

## Foster City Demographics

### Comparison of Foster City's 1990 and 2000 US Census Bureau Data

The tables below summarize the demographic data for Foster City collected during the 1990 and 2000 Censuses.

Census Year	1990		2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>27,760</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>28,803</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Sex and Age</b>				
Male	14,072	50.7%	14,165	49.2%
Female	13,688	49.3%	14,638	50.8%
Under 5 years	1,509	5.4%	1,685	5.9%
5 to 9 years	1,517	5.5%	1,736	6.0%
10 to 14 years	1,657	6.0%	1,694	5.9%
15 to 19 years	1,637	5.9%	1,416	4.9%
20 to 24 years	1,900	6.8%	1,256	4.4%
25 to 34 years	5,495	19.8%	4,853	16.8%
35 to 44 years	5,542	20.0%	5,320	18.5%
45 to 54 years	4,099	14.8%	4,660	16.2%
55 yo 59 years	1,381	5.0%	1,900	6.6%
60 to 64 years	1,075	3.9%	1,381	4.8%
65 to 74 years	1,303	4.7%	1,764	6.1%
75 years and over	645	2.3%	1,138	4.0%
Average Age	35.4	n/a	38.1	n/a
<b>Race</b>				
White	20,704	74.6%	17,087	59.3%
Black or African American	909	3.3%	602	2.1%
American Indian and Alaska Native	56	0.2%	34	0.1%
Asian, Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander	6,192	22.3%	9,535	33.1%
Some other race	315	1.1%	355	1.2%
Two or more races	n/a	n/a	1,190	4.1%
<b>Hispanic Origin and Race</b>				
Hispanic Origin	1,627	5.9%	1,531	5.3%
Mexican	589	2.1%	626	2.2%
Puerto Rican	67	0.2%	61	0.2%
Cuban	41	0.1%	37	0.1%
Other Hispanic	930	3.4%	807	2.8%
Not of Hispanic Origin	26,549	95.6%	27,272	94.7%

Source: US Census Bureau

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<b>Households by Type</b>				
<i>Total Households</i>	11,210	100.0%	11,613	100.0%
Family Households	7,381	65.8%	7,928	68.3%
Married Couple Families	6,195	55.3%	6,699	57.7%
Female Householder	849	7.6%	889	7.7%
Other Male Householder	337	3.0%	340	2.9%
Non-families	3,829	34.2%	3,685	31.7%
Families with children (under 18 years of age)	3,405	30.4%	3,547	30.5%
Families without children	3,976	35.5%	4,381	37.7%
Average Household Size	2.51	n/a	2.47	n/a
<b>Housing Occupancy and Tenure</b>				
<i>Total Housing Units</i>	11,747	100.0%	12,009	100.0%
Occupied Housing Units	11,210	95.4%	11,613	96.7%
Owner Occupied	6,740	60.1%	7,145	61.5%
Renter Occupied	4,470	39.9%	4,468	38.5%
Vacant Housing Units	537	4.6%	396	3.3%
Homeowner Vacancy Rate	2.1%	n/a	0.3%	n/a
Rental Vacancy Rate	6.2%	n/a	2.6%	n/a
Average Household Size (owner-occupied units)	2.86	n/a	2.64	n/a
Average Household Size (renter-occupied units)	1.98	n/a	2.21	n/a

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