

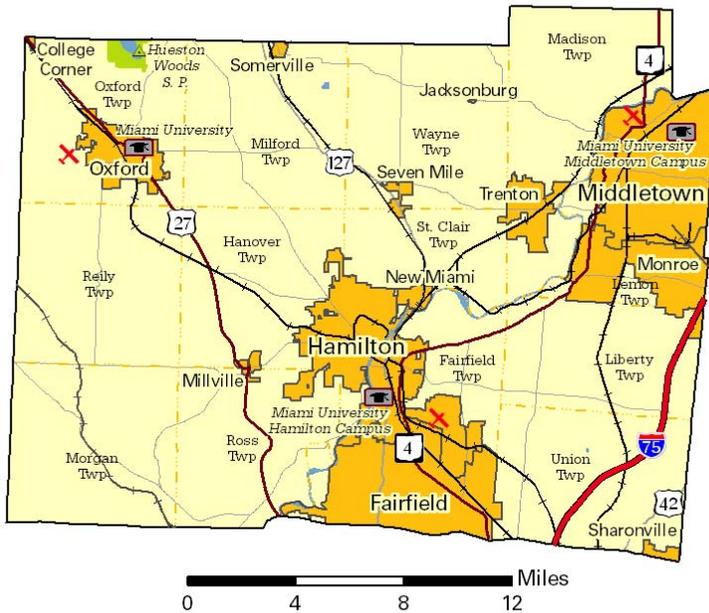
Ohio County Profiles



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Butler County

Established: Act - May 1, 1803
2015 Population: 376,353
Land Area: 467.3 square miles
County Seat: Hamilton City
Named for: General Richard Butler, Revolutionary War



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$6,919,763,550
Residential	\$5,202,602,240
Agriculture	\$223,799,030
Industrial	\$485,527,180
Commercial	\$1,007,835,100
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$242,229,131
Average per return	\$1,488.20

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	26.62%
Developed, Higher Intensity	6.65%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.16%
Forest	18.67%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.86%
Pasture/Hay	24.83%
Cultivated Crops	20.97%
Wetlands	0.16%
Open Water	1.08%

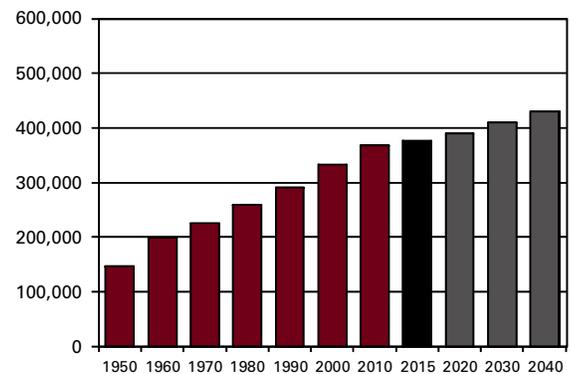
Largest Places

	Est. 2015	Census 2010
Hamilton city	62,407	62,272
West Chester twp UB	60,684	58,595
Middletown city (part)	46,061	45,994
Fairfield city (part)	42,767	42,503
Liberty twp UB	37,787	36,494
Fairfield twp	22,275	21,526
Oxford city	22,104	21,376
Monroe city (part)	13,251	12,322
Trenton city	12,281	11,869
Madison twp	8,679	8,448

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1910	70,271
1810	11,150	1920	87,025
1820	21,746	1930	114,084
1830	27,142	1940	120,249
1840	28,173	1950	147,203
1850	30,789	1960	199,076
1860	35,840	1970	226,207
1870	39,912	1980	258,787
1880	42,579	1990	291,479
1890	48,597	2000	332,807
1900	56,870	2010	368,130
		Projected	
		2020	390,110
		2030	410,960
		2040	430,360



