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Profile of General Population and Housing Characteristics: 2010

2010 Demographic Profile Data

NOTE: For more information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see <http://www.census.gov/prod/cen2010/doc/dpsf.pdf>.

Geography: Mercer County, North Dakota

Subject	Number	Percent
SEX AND AGE		
Total population	8,424	100.0
Under 5 years	472	5.6
5 to 9 years	464	5.5
10 to 14 years	508	6.0
15 to 19 years	511	6.1
20 to 24 years	327	3.9
25 to 29 years	455	5.4
30 to 34 years	409	4.9
35 to 39 years	390	4.6
40 to 44 years	489	5.8
45 to 49 years	787	9.3
50 to 54 years	955	11.3
55 to 59 years	777	9.2
60 to 64 years	552	6.6
65 to 69 years	405	4.8
70 to 74 years	287	3.4
75 to 79 years	251	3.0
80 to 84 years	186	2.2
85 years and over	199	2.4
Median age (years)	46.3	(X)
16 years and over	6,868	81.5
18 years and over	6,625	78.6
21 years and over	6,414	76.1
62 years and over	1,646	19.5
65 years and over	1,328	15.8
Male population	4,344	51.6
Under 5 years	238	2.8
5 to 9 years	261	3.1
10 to 14 years	276	3.3
15 to 19 years	264	3.1
20 to 24 years	176	2.1
25 to 29 years	234	2.8
30 to 34 years	231	2.7
35 to 39 years	203	2.4
40 to 44 years	246	2.9
45 to 49 years	398	4.7
50 to 54 years	501	5.9
55 to 59 years	432	5.1
60 to 64 years	291	3.5
65 to 69 years	203	2.4
70 to 74 years	137	1.6
75 to 79 years	119	1.4
80 to 84 years	64	0.8
85 years and over	70	0.8

Subject	Number	Percent
Median age (years)	45.7	(X)
16 years and over	3,508	41.6
18 years and over	3,386	40.2
21 years and over	3,278	38.9
62 years and over	752	8.9
65 years and over	593	7.0
Female population	4,080	48.4
Under 5 years	234	2.8
5 to 9 years	203	2.4
10 to 14 years	232	2.8
15 to 19 years	247	2.9
20 to 24 years	151	1.8
25 to 29 years	221	2.6
30 to 34 years	178	2.1
35 to 39 years	187	2.2
40 to 44 years	243	2.9
45 to 49 years	389	4.6
50 to 54 years	454	5.4
55 to 59 years	345	4.1
60 to 64 years	261	3.1
65 to 69 years	202	2.4
70 to 74 years	150	1.8
75 to 79 years	132	1.6
80 to 84 years	122	1.4
85 years and over	129	1.5
Median age (years)	47.0	(X)
16 years and over	3,360	39.9
18 years and over	3,239	38.4
21 years and over	3,136	37.2
62 years and over	894	10.6
65 years and over	735	8.7
RACE		
Total population	8,424	100.0
One Race	8,335	98.9
White	8,052	95.6
Black or African American	17	0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	196	2.3
Asian	27	0.3
Asian Indian	4	0.0
Chinese	3	0.0
Filipino	12	0.1
Japanese	1	0.0
Korean	1	0.0
Vietnamese	0	0.0
Other Asian [1]	6	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	12	0.1
Native Hawaiian	3	0.0
Guamanian or Chamorro	0	0.0
Samoan	0	0.0
Other Pacific Islander [2]	9	0.1
Some Other Race	31	0.4
Two or More Races	89	1.1
White; American Indian and Alaska Native [3]	56	0.7
White; Asian [3]	6	0.1
White; Black or African American [3]	15	0.2
White; Some Other Race [3]	6	0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [4]		
White	8,139	96.6
Black or African American	35	0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	256	3.0

