

Ohio County Profiles



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2020 Edition

Holmes County

Established: Act - January 20, 1824
 2019 Population: 43,960
 Land Area: 423.0 square miles
 County Seat: Millersburg Village
 Named for: Major Holmes, War of 1812



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$1,005,763,430
Residential	\$529,549,380
Agriculture	\$291,315,800
Industrial	\$63,465,350
Commercial	\$120,079,220
Mineral	\$1,353,680
Ohio income tax liability	\$14,604,998
Average per return	\$862.31

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	6.11%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.61%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.08%
Forest	39.88%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.36%
Pasture/Hay	38.64%
Cultivated Crops	12.83%
Wetlands	1.10%
Open Water	0.38%

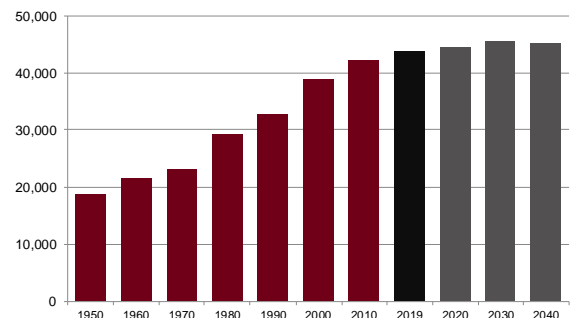
Largest Places

	Est. 2019	Census 2010
Salt Creek twp	4,401	4,252
Berlin twp	4,393	4,252
Paint twp	4,281	4,134
Clark twp UB	4,064	3,936
Walnut Creek twp	3,921	3,821
Mechanic twp	3,260	3,127
Millersburg vlg	3,200	3,025
Hardy twp UB	2,827	2,624
Prairie twp UB	2,714	2,761
Ripley twp	2,414	2,338

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		2014	43,788
1810		2015	43,882
1820		2016	43,847
1830	9,135	2017	43,895
1840	18,088	2018	43,919
1850	20,452	2019	43,960
1860	20,589	2020	44,620
1870	18,177	2030	45,700
1880	20,776	2040	45,280
1890	21,139		
1900	19,511		
		1910	17,909
		1920	16,965
		1930	16,726
		1940	17,876
		1950	18,760
		1960	21,591
		1970	23,024
		1980	29,416
		1990	32,849
		2000	38,943
		2010	42,366



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	43,859	100.0%
White	43,138	98.4%
African-American	48	0.1%
Native American	14	0.0%
Asian	85	0.2%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	44	0.1%
Two or More Races	530	1.2%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	409	0.9%
Total Minority	933	2.1%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	25,374	100.0%
No high school diploma	10,761	42.4%
High school graduate	8,426	33.2%
Some college, no degree	2,938	11.6%
Associate degree	996	3.9%
Bachelor's degree	1,581	6.2%
Master's degree or higher	672	2.6%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	10,053	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	3,443	34.2%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	4,052	40.3%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	419	4.2%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,031	10.3%
Male householder, in labor force	213	2.1%
Male householder, not in labor force	127	1.3%
Female householder, in labor force	590	5.9%
Female householder, not in labor force	178	1.8%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	12,437	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	647	5.2%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	734	5.9%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,232	9.9%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,139	9.2%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,150	9.2%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,091	8.8%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	1,665	13.4%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,887	15.2%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,790	14.4%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	519	4.2%
\$200,000 or more	583	4.7%
Median household income	\$62,111	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	43,859	100.0%
Under 5 years	3,656	8.3%
5 to 17 years	10,471	23.9%
18 to 24 years	4,358	9.9%
25 to 44 years	10,201	23.3%
45 to 64 years	9,474	21.6%
65 years and more	5,699	13.0%
Median Age	31.3	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	10,078	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	4,515	44.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	133	1.3%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	377	3.7%
Families with no own children	5,053	50.1%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	10,078	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	9,227	91.6%
Family income below poverty level	851	8.4%
Married couple, with related children	465	54.6%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	34	4.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	168	19.7%
Families with no related children	184	21.6%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	42,934	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,462	3.4%
50% to 99% of poverty level	3,325	7.7%
100% to 124% of poverty level	1,338	3.1%
125% to 149% of poverty level	2,181	5.1%
150% to 184% of poverty level	3,418	8.0%
185% to 199% of poverty level	1,482	3.5%
200% of poverty level or more	29,728	69.2%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	42,988	100.0%
Same house as previous year	39,548	92.0%
Different house, same county	1,957	4.6%
Different county, same state	1,117	2.6%
Different state	308	0.7%
Abroad	58	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	18,004	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	7,041	39.1%
15 to 29 minutes	6,388	35.5%
30 to 44 minutes	2,861	15.9%
45 to 59 minutes	645	3.6%
60 minutes or more	1,069	5.9%

