

Ohio County Profiles



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Hancock County

Established: Act - April 1, 1820
2015 Population: 75,573
Land Area: 531.4 square miles
County Seat: Findlay City
Named for: John Hancock, signer of the Declaration of Independence



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$1,657,049,160
Residential	\$1,024,367,840
Agriculture	\$312,343,660
Industrial	\$84,924,800
Commercial	\$235,412,860
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$51,978,416
Average per return	\$1,510.17

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	9.81%
Developed, Higher Intensity	1.77%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.10%
Forest	5.86%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.33%
Pasture/Hay	0.62%
Cultivated Crops	79.63%
Wetlands	0.29%
Open Water	0.59%

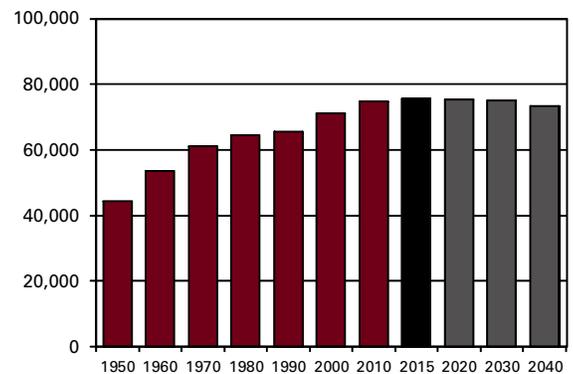
Largest Places

	Est. 2015	Census 2010
Findlay city	41,149	41,186
Liberty twp	7,026	6,660
Marion twp	2,930	2,775
Fostoria city (part)	2,904	2,932
Allen twp UB	2,256	2,203
McComb vlg	1,644	1,648
Arlington vlg	1,453	1,455
Orange twp UB	1,193	1,175
Eagle twp	1,141	1,084
Biglick twp	1,129	1,106

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1910	37,860
1810		1920	38,394
1820		1930	40,404
1830	813	1940	40,793
1840	9,986	1950	44,280
1850	16,751	1960	53,686
1860	22,886	1970	61,217
1870	23,847	1980	64,581
1880	27,784	1990	65,536
1890	42,563	2000	71,295
1900	41,993	2010	74,782
		2011	75,056
		2012	75,597
		2013	75,653
		2014	75,263
		2015	75,573
		Projected	
		2020	75,330
		2030	75,140
		2040	73,500



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	75,290	100.0%
White	70,560	93.7%
African-American	1,052	1.4%
Native American	82	0.1%
Asian	1,325	1.8%
Pacific Islander	21	0.0%
Other	743	1.0%
Two or More Races	1,507	2.0%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	3,605	4.8%
Total Minority	7,228	9.6%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	50,472	100.0%
No high school diploma	4,155	8.2%
High school graduate	18,613	36.9%
Some college, no degree	10,651	21.1%
Associate degree	4,462	8.8%
Bachelor's degree	8,080	16.0%
Master's degree or higher	4,511	8.9%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	20,016	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	8,270	41.3%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	3,112	15.5%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	1,129	5.6%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	2,715	13.6%
Male householder, in labor force	1,319	6.6%
Male householder, not in labor force	103	0.5%
Female householder, in labor force	2,562	12.8%
Female householder, not in labor force	806	4.0%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	30,795	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,861	6.0%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3,540	11.5%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	3,561	11.6%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	3,292	10.7%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3,089	10.0%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	2,933	9.5%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	3,456	11.2%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	3,637	11.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	3,374	11.0%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,059	3.4%
\$200,000 or more	993	3.2%
Median household income	\$50,166	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	75,290	100.0%
Under 5 years	4,561	6.1%
5 to 17 years	12,715	16.9%
18 to 24 years	7,542	10.0%
25 to 44 years	18,618	24.7%
45 to 64 years	20,423	27.1%
65 years and more	11,431	15.2%
Median Age	38.9	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	20,068	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	5,318	26.5%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	998	5.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	2,099	10.5%
Families with no own children	11,653	58.1%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	20,068	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	17,972	89.6%
Family income below poverty level	2,096	10.4%
Married couple, with related children	290	1.4%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	160	0.8%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	1,250	6.2%
Families with no related children	396	2.0%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	73,161	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	5,225	7.1%
50% to 99% of poverty level	5,637	7.7%
100% to 124% of poverty level	3,036	4.1%
125% to 149% of poverty level	3,241	4.4%
150% to 184% of poverty level	4,866	6.7%
185% to 199% of poverty level	1,891	2.6%
200% of poverty level or more	49,265	67.3%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	74,432	100.0%
Same house as previous year	62,696	84.2%
Different house, same county	6,877	9.2%
Different county, same state	3,150	4.2%
Different state	1,414	1.9%
Abroad	295	0.4%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	34,633	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	17,722	51.2%
15 to 29 minutes	11,510	33.2%
30 to 44 minutes	3,235	9.3%
45 to 59 minutes	1,126	3.3%
60 minutes or more	1,040	3.0%

