

City of Commerce, California: Census 2000 Demographic Profile Highlights

<u>General Characteristics</u>	Number	Percent	U.S.
Total population	12,568		
Male	6,172	49.1	49.10%
Female	6,396	50.9	50.90%
<u>Median age (years)</u>	28.2	(X)	35.3
Under 5 years	1,113	8.9	6.80%
18 years and over	8,316	66.2	74.30%
65 years and over	1,281	10.2	12.40%
 <u>One race</u>	 11,968	 95.2	 97.60%
White	5,625	44.8	75.10%
Black or African American	98	0.8	12.30%
American Indian and Alaska Native	199	1.6	0.90%
Asian	136	1.1	3.60%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	10	0.1	0.10%
Some other race	5,900	46.9	5.50%
Two or more races	600	4.8	2.40%
 Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	 11,765	 93.6	 12.50%
 Household population	 12,465	 99.2	 97.20%
Group quarters population	103	0.8	2.80%
 <u>Average household size</u>	 3.8	 (X)	 2.59
Average family size	4.17	(X)	3.14
Total housing units	3,377		
Occupied housing units	3,284	97.2	91.00%
Owner-occupied housing units	1,557	47.4	66.20%
Renter-occupied housing units	1,727	52.6	33.80%
Vacant housing units	93	2.8	9.00%
 Population 25 years and over	 6,876		
High school graduate or higher	3,150	45.8	80.40%
Bachelor's degree or higher	319	4.6	24.40%
 <u>Civilian veterans (civilian population 18 years and over)</u>	 467	 5.6	 12.70%
 Disability status (population 5 years and over)	 2,357	 20.7	 19.30%
Foreign born	4,886	38.8	11.10%

Male, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	2,294	52.7	56.70%
Female, Now married, except separated (population 15 years and over)	2,248	48	52.10%
Speak a language other than English at home (population 5 years and over)	8,768	76.2	17.90%
In labor force (population 16 years and over)	4,726	53.8	63.90%
Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 years and over)	25.7	(X)	25.5
Median household income in 1999 (dollars)	34,040	(X)	41,994
Median family income in 1999 (dollars)	36,572	(X)	50,046
Per capita income in 1999 (dollars)	11,117	(X)	21,587
Families below poverty level	426	15.4	9.20%
Individuals below poverty level	2,223	17.9	12.40%
Single-family owner-occupied homes	1,448		
Median value (dollars)	156,000	(X)	119,600
Median of selected monthly owner costs	(X)	(X)	
With a mortgage (dollars)	1,256	(X)	1,088
Not mortgaged (dollars)	195	(X)	295
(X) Not applicable.			

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Summary File 1 (SF 1) and Summary File 3 (SF 3)