

SELECTED MONTGOMERY COUNTY CENSUS DATA, 1950-2000

	<u>1950</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1970</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
TOTAL POPULATION (April)	164,401	340,928	522,809	579,053	757,027	873,341
GROUP QUARTERS						
Persons living in group quarters	4,130	3,777	6,164	5,632	7,770	9,431
Institutionalized persons	549	1,045	2,913	3,963	5,895	5,436
Other persons in group quarters	3,581	2,732	3,251	1,669	1,875	3,995
SEX						
Male	81,178	166,694	253,242	278,740	364,880	418,622
Female	83,223	174,234	269,567	300,313	392,147	454,719
AGE DISTRIBUTION						
Under 5	21,400	42,299	43,074	33,374	57,138	60,173
5 to 17	33,024	95,560	145,935	120,937	121,106	161,585
18 to 20*	3,796	9,078	22,394	25,806	25,147	24,175
21 to 24*	10,959	11,559	28,765	37,904	42,447	35,964
25 to 44	57,433	103,751	139,345	182,450	282,741	282,275
45 to 54	18,001	39,669	69,331	69,122	88,855	132,870
55 to 59	6,027	11,902	23,851	33,623	32,056	45,652
60 to 64	4,559	9,147	17,495	24,932	30,046	32,490
65 to 74	6,001	11,750	20,311	31,462	46,327	50,103
75 to 84	2,667	4,990	9,730	14,729	23,659	35,071
85 and Older	534	1,223	2,578	4,714	7,505	12,983
Median Age	30	28	28	32	34	37
Under 18 Years	54,424	137,859	188,999	154,311	178,244	221,758
Percent of Total Population	33.1%	40.4%	36.2%	26.6%	23.5%	25.4%
65 Years and Older	9,202	17,963	32,619	50,905	77,491	98,157
Percent of Total Population	5.6%	5.2%	6.2%	8.8%	10.2%	11.2%
RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN						
White**	153,804	327,663	493,934	495,485	580,635	565,719
Percent of Total Population	93.6%	96.1%	94.5%	85.6%	76.7%	64.8%
Black or African American**	10,330	11,531	21,551	50,756	92,267	132,256
Percent of Total Population	6.3%	3.4%	4.1%	8.8%	12.2%	15.1%
American Indian and Alaska Native**	26	***	413	980	1,841	2,544
Percent of Total Population	0.1%		1.0%	2.0%	2.0%	3.0%
Asian and Pacific Islander**	***	***	4,533	22,790	61,981	99,063
Percent of Total Population			0.8%	3.9%	8.2%	11.3%
Some Other Race** ***	264	1,734	24	90	203	436
Two or More Races						30,117
Percent of Total Population						3.4%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)			15,920	22,790	55,684	100,604
Percent of Total Population			3.0%	3.9%	7.4%	11.5%

* 1950 age groups are 18 to 19, 20 to 24.

** 2000 numbers represent those who indicated one race only

*** 1950 and 1960, other race includes Asian; 1960 also includes American Indian

Source: US Census Bureau; Montgomery County Planning Department, Research and Technology Center.