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	371,154	100.0%
White	320,442	86.3%
African-American	28,412	7.7%
Native American	626	0.2%
Asian	9,801	2.6%
Pacific Islander	143	0.0%
Other	3,961	1.1%
Two or More Races	7,769	2.1%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	15,699	4.2%
Total Minority	61,836	16.7%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	235,744	100.0%
No high school diploma	24,421	10.4%
High school graduate	80,877	34.3%
Some college, no degree	46,675	19.8%
Associate degree	17,642	7.5%
Bachelor's degree	42,700	18.1%
Master's degree or higher	23,429	9.9%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	93,786	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	40,158	42.8%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	14,955	15.9%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	5,159	5.5%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	11,063	11.8%
Male householder, in labor force	4,893	5.2%
Male householder, not in labor force	1,419	1.5%
Female householder, in labor force	12,212	13.0%
Female householder, not in labor force	3,927	4.2%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	134,934	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	8,634	6.4%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12,223	9.1%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	13,382	9.9%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	12,896	9.6%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	12,162	9.0%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	10,975	8.1%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	14,626	10.8%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	17,325	12.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	19,236	14.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	8,278	6.1%
\$200,000 or more	5,197	3.9%
Median household income	\$56,998	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	371,154	100.0%
Under 5 years	23,920	6.4%
5 to 17 years	67,576	18.2%
18 to 24 years	43,914	11.8%
25 to 44 years	91,488	24.6%
45 to 64 years	98,483	26.5%
65 years and more	45,773	12.3%
Median Age	36.2	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	93,895	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	29,011	30.9%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	3,165	3.4%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	10,006	10.7%
Families with no own children	51,713	55.1%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	93,895	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	84,955	90.5%
Family income below poverty level	8,940	9.5%
Married couple, with related children	1,836	2.0%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	726	0.8%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	4,495	4.8%
Families with no related children	1,883	2.0%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	359,321	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	24,328	6.8%
50% to 99% of poverty level	25,184	7.0%
100% to 124% of poverty level	13,627	3.8%
125% to 149% of poverty level	12,561	3.5%
150% to 184% of poverty level	20,950	5.8%
185% to 199% of poverty level	7,691	2.1%
200% of poverty level or more	254,980	71.0%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	366,322	100.0%
Same house as previous year	309,589	84.5%
Different house, same county	33,965	9.3%
Different county, same state	14,881	4.1%
Different state	7,023	1.9%
Abroad	864	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	166,094	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	45,653	27.5%
15 to 29 minutes	63,106	38.0%
30 to 44 minutes	37,162	22.4%
45 to 59 minutes	13,146	7.9%
60 minutes or more	7,027	4.2%

Mean travel time **23.8 minutes**

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	148,786	100.0%
Occupied housing units	134,934	90.7%
Owner occupied	94,319	69.9%
Renter occupied	40,615	30.1%
Vacant housing units	13,852	9.3%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	148,786	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	813	0.5%
Built 2000 to 2009	20,765	14.0%
Built 1990 to 1999	24,486	16.5%
Built 1980 to 1989	18,690	12.6%
Built 1970 to 1979	24,661	16.6%
Built 1960 to 1969	14,593	9.8%
Built 1950 to 1959	18,249	12.3%
Built 1940 to 1949	6,963	4.7%
Built 1939 or earlier	19,566	13.2%

Median year built **1976**

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	94,319	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	3,239	3.4%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	1,571	1.7%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	3,636	3.9%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	6,326	6.7%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	8,674	9.2%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	10,172	10.8%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	10,410	11.0%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	21,741	23.1%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	19,215	20.4%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	7,586	8.0%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,419	1.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	330	0.3%

Median value **\$156,300**

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	134,934	100.0%
Utility gas	75,293	55.8%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	3,957	2.9%
Electricity	45,446	33.7%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	7,036	5.2%
Coal, coke or wood	1,637	1.2%
Solar energy or other fuel	1,075	0.8%
No fuel used	490	0.4%

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Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	40,615	100.0%
Less than \$100	152	0.4%
\$100 to \$199	358	0.9%
\$200 to \$299	834	2.1%
\$300 to \$399	912	2.2%
\$400 to \$499	1,892	4.7%
\$500 to \$599	3,775	9.3%
\$600 to \$699	4,913	12.1%
\$700 to \$799	5,553	13.7%
\$800 to \$899	5,797	14.3%
\$900 to \$999	4,230	10.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	7,926	19.5%
\$1,500 or more	2,159	5.3%
No cash rent	2,114	5.2%

Median gross rent **\$815**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **30.4**

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	68,846	100.0%
Less than \$400	289	0.4%
\$400 to \$599	1,988	2.9%
\$600 to \$799	5,026	7.3%
\$800 to \$999	7,796	11.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	11,981	17.4%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	11,268	16.4%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	16,543	24.0%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	11,704	17.0%
\$3,000 or more	2,251	3.3%

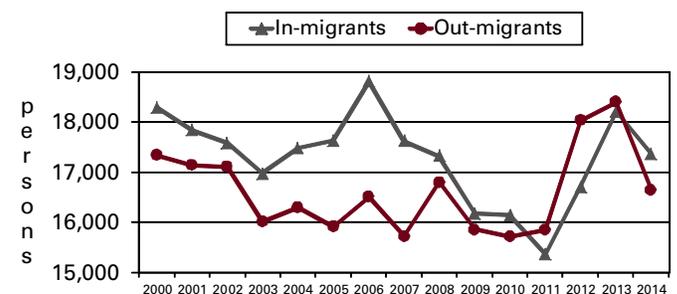
Median monthly owners cost **\$1,413**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **21.7**

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	4,447	58.4
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	298	20.3
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	3,145	840.6
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	1,935	5.3
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	1,291	3.6

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	146,054
Number of farms	865
Average size (acres)	169
Total cash receipts	\$65,040,000
Per farm	\$75,190
Receipts for crops	\$52,310,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$12,730,000

Education

Public schools buildings	85
Students (Average Daily Membership)	58,293
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	3,101.7
Expenditures per student	\$9,297
Graduation rate	88.6
Non-public schools	14
Students	3,443
4-year public universities	1
Branches	2
2-year public colleges/satellites	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	2 / 5