Mean travel time 21.7 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,640	100.0%
Occupied housing units	12,437	91.2%
Owner occupied	9,458	76.0%
Renter occupied	2,979	24.0%
Vacant housing units	1,203	8.8%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,640	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	199	1.5%
Built 2010 to 2013	467	3.4%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,771	13.0%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,479	18.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,854	13.6%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,977	14.5%
Built 1960 to 1969	829	6.1%
Built 1950 to 1959	756	5.5%
Built 1940 to 1949	580	4.3%
Built 1939 or earlier	2,728	20.0%

Median year built 1980

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	9,458	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	317	3.4%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	211	2.2%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	250	2.6%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	272	2.9%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	560	5.9%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	813	8.6%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	706	7.5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,583	16.7%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,306	24.4%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,814	19.2%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	434	4.6%
\$1,000,000 or more	192	2.0%

Median value \$200,700

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	12,437	100.0%
Utility gas	6,740	54.2%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,282	10.3%
Electricity	1,635	13.1%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	255	2.1%
Coal, coke or wood	2,236	18.0%
Solar energy or other fuel	251	2.0%
No fuel used	38	0.3%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	2,979	100.0%
Less than \$100	0	0.0%
\$100 to \$199	0	0.0%
\$200 to \$299	202	6.8%
\$300 to \$399	79	2.7%
\$400 to \$499	394	13.2%
\$500 to \$599	354	11.9%
\$600 to \$699	476	16.0%
\$700 to \$799	322	10.8%
\$800 to \$899	205	6.9%
\$900 to \$999	59	2.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	159	5.3%
\$1,500 or more	69	2.3%
No cash rent	660	22.2%

Median gross rent \$639

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 22.7

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	5,314	100.0%
Less than \$400	101	1.9%
\$400 to \$599	250	4.7%
\$600 to \$799	444	8.4%
\$800 to \$999	840	15.8%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,104	20.8%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	794	14.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,342	25.3%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	302	5.7%
\$3,000 or more	137	2.6%

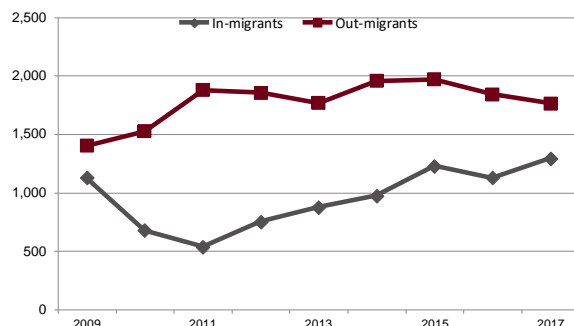
Median monthly owners cost \$1,231

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 20.0

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	780	91.5
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	14	7.7
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	326	742.3

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	173,925
Number of farms	1,673
Average size (acres)	104
Total cash receipts	\$182,088,000
Per farm	\$108,839
Receipts for crops	\$33,467,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$148,621,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	16
Students	3,806
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	264.2
Expenditures per student	\$9,453
Graduation rate	89.9
Community/charter schools buildings	0
Students	0
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	0.0
Expenditures per student	
Graduation rate	
Private schools	
Students	
4-year public universities	0
Regional campuses	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	0
Ohio Technical Centers	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	1 / 2

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	43,713
Passenger cars	18,707
Noncommercial trucks	7,199
Total license revenue	\$1,735,993.66
Permissive tax revenue	\$221,432.50
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	37.14
State highway miles	136.82
County, township, and municipal road miles	848.42
Commercial airports	1