Subject	Number	Percent
Asian	34	0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	15	0.2
Some Other Race	37	0.4
HISPANIC OR LATINO		
Total population	8,424	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	121	1.4
Mexican	94	1.1
Puerto Rican	7	0.1
Cuban	2	0.0
Other Hispanic or Latino [5]	18	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	8,303	98.6
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	8,424	100.0
Hispanic or Latino	121	1.4
White alone	56	0.7
Black or African American alone	1	0.0
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	22	0.3
Asian alone	0	0.0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	0.0
Some Other Race alone	31	0.4
Two or More Races	11	0.1
Not Hispanic or Latino	8,303	98.6
White alone	7,996	94.9
Black or African American alone	16	0.2
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	174	2.1
Asian alone	27	0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	12	0.1
Some Other Race alone	0	0.0
Two or More Races	78	0.9
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	8,424	100.0
In households	8,298	98.5
Householder	3,625	43.0
Spouse [6]	2,177	25.8
Child	2,059	24.4
Own child under 18 years	1,689	20.0
Other relatives	162	1.9
Under 18 years	73	0.9
65 years and over	25	0.3
Nonrelatives	275	3.3
Under 18 years	37	0.4
65 years and over	8	0.1
Unmarried partner	161	1.9
In group quarters	126	1.5
Institutionalized population	91	1.1
Male	29	0.3
Female	62	0.7
Noninstitutionalized population	35	0.4
Male	8	0.1
Female	27	0.3
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Total households	3,625	100.0
Family households (families) [7]	2,500	69.0
With own children under 18 years	903	24.9
Husband-wife family	2,177	60.1
With own children under 18 years	696	19.2
Male householder, no wife present	140	3.9
With own children under 18 years	87	2.4
Female householder, no husband present	183	5.0
With own children under 18 years	120	3.3

Subject	Number	Percent
Nonfamily households [7]	1,125	31.0
Householder living alone	988	27.3
Male	556	15.3
65 years and over	108	3.0
Female	432	11.9
65 years and over	264	7.3
Households with individuals under 18 years	959	26.5
Households with individuals 65 years and over	876	24.2
Average household size	2.29	(X)
Average family size [7]	2.76	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	4,450	100.0
Occupied housing units	3,625	81.5
Vacant housing units	825	18.5
For rent	119	2.7
Rented, not occupied	11	0.2
For sale only	38	0.9
Sold, not occupied	6	0.1
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	482	10.8
All other vacants	169	3.8
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent) [8]	1.3	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent) [9]	14.1	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	3,625	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	2,913	80.4
Population in owner-occupied housing units	6,977	(X)
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.40	(X)
Renter-occupied housing units	712	19.6
Population in renter-occupied housing units	1,321	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.86	(X)

X Not applicable.

[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] One of the four most commonly reported multiple-race combinations nationwide in Census 2000.

[4] 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.

[5] This category is composed of people whose origins are from the Dominican Republic, Spain, and Spanish-speaking Central or South American countries. It also includes general origin responses such as "Latino" or "Hispanic."

[6] "Spouse" represents spouse of the householder. It does not reflect all spouses in a household. Responses of "same-sex spouse" were edited during processing to "unmarried partner."

[7] "Family households" consist of a householder and one or more other people related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. They do not include same-sex married couples even if the marriage was performed in a state issuing marriage certificates for same-sex couples. Same-sex couple households are included in the family households category if there is at least one additional person related to the householder by birth or adoption. Same-sex couple households with no relatives of the householder present are tabulated in nonfamily households. "Nonfamily households" consist of people living alone and households which do not have any members related to the householder.

[8] The homeowner vacancy rate is the proportion of the homeowner inventory that is vacant "for sale." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for sale only" by the sum of owner-occupied units, vacant units that are "for sale only," and vacant units that have been sold but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.

[9] The rental vacancy rate is the proportion of the rental inventory that is vacant "for rent." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for rent" by the sum of the renter-occupied units, vacant units that are "for rent," and vacant units that have been rented but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 Census.