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	374,034
Passenger cars	266,843
Noncommercial trucks	46,311
Total license revenue	\$9,400,738.09
Interstate highway miles	11.25
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	46.45
State highway miles	178.54
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,776.93
Commercial airports	3

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	498
Registered hospitals	7
Number of beds	795
Licensed nursing homes	23
Number of beds	2,252
Licensed residential care	21
Number of beds	1,685
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	90.1%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	88.1%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	94.9%

Voting

Number of registered voters	236,261
Voted in 2014 election	88,508
Percent turnout	37.5%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	4
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	22,300
Weekly newspapers	1
Circulation	45,079

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	15,149
Violent crime	1,395
Property crime	13,659
Arson	95

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	3
Assets (000)	\$7,564,562
Branch offices	103
Institutions represented	19

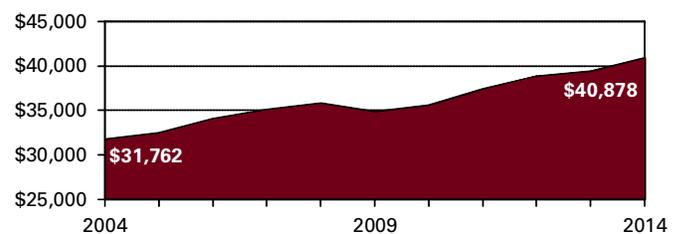
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$2,791,880,000
Payments to individuals	\$2,716,598,000
Retirement and disability	\$1,026,311,000
Medical payments	\$1,240,572,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$268,977,000
Unemployment benefits	\$30,302,000
Veterans benefits	\$68,062,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$57,487,000
Other payments to individuals	\$24,887,000
Total personal income	\$15,294,977,000
Dependency ratio	18.3%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, Scenic Waterways, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	3
Acreage	1,160.40

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Civilian labor force	188,900	186,500	186,600	186,600	187,100
Employed	171,800	172,200	172,600	176,300	178,600
Unemployed	17,100	14,300	14,000	10,300	8,600
Unemployment rate	9.1	7.7	7.5	5.5	4.6

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2014

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	7,236	125,813	\$5,486,061,192	\$839
Goods-Producing	1,072	26,443	\$1,679,279,033	\$1,221
Natural Resources and Mining	25	172	\$7,674,553	\$859
Constuction	609	6,099	\$330,640,761	\$1,043
Manufacturing	438	20,172	\$1,340,963,719	\$1,278
Service-Providing	6,164	99,370	\$3,806,782,159	\$737
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	1,873	37,314	\$1,531,200,742	\$789
Information	78	822	\$45,731,686	\$1,071
Financial Services	732	8,793	\$594,692,369	\$1,301
Professional and Business Services	1,159	14,580	\$556,362,603	\$734
Education and Health Services	861	18,725	\$749,134,955	\$769
Leisure and Hospitality	749	15,259	\$213,432,845	\$269
Other Services	694	3,848	\$115,475,259	\$577
Federal Government		548	\$35,086,187	\$1,231
State Government		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Local Government		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2009

Private Sector	2.0%	6.6%	18.6%	11.3%
Goods-Producing	-14.4%	4.0%	20.3%	15.6%
Natural Resources and Mining	25.0%	-22.5%	-23.5%	-1.4%
Construction	-19.4%	-9.6%	1.0%	11.8%
Manufacturing	-8.0%	9.3%	26.7%	15.9%
Service-Producing	5.5%	7.3%	17.9%	9.8%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	0.5%	5.3%	16.9%	11.0%
Information	-3.7%	-20.0%	-4.8%	19.1%
Financial Services	0.8%	-2.2%	17.7%	20.4%
Professional and Business Services	3.0%	28.6%	34.6%	4.7%
Education and Health Services	14.8%	0.5%	9.9%	9.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	10.1%	12.7%	22.6%	8.9%
Other Services	19.0%	7.9%	21.7%	12.7%
Federal Government		-9.6%	9.7%	21.2%
State Government		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Local Government		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *

Business Numbers

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Business starts	598	698	586	542	551
Active businesses	5,619	5,602	5,533	5,503	5,499

Major & Notable Employers

AK Steel Holding Corp	Mfg
Cincinnati Financial Corp	Ins
Cornerstone Brands Inc	Trade
Ft Hamilton Memorial Hospital	Serv
GE Aviation	Mfg
Lakota Local Schools	Govt
Liberty Mutual/Ohio Casualty Corp	Ins
Mercy Regional Hospital	Serv
Miami University	Govt
Miller Coors	Mfg
Pierre Foods	Mfg

Residential

Construction

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total units	401	496	655	866	1,027
Total valuation (000)	\$77,777	\$89,939	\$132,998	\$156,704	\$160,521
Total single-unit bldgs	393	488	611	583	591
Average cost per unit	\$196,160	\$182,637	\$208,913	\$224,705	\$219,666
Total multi-unit bldg units	8	8	44	283	436
Average cost per unit	\$85,845	\$101,538	\$121,651	\$90,817	\$70,409