

**PROFILE OF SELECTED EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS
1990 and 2000**

EAST PROVIDENCE

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	Number 1990	Percent	Number 2000	Percent	Number Change 1990 - 2000	Percent Change 1990 - 2000
EMPLOYMENT STATUS						
POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER	41,030	100.0	39,290	100.0	-1,740	-4.2
In Labor Force	26,719	65.1	24,509	62.4	-2,210	-8.3
Civilian Labor Force	26,655	65.0	24,475	62.3	-2,180	-8.2
Employed	25,166	61.3	23,117	58.8	-2,049	-8.1
Unemployed	1,489	3.6	1,358	3.5	-131	-8.8
Percent of civilian labor force	5.6	x	5.5	x	x	x
Armed Forces	64	0.2	34	0.1	-30	-46.9
Not in labor force	14,311	34.9	14,781	37.6	470	3.3
Females 16 years and over	22,302	100.0	21,542	100.0	-760	-3.4
In labor force	12,821	57.5	12,234	56.8	-587	-4.6
Civilian labor force	12,821	57.5	12,234	56.8	-587	-4.6
Employed	12,182	54.6	11,553	53.6	-629	-5.2
Own children under 6 years old	3,551	100.0	3,077	100.0	-474	-13.3
All parents in family in labor force	2,174	61.2	2,068	67.2	-106	-4.9
COMMUTING TO WORK						
WORKERS 16 YEARS AND OVER	24,473	100.0	22,434	100.0	-2,039	-8.3
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	x	79	x	82.6	x	x
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	x	13.1	x	10.1	x	x
Public transportation (including taxicab)	x	3.7	x	2.6	x	x
Walked	x	3.8	x	1.8	x	x
Other means	x	0.4	x	1.0	x	x
Worked at home	(included in walked)		x	1.9	x	x
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	18.2	x	20.8	x	3	14.3
OCCUPATION ²						
EMPLOYED CIVILIAN POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER	25,166	100.0	23,117	100.0	-2,049	-8.1
Management, professional, and related occupations	x	x	6,571	28.4	x	x
Service occupations	x	x	3,685	15.9	x	x
Sales and office operations	x	x	6,806	29.4	x	x
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	x	x	70	0.3	x	x
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	x	x	1,896	8.2	x	x
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	x	x	4,089	17.7	x	x
INDUSTRY ³						
EMPLOYED CIVILIAN POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER	25,166	100.0	23,117	100.0	-2,049	-8.1
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	x	x	36	0.2	x	x
Construction	x	x	1,211	5.2	x	x
Manufacturing	x	x	4,480	19.4	x	x
Wholesale trade	x	x	827	3.6	x	x
Retail trade	x	x	2,696	11.7	x	x
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	x	x	1,040	4.5	x	x
Information	x	x	481	2.1	x	x
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	x	x	1,974	8.5	x	x
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management	x	x	1,930	8.3	x	x
Educational, health and social services		x	4,878	21.1	x	x
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accomodation and food service	x	x	1,767	7.6	x	x
Other services (except public administration)	x	x	1,081	4.7	x	x
Public Administration	x	x	716	3.1	x	x
CLASS OF WORKER						
EMPLOYED CIVILIAN POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER	25,166	100.0	23,117	100.0	-2,049	-8.1
Private wage and salary workers	21,415	x	19,421	84.0	-1,994	-9.3
Government workers	2,795	x	2,488	10.8	-307	-11.0
Self-employed workers in own not-incorporated business	924	x	1,123	4.9	199	21.5
Unpaid family workers	32	x	85	0.4	53	165.6

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau

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FOOTNOTES

x Data not available or not applicable.

¹ Due to changes in data capture procedures, mean travel time in 1990 is understated slightly relative to mean travel time in 2000.

² Occupation data for 1990 and 2000 are not comparable due to changes in the classification system by occupation.

³ Industry data for 1990 and 2000 are not comparable due to changes in the classification system by industry.

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