)
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations.....	910	4.0	With earnings.....	14 995	92.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations.....	2 760	12.0	Mean earnings (dollars).....	45 817	(X)
INDUSTRY			With Social Security income.....	1 000	6.2
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining.....	25	0.1	Mean Social Security income (dollars).....	6 581	(X)
Construction.....	380	1.7	With Supplemental Security Income.....	585	3.6
Manufacturing.....	2 055	8.9	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars).....	5 772	(X)
Wholesale trade.....	570	2.5	With public assistance income.....	1 005	6.2
Retail trade.....	2 275	9.9	Mean public assistance income (dollars).....	3 212	(X)
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities.....	1 160	5.0	With retirement income.....	775	4.8
Information.....	565	2.5	Mean retirement income (dollars).....	10 202	(X)
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing.....	1 575	6.8	Families².....		
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services.....	2 220	9.7	Less than \$10,000.....	1 165	9.8
Educational, health and social services.....	8 410	36.6	\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	495	4.2
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services.....	1 380	6.0	\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	1 440	12.1
Other services (except public administration).....	1 205	5.2	\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	1 635	13.7
Public administration.....	1 185	5.2	\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	2 430	20.4
CLASS OF WORKER			\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	2 655	22.3
Private wage and salary workers.....	18 735	81.5	\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	1 085	9.1
Government workers.....	3 505	15.2	\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	800	6.7
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business.....	695	3.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	155	1.3
Unpaid family workers.....	65	0.3	\$200,000 or more.....	60	0.5
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Median family income (dollars).....	41 796	(X)
Population 5 to 20 years.....	8 210	100.0	Per capita income (dollars).....	18 500	(X)
With a disability.....	955	11.6	Median earnings (dollars):		
Population 21 to 64 years.....	28 135	100.0	Male full-time, year-round workers.....	30 672	(X)
With a disability.....	6 360	22.6	Female full-time, year-round workers.....	26 302	(X)
Percent employed.....	(X)	72.1	POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
No disability.....	21 775	77.4	Families ²	1 830	15.3
Percent employed.....	(X)	77.0	With related children under 18 years.....	1 460	16.4
Population 65 years and over.....	1 715	100.0	With related children under 5 years.....	740	18.0
With a disability.....	865	50.4	Families with female householder, no husband present².....		
			With related children under 18 years.....	985	31.8
			With related children under 5 years.....	460	37.6
			Individuals.....		
			18 years and over.....	6 440	16.8
			65 years and over.....	4 865	15.2
			Related children under 18 years.....	345	20.1
			Related children 5 to 17 years.....	1 530	24.6
			Unrelated individuals 15 years and over.....	1 395	24.7
				1 625	24.1

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units².....	15 740	100.0	Specified owner-occupied units.....	4 405	100.0
HOUSING TENURE			VALUE		
Owner-occupied housing units.....	5 220	33.2	Less than \$50,000.....	375	8.5
Renter-occupied housing units.....	10 520	66.8	\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	1 615	36.7
			\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	1 310	29.7
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	675	15.3
1-unit, detached.....	3 925	24.9	\$200,000 to \$299,999.....	330	7.5
1-unit, attached.....	2 070	13.2	\$300,000 to \$499,999.....	80	1.8
2 units.....	885	5.6	\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	15	0.3
3 or 4 units.....	1 400	8.9	\$1,000,000 or more.....	4	0.1
5 to 9 units.....	1 640	10.4	Median (dollars).....	108 700	(X)
10 to 19 units.....	1 890	12.0			
20 or more units.....	3 825	24.3	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
Mobile home.....	105	0.7	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
Boat, RV, van, etc.....	-	-	With a mortgage.....	4 145	94.1
			Less than \$300.....	15	0.3
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$300 to \$499.....	115	2.6
1999 to March 2000.....	185	1.2	\$500 to \$699.....	315	7.2
1995 to 1998.....	745	4.7	\$700 to \$999.....	890	20.2
1990 to 1994.....	775	4.9	\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	1 850	42.0
1980 to 1989.....	2 225	14.1	\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	690	15.7
1970 to 1979.....	3 505	22.3	\$2,000 or more.....	270	6.1
1960 to 1969.....	3 085	19.6	Median costs (dollars).....	1 186	(X)
1940 to 1959.....	3 070	19.5	Not mortgaged.....	260	5.9
1939 or earlier.....	2 145	13.6	Median costs (dollars).....	307	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1999 to March 2000.....	5 480	34.8	AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
1995 to 1998.....	6 090	38.7	INCOME IN 1999		
1990 to 1994.....	2 615	16.6	Less than 15.0 percent.....	940	21.3
1980 to 1989.....	1 130	7.2	15.0 to 19.9 percent.....	625	14.2
1970 to 1979.....	315	2.0	20.0 to 24.9 percent.....	765	17.4
1969 or earlier.....	110	0.7	25.0 to 29.9 percent.....	550	12.5
			30.0 to 34.9 percent.....	405	9.2
ROOMS			35.0 percent or more.....	1 075	24.4
1 room.....	1 395	8.9	Not computed.....	40	0.9
2 rooms.....	2 225	14.1			
3 rooms.....	3 005	19.1	Specified renter-occupied units.....	10 475	100.0
4 rooms.....	2 625	16.7	GROSS RENT		
5 rooms.....	2 260	14.4	Less than \$200.....	560	5.3
6 rooms.....	1 525	9.7	\$200 to \$299.....	370	3.5
7 rooms.....	1 240	7.9	\$300 to \$499.....	1 425	13.6
8 rooms.....	700	4.4	\$500 to \$749.....	4 360	41.6
9 or more rooms.....	765	4.9	\$750 to \$999.....	2 585	24.7
Median number of rooms.....	4.0	(X)	\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	810	7.7
			\$1,500 or more.....	105	1.0
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			No cash rent.....	260	2.5
None.....	3 335	21.2	Median (dollars).....	648	(X)
1.....	6 380	40.5			
2.....	4 675	29.7	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
3 or more.....	1 355	8.6	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
			Less than 15.0 percent.....	1 825	17.4
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			15.0 to 19.9 percent.....	1 450	13.8
Utility gas.....	8 910	56.6	20.0 to 24.9 percent.....	1 520	14.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas.....	375	2.4	25.0 to 29.9 percent.....	1 055	10.1
Electricity.....	5 085	32.3	30.0 to 34.9 percent.....	950	9.1
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.....	1 130	7.2	35.0 percent or more.....	2 945	28.1
Coal or coke.....	10	0.1	Not computed.....	730	7.0
Wood.....	-	-			
Solar energy.....	20	0.1			
Other fuel.....	135	0.9			
No fuel used.....	75	0.5			
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS					
Lacking complete plumbing facilities.....	115	0.7			
Lacking complete kitchen facilities.....	170	1.1			
No telephone service.....	190	1.2			

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