Mean travel time 17.0 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	33,221	100.0%
Occupied housing units	30,795	92.7%
Owner occupied	21,758	70.7%
Renter occupied	9,037	29.3%
Vacant housing units	2,426	7.3%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	33,221	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	238	0.7%
Built 2000 to 2009	3,622	10.9%
Built 1990 to 1999	4,670	14.1%
Built 1980 to 1989	3,054	9.2%
Built 1970 to 1979	4,472	13.5%
Built 1960 to 1969	3,226	9.7%
Built 1950 to 1959	3,758	11.3%
Built 1940 to 1949	1,208	3.6%
Built 1939 or earlier	8,973	27.0%

Median year built 1968

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	21,758	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	1,101	5.1%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	598	2.7%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	941	4.3%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,745	8.0%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	2,788	12.8%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	3,788	17.4%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	2,243	10.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	4,170	19.2%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,684	12.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,270	5.8%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	405	1.9%
\$1,000,000 or more	25	0.1%

Median value \$124,500

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	30,795	100.0%
Utility gas	19,095	62.0%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	3,651	11.9%
Electricity	6,598	21.4%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	196	0.6%
Coal, coke or wood	982	3.2%
Solar energy or other fuel	169	0.5%
No fuel used	104	0.3%

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Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	9,037	100.0%
Less than \$100	66	0.7%
\$100 to \$199	102	1.1%
\$200 to \$299	232	2.6%
\$300 to \$399	470	5.2%
\$400 to \$499	1,043	11.5%
\$500 to \$599	1,597	17.7%
\$600 to \$699	1,245	13.8%
\$700 to \$799	1,317	14.6%
\$800 to \$899	775	8.6%
\$900 to \$999	844	9.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	756	8.4%
\$1,500 or more	187	2.1%
No cash rent	403	4.5%

Median gross rent \$664

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 27.3

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	14,163	100.0%
Less than \$400	172	1.2%
\$400 to \$599	685	4.8%
\$600 to \$799	1,578	11.1%
\$800 to \$999	2,590	18.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	2,628	18.6%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	2,422	17.1%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	2,304	16.3%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	1,419	10.0%
\$3,000 or more	365	2.6%

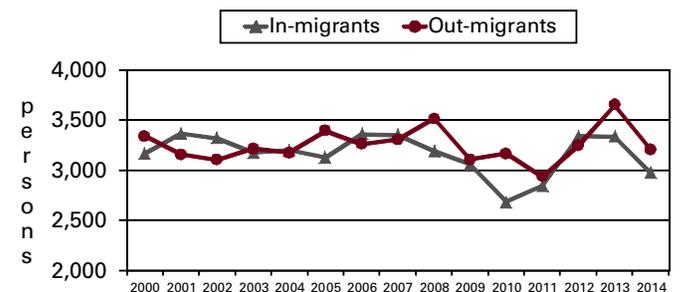
Median monthly owners cost \$1,196

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 20.6

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	962	66.6
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	56	21.4
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	707	938.4
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	502	6.8
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	307	4.1

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	230,261
Number of farms	831
Average size (acres)	277
Total cash receipts	\$160,245,000
Per farm	\$192,834
Receipts for crops	\$146,881,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$13,364,000

Education

Public schools buildings	36
Students (Average Daily Membership)	11,669
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	746.7
Expenditures per student	\$9,921
Graduation rate	89.9
Non-public schools	3
Students	660
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Private universities and colleges	1
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	2 / 1

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	90,997
Passenger cars	57,244
Noncommercial trucks	12,987
Total license revenue	\$2,514,408.21
Interstate highway miles	25.24
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	61.12
State highway miles	153.47
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,237.20
Commercial airports	3

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	154
Registered hospitals	2
Number of beds	201
Licensed nursing homes	5
Number of beds	546
Licensed residential care	9
Number of beds	804
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	91.5%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	90.1%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.0%

