

## 1990 Census of Population and Housing

040 Washington

050 Whatcom County

140 Tract 109

## LABOR FORCE STATUS

Persons 16 years and over.....	442
In labor force.....	298
Percent in labor force.....	67.4
Civilian labor force.....	298
Employed.....	282
Unemployed.....	16
Percent unemployed.....	5.4
Armed Forces.....	0
Not in labor force.....	144
Males 16 years and over.....	213
In labor force.....	170
Percent in labor force.....	79.8
Civilian labor force.....	170
Employed.....	154
Unemployed.....	16
Percent unemployed.....	9.4
Armed Forces.....	0
Not in labor force.....	43
Females 16 years and over.....	229
In labor force.....	128
Percent in labor force.....	55.9
Civilian labor force.....	128
Employed.....	128
Unemployed.....	0
Percent unemployed.....	0.0
Armed Forces.....	0
Not in labor force.....	101
Females 16 years and over.....	229
With own children under 6 years.....	47
Percent in labor force.....	61.7
With own children 6 to 17 years only.....	59
Percent in labor force.....	54.2
Own children under 6 years in families and subfamilies...	58
All parents present in household in labor force.....	33
Own children 6 to 17 years in families and subfamilies.....	117
All parents present in household in labor force.....	53
Persons 16 to 19 years.....	21
Not enrolled in school and not high school graduate.....	0
Employed or in Armed Forces.....	0
Unemployed.....	0
Not in labor force.....	0

**COMMUTING TO WORK**

Workers 16 years and over.....	275
Percent drove alone.....	63.6
Percent in carpools.....	12.7
Percent using public transportation.....	0.0
Percent using other means.....	0.0
Percent walked or worked at home.....	20.4
Mean travel time to work (minutes).....	30.4

**OCCUPATION**

Employed persons 16 years and over.....	282
Executive, administrative, and managerial occupations.....	95
Professional specialty occupations.....	51
Technicians and related support occupations.....	28
Sales occupations.....	26
Administrative support occupations, including clerical.....	10
Private household occupations.....	0
Protective service occupations.....	0
Service occupations, except protective and household.....	28
Farming, forestry, and fishing occupations.....	18
Precision production, craft, and repair occupations.....	19
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors.....	7
Transportation and material moving occupations.....	0
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers.....	0

**INDUSTRY**

Employed person 16 years and over.....	282
Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries.....	16
Mining.....	0
Construction.....	21
Manufacturing, nondurable goods.....	0
Manufacturing, durable goods.....	37
Transportation.....	13
Communications and other public utilities.....	0
Wholesale trade.....	0
Retail trade.....	8
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	22
Business and repair services.....	15
Personal services.....	26
Entertainment, and recreation services.....	0
Health services.....	28
Educational services.....	26
Other professional and related services.....	60
Public administration.....	10

**CLASS OF WORKER**

Employed persons 16 years and over.....	282
Private wage and salary workers.....	132
Government workers.....	49
Local government workers.....	19
State government workers.....	21
Federal government workers.....	9
Self-employed workers.....	83
Unpaid family workers.....	18

Total housing units.....	553
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#### YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT

1989 to March 1990.....	15
1985 to 1988.....	18
1980 to 1984.....	54
1970 to 1979.....	200
1960 to 1969.....	102
1950 to 1959.....	33
1940 to 1949.....	49
1939 or earlier.....	82

#### BEDROOMS

No bedroom.....	59
1 bedroom.....	85
2 bedrooms.....	290
3 bedrooms.....	47
4 bedrooms.....	55
5 or more bedrooms.....	17

#### SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS

Lacking complete plumbing facilities.....	58
Lacking complete kitchen facilities.....	26
Condominium housing units.....	18

#### SOURCE OF WATER

Public system or private company.....	229
Individual drilled well.....	259
Individual dug well.....	41
Some other source.....	24

#### SEWAGE DISPOSAL

Public sewer.....	17
Septic tank or cesspool.....	443
Other means.....	93

Occupied housing units.....	283
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#### HOUSE HEATING FUEL

Utility gas.....	0
Bottled, tank, or LP gas.....	11
Electricity.....	99
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.....	6
Coal or coke.....	0
Wood.....	162
Solar energy.....	0
Other fuel.....	5
No fuel used.....	0

#### YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT

1989 to March 1990.....	77
1985 to 1988.....	90
1980 to 1984.....	65

1970 to 1979.....	51
1960 to 1969.....	0
1959 or earlier.....	0

## TELEPHONE

No telephone in unit.....	20
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## VEHICLES AVAILABLE

Occupied housing units.....	283
None.....	0
1.....	63
2.....	140
3 or more.....	80

## MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS

Specified owner-occupied housing units.....	96
With a mortgage.....	35
Less than \$300.....	0
\$300 to \$499.....	0
\$500 to \$699.....	27
\$700 to \$999.....	8
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	0
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	0
\$2,000 or more.....	0
Median (dollars).....	627
Not mortgaged.....	61
Less than \$100.....	6
\$100 to \$199.....	32
\$200 to \$299.....	5
\$300 to \$399.....	18
\$400 or more.....	0
Median (dollars).....	147

## SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1989

Specified owner-occupied housing units.....	96
Less than 20 percent.....	79
20 to 24 percent.....	12
25 to 29 percent.....	0
30 to 34 percent.....	0
35 percent or more.....	5
Not computed.....	0

## GROSS RENT

Specified renter-occupied housing units.....	90
Less than \$200.....	0
\$200 to \$299.....	22
\$300 to \$499.....	20
\$500 to \$749.....	16
\$750 to \$999.....	0
\$1,000 or more.....	0
No cash rent.....	32
Median (dollars).....	423

## GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1989

Specified renter-occupied housing units.....	90
Less than 20 percent.....	21
20 to 24 percent.....	15
25 to 29 percent.....	0
30 to 34 percent.....	11
35 percent or more.....	11
Not computed.....	32

## INCOME IN 1989

Households.....	236
Less than \$5,000.....	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	33
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	35
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	37
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	37
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	25
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	37
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	17
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	0
\$150,000 or more.....	7
Median household income (dollars).....	25,500

Families.....	157
Less than \$5,000.....	0
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	5
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	35
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	21
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	37
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	16
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	19
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	17
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	0
\$150,000 or more.....	7
Median family income (dollars).....	26,750

Nonfamily households.....	79
Less than \$5,000.....	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	28
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	0
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	16
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	0
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	9
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	18
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	0
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	0
\$150,000 or more.....	0
Median nonfamily household income (dollars).....	16,094

Per capita income (dollars).....	13,593
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## INCOME TYPE IN 1989

Households.....	236
With wage and salary income.....	145
Mean wage and salary income (dollars).....	25,245

With nonfarm self-employment income.....	94
Mean nonfarm self-employment income (dollars).....	27,821
With farm self-employment income.....	0
Mean farm self-employment income (dollars).....	0
With Social Security income.....	71
Mean Social Security income (dollars).....	7,690
With public assistance income.....	5
Mean public assistance income (dollars).....	4,000
With retirement income.....	51
Mean retirement income (dollars).....	5,676

## POVERTY STATUS IN 1989

All persons for whom poverty status is determined.....	610
Below poverty level.....	99
Persons 18 years and over.....	435
Below poverty level.....	47
Persons 65 years and over.....	74
Below poverty level.....	0
Related children under 18 years.....	175
Below poverty level.....	52
Related children under 5 years.....	44
Below poverty level.....	27
Related children 5 to 17 years.....	131
Below poverty level.....	25
Unrelated individuals.....	93
Below poverty level.....	8
All families.....	157
Below poverty level.....	18
With related children under 18 years.....	98
Below poverty level.....	18
With related children under 5 years.....	33
Below poverty level.....	18
Female householder families.....	12
Below poverty level.....	0
With related children under 18 years.....	12
Below poverty level.....	0
With related children under 5 years.....	0
Below poverty level.....	0

Percent below poverty level:

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All persons.....	16.2
Persons 18 years and over.....	10.8
Persons 65 years and over.....	0.0
Related children under 18 years.....	29.7
Related children under 5 years.....	61.4
Related children 5 to 17 years.....	19.1

Unrelated individuals.....	8.6
All families.....	11.5
With related children under 18 years.....	18.4
With related children under 5 years.....	54.5
Female householder families.....	0.0
With related children under 18 years.....	0.0
With related children under 5 years.....	.0

#### URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE

Total population.....	610
Urban population.....	0
Percent of total population.....	0.0
Rural population.....	610
Percent of total population.....	100.0
Farm population.....	38

#### SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Persons 3 years and over enrolled in school.....	152
Preprimary school.....	19
Elementary or high school.....	127
Percent in private school.....	0.0
College.....	6

#### EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Persons 25 years and over.....	410
Less than 9th grade.....	0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	7
High school graduate.....	100
Some college, no degree.....	71
Associates degree.....	22
Bachelor's degree.....	127
Graduate or professional degree.....	83
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	98.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	51.2

#### RESIDENCE IN 1985

Persons 5 years and over.....	566
Lived in same house.....	209
Lived in different house in U.S.....	310
Same State.....	203
Same county.....	165
Different county.....	38
Different State.....	107
Lived abroad.....	47

#### DISABILITY OF CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED PERSONS

Persons 16 to 64 years.....	368
With a mobility or self-care limitation.....	11
With a mobility limitation.....	7
With a self-care limitation.....	4
With a work disability.....	15

In labor force.....	8
Prevented from working.....	7
Persons 65 years and over.....	74
With a mobility or self-care limitation.....	29
With a mobility limitation.....	29
With a self-care limitation.....	71990 Census of Population and Housing
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## CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN

Women 15 to 24 years.....	0
Women 25 to 34 years.....	1,390
Women 35 to 44 years.....	1,897

## VETERAN STATUS

Civilian veterans 16 years and over.....	92
65 years and over.....	18

## NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH

Native population.....	570
Percent born in state of residence.....	46.8
Foreign-born population.....	40
Entered the U.S. 1980 to 1990.....	5

## LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME

Persons 5 years and over.....	566
Speak a language other than English.....	0
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	0
Speak Spanish.....	0
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	0
Speak Asian or Pacific Island language.....	0
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	0

## ANCESTRY

Total ancestries reported.....	896
Arab.....	7
Austrian.....	0
Belgian.....	0
Canadian.....	0
Czech.....	5
Danish.....	9
Dutch.....	43
English.....	141
Finnish.....	16
French (except Basque).....	14
French Canadian.....	8
German.....	174
Greek.....	0
Hungarian.....	0
Irish.....	63
Italian.....	10
Lithuanian.....	0

Norwegian.....	48	
Polish.....	0	
Portuguese.....	0	
Romanian.....	0	
Russian.....	20	
Scotch-Irish.....	24	
Scottish.....	32	
Slovak.....	0	
Subsaharan African.....	0	
Swedish.....	59	
Swiss.....	8	
Ukrainian.....	0	
United States or American.....	29	
Welsh.....	32	
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups).....	0	
Yugoslavian.....	5	
Other ancestries.....	149	

Source: US Bureau of the Census (<http://www.census.gov>)

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