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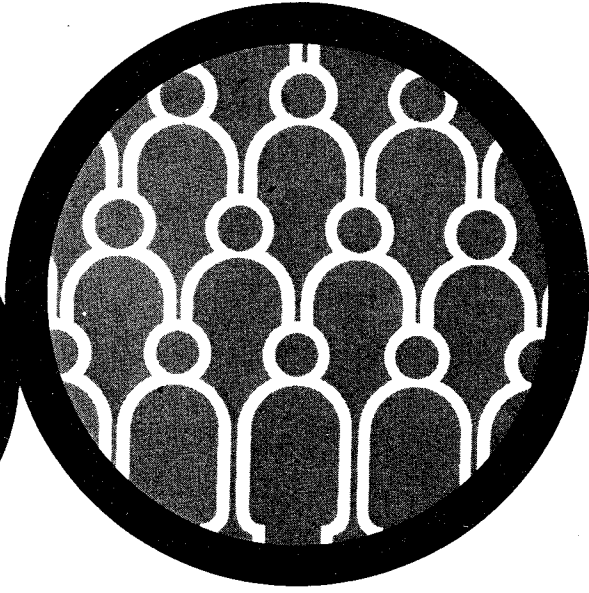
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GENERAL

This report combines the information from the *General Social and Economic Characteristics* and *Detailed Population Characteristics* and presents data from the 1980 Census of Population on social and economic characteristics of the residents of this area. The abbreviated identification for this report is PC80-1-C/D (i.e., Population Census, 1980, Volume 1, Chapters C and D followed by a number representing the area. A large portion of the information compiled from the 1980 Census of Population appears in Volume 1, *Characteristics of the Population*, of which this report is part. Legal provision for this census, which was conducted as of April 1, 1980 (September 15, 1980 for Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, excluding Northern Mariana Islands), was made in the Act of Congress of August 31, 1954 (amended August 1957, December 1975, and October 1976) which codified Title 13, United States Code.

The population figures for the various geographic entities shown here may differ from those shown in the *Advance Reports*, PHC80-V for Press Releases. The differences reflect correction of errors found after the PHC80-V reports or Press Releases were prepared. The changes may affect any geographic area shown in this report.

In addition to the printed reports, results of the 1980 census also are provided on computer tape in the form of summary tape files (STF's). These data products have been designed to provide statistics with greater subject and geo-

graphic detail than is feasible or desirable to provide in printed reports. The STF data are made available at nominal cost. The data are subject to suppression of certain detail where necessary to protect confidentiality.

STF 1 provides population and housing data summarized for the Areas, urban and rural residence, county equivalents, county subdivision equivalents, census designated places, and enumeration districts. The data include those shown in PC80-1-A and PC80-1-B for the Outlying Areas.

STF 3 contains data on various population and housing subjects such as education, employment, and income. The areas covered are the same as STF 1.

Some of the computer tape products for the Pacific Islands are available on microfiche. The STF microfiche are issued for each Area, and summaries are also available on paper.

More complete descriptions of the STF's can be found in the technical documentation of the specific file and in the PHC80-R1, *User's Guide*.

The content and procedures of the 1980 census were determined after evaluation of the results of the 1970 census, consultation with a wide variety of users of census data, and extensive field testing. A number of changes were introduced in 1980 to improve the usefulness of the census results. The changes do not, however, affect to an appreciable extent the comparability between the 1980 census data and the 1970 census data for most characteristics. Further information on comparability for specific subjects appears in Appendix B, "Definitions and Explanations of Subject Characteristics."

More detailed information on the technical and procedural matters covered in the text of this report can be obtained by writing to the Director, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233. Such information will also appear in other publications of the 1980 census.

CONTENTS OF THE REPORT

This report contains text (this introduction and appendixes), a table of contents, detailed tables, and a map. A map of the Area appears after the table of contents.

Each detailed table is identified by a table number and title. The "folio line" at the bottom center of each page defines the types of geographic areas for which data are shown in the particular table. The first table in this report is table 19; tables 1 through 13 appear in the *Number of Inhabitants*, PC80-1-A report for this Area and tables 14 through 18 appear in the PC80-1-B report, *General Population Characteristics*. The tables include detailed categories and cross-classifications of the social and economic characteristics collected in the 1980 Census of Population, including age, marital status, household relationship, education, labor force, occupation, industry, and poverty.

Appendix A describes the area classification. Appendix B provides definitions and explanations for the subjects covered in this report. Appendix C explains the residence rules used in counting the population and describes the data collection and processing procedures. Appendix D presents information on the sources of error in the data, editing procedures, and a description of allocation and substitution. Appendix E contains facsimiles of the 1980 census questionnaire pages.

SYMBOLS AND GEOGRAPHIC ABBREVIATIONS

The following symbols and geographic abbreviations are used in the tables:

- A dash "--" represents zero or a percent which rounds to less than 0.1.
- Three dots ". . ." mean not applicable,

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or that the data are being withheld to avoid disclosure of information for individuals. (For further information on disclosure, see the section below on "Suppression of Data for Confidentiality.")

● (NA) means not available.

SUPPRESSION OF DATA FOR CONFIDENTIALITY

To maintain the confidentiality promised respondents and required by law, the Bureau of the Census takes precautions to make sure that its published data do not disclose information about spe-

cific individuals and housing units. To accomplish this, the Census Bureau suppresses data for characteristics which are based on a small number of persons and/or housing units in the geographic area. Under certain conditions, both primary and complementary suppression, as defined below, may take place.

The general rules of primary suppression are as follows: counts of total persons are never suppressed; characteristics for persons are shown only if there are 15 or more persons in the geographic area; counts of total housing units, vacant housing units, year-round housing units, and occupied housing units are never suppressed; characteristics of year-round

housing units which are not classified by occupancy status are shown only when there are five or more year-round housing units in the geographic area; characteristics of families, households, or occupied housing units are shown only if there are at least five occupied housing units within the geographic area; and distributions of data for owners or renters are shown only where the number of owners is at least five or the number of renters is also at least five. These primary suppression criteria are applied independently of one another.

Finally, complementary suppression is applied to prevent the derivation of primary suppressed data by subtraction.

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