Health Care

Physicians	29
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	69
Licensed nursing homes	5
Number of beds	579
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	60
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	75.9%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	75.6%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	77.0%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	1
Daily newspapers	0
Circulation	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0
Online only	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	121
Violent crime	1
Property crime	120

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$1,272,154
Branch offices	20
Institutions represented	7

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$226,118,000
Payments to individuals	\$215,765,000
Retirement and disability	\$76,198,000
Medical payments	\$110,243,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$14,824,000
Unemployment benefits	\$2,187,000
Veterans benefits	\$3,933,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$5,295,000
Other payments to individuals	\$3,085,000
Total personal income	\$1,984,397,000
Dependency ratio	11.4%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

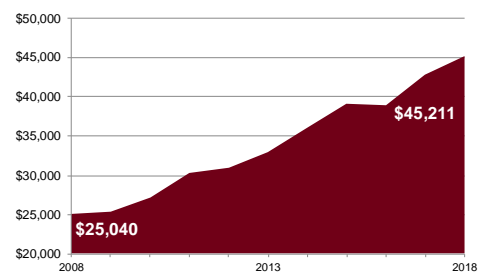
Voting

Number of registered voters	18,113
Voted in 2018 election	9,212
Percent turnout	50.9%

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

Areas/Facilities	4
Acreage	1,378

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Civilian labor force	20,800	20,700	20,800	21,000	20,600
Employed	20,200	20,000	20,000	20,200	19,900
Unemployed	600	700	700	800	700
Unemployment rate	3.0	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.4

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2018

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	1,321	18,238	\$729,582,320	\$769
Goods-Producing	679	9,797	\$441,596,298	\$867
Natural Resources and Mining	49	250	\$8,660,794	\$666
Construction	295	2,310	\$111,767,053	\$931
Manufacturing	336	7,237	\$321,168,451	\$853
Service-Providing	642	8,442	\$287,986,022	\$656
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	296	4,214	\$161,396,449	\$737
Information	6	75	\$2,496,178	\$642
Financial Services	47	441	\$20,048,471	\$874
Professional and Business Services	84	802	\$34,665,320	\$831
Education and Health Services	53	1,026	\$34,113,479	\$640
Leisure and Hospitality	85	1,551	\$23,977,875	\$297
Other Services	70	330	\$11,221,333	\$654
Federal Government		61	\$3,416,888	\$1,079
State Government		43	\$2,445,938	\$1,102
Local Government		1,504	\$59,199,982	\$757

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	23.1%	10.3%	40.5%	27.3%
Goods-Producing	35.3%	11.8%	47.0%	31.6%
Natural Resources and Mining	25.6%	-9.1%	-7.1%	2.3%
Construction	43.2%	25.6%	68.1%	34.0%
Manufacturing	30.2%	8.9%	43.0%	31.2%
Service-Producing	12.4%	8.7%	31.5%	21.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.9%	21.9%	55.7%	28.0%
Information	-14.3%	-16.7%	-12.4%	5.8%
Financial Services	6.8%	8.6%	23.5%	13.7%
Professional and Business Services	23.5%	-36.7%	-21.1%	24.6%
Education and Health Services	6.0%	5.3%	20.8%	14.9%
Leisure and Hospitality	9.0%	15.9%	37.1%	18.3%
Other Services	20.7%	41.6%	70.9%	20.7%
Federal Government		0.0%	18.6%	17.9%
State Government		26.5%	59.6%	25.2%
Local Government		0.3%	11.2%	11.0%

Residential

Construction	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Total units	5	6	5	1	1
Total valuation (000)	\$645	\$1,207	\$860	\$75	\$100
Total single-unit bldgs	5	6	5	1	1
Average cost per unit	\$128,941	\$201,157	\$172,000	\$75,000	\$100,000
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0		

Major & Notable Employers

Case Foods Inc	Mfg
Centor Inc	Mfg
East Holmes Local Schools	Govt
International Automotive Components	Mfg
Overhead Door/Wayne-Dalton	Mfg
Pomerene Hospital	Serv
ProVia	Mfg
Sperry & Rice Mfg Co LLC	Mfg
Weaver Leather Goods Inc	Mfg
West Holmes Local Schools	Govt