Voting

Number of registered voters	50,253
Voted in 2014 election	20,108
Percent turnout	40.0%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	4
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	19,990
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	1,746
Violent crime	81
Property crime	1,661
Arson	4

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	0
Assets (000)	\$0
Branch offices	29
Institutions represented	12

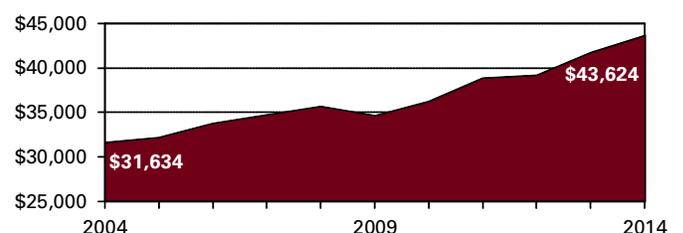
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$547,210,000
Payments to individuals	\$531,837,000
Retirement and disability	\$235,947,000
Medical payments	\$220,623,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$42,526,000
Unemployment benefits	\$5,444,000
Veterans benefits	\$11,654,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$10,664,000
Other payments to individuals	\$4,979,000
Total personal income	\$3,286,493,000
Dependency ratio	16.7%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	8
Acreage	628.24

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Civilian labor force	40,100	39,800	40,300	40,500	40,800
Employed	37,000	37,200	37,800	38,700	39,300
Unemployed	3,100	2,500	2,500	1,800	1,500
Unemployment rate	7.8	6.4	6.2	4.4	3.7

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2014

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	1,677	40,246	\$1,842,165,089	\$880
Goods-Producing	261	13,091	\$654,914,123	\$962
Natural Resources and Mining	15	81	\$2,805,502	\$664
Constuction	145	1,035	\$51,275,562	\$953
Manufacturing	102	11,976	\$600,833,059	\$965
Service-Providing	1,416	27,155	\$1,187,250,966	\$841
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	425	8,969	\$334,920,471	\$718
Information	26	364	\$13,841,493	\$732
Financial Services	171	952	\$42,522,544	\$859
Professional and Business Services	252	5,839	\$479,623,398	\$1,580
Education and Health Services	189	5,830	\$233,893,078	\$772
Leisure and Hospitality	191	3,988	\$54,091,295	\$261
Other Services	159	1,212	\$28,289,881	\$449
Federal Government		151	\$8,402,645	\$1,071
State Government		180	\$9,849,750	\$1,050
Local Government		2,998	\$115,742,167	\$742

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2009

Private Sector	-1.2%	13.6%	33.8%	17.6%
Goods-Producing	0.4%	6.7%	0.1%	-6.2%
Natural Resources and Mining	15.4%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Construction	-2.0%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Manufacturing	2.0%	23.9%	35.8%	9.7%
Service-Producing	-1.5%	17.3%	64.4%	40.2%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-4.3%	8.9%	30.7%	20.1%
Information	-3.7%	-17.5%	-17.7%	-0.1%
Financial Services	-7.6%	1.1%	16.0%	14.7%
Professional and Business Services	2.4%	77.7%	256.9%	100.8%
Education and Health Services	2.2%	5.4%	11.9%	6.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	-0.5%	10.7%	21.7%	10.1%
Other Services	0.6%	8.8%	14.9%	5.6%
Federal Government		-13.2%	-7.9%	6.5%
State Government		-14.7%	-10.0%	5.2%
Local Government		-8.8%	-2.1%	7.2%

Business Numbers

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Business starts	110	110	88	77	80
Active businesses	1,275	1,245	1,250	1,255	1,230

Major & Notable Employers

Blanchard Valley Health System	Serv
Consolidated Biscuit Co/Hearthside Food	Mfg
Cooper Tire & Rubber Co	Mfg
Findlay City Schools	Govt
Kohl's Corp	Trade
Lowe's Companies Inc	Trade
Marathon Petroleum Co LLC	Trade
Nissin Brake Ohio	Mfg
Sanoh America Inc	Mfg
University of Findlay	Serv
Whirlpool Corp	Mfg

Residential

Construction

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total units	78	87	94	92	99
Total valuation (000)	\$22,311	\$24,603	\$27,949	\$26,417	\$23,922
Total single-unit bldgs	78	87	94	90	93
Average cost per unit	\$286,035	\$282,797	\$297,326	\$287,965	\$247,550
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	2	6
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$250,000	\$150,000