

Ohio County Profiles



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2020 Edition

Jackson County

Established: Act - March 1, 1816
 2019 Population: 32,413
 Land Area: 420.3 square miles
 County Seat: Jackson City
 Named for: Andrew Jackson, Seventh U.S. President



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$500,883,170
Residential	\$366,479,610
Agriculture	\$46,027,020
Industrial	\$19,355,920
Commercial	\$68,653,790
Mineral	\$366,830
Ohio income tax liability	\$10,785,229
Average per return	\$835.61

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	6.02%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.67%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.45%
Forest	64.73%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	3.83%
Pasture/Hay	20.71%
Cultivated Crops	2.16%
Wetlands	1.11%
Open Water	0.33%

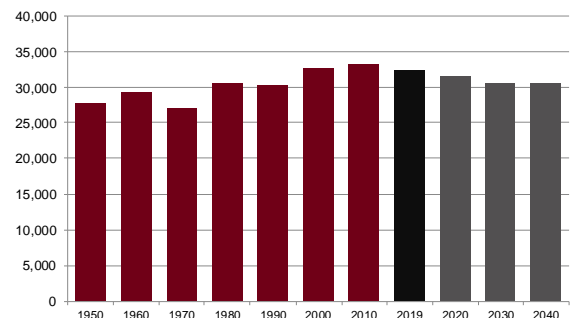
Largest Places

	Est. 2019	Census 2010
Jackson city	6,230	6,397
Wellston city	5,507	5,663
Jefferson twp UB	2,629	2,685
Lick twp	2,571	2,661
Franklin twp	2,088	2,129
Scioto twp	1,885	1,921
Liberty twp	1,775	1,821
Oak Hill vlg	1,522	1,551
Madison twp UB	1,517	1,549
Coal twp UB	1,454	1,495

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		2014	32,761
1810		2015	32,559
1820	3,746	2016	32,528
1830	5,941	2017	32,386
1840	9,744	2018	32,366
1850	12,719	2019	32,413
1860	17,941	2020	31,600
1870	21,759	2030	30,670
1880	23,686	2040	30,630
1890	28,408		
1900	34,248		
	1910	30,791	
	1920	27,342	
	1930	25,040	
	1940	27,004	
	1950	27,767	
	1960	29,372	
	1970	27,174	
	1980	30,592	
	1990	30,230	
	2000	32,641	
	2010	33,225	



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	32,524	100.0%
White	31,509	96.9%
African-American	202	0.6%
Native American	13	0.0%
Asian	38	0.1%
Pacific Islander	29	0.1%
Other	0	0.0%
Two or More Races	733	2.3%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	341	1.0%
Total Minority	1,286	4.0%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	22,110	100.0%
No high school diploma	3,416	15.5%
High school graduate	9,252	41.8%
Some college, no degree	4,028	18.2%
Associate degree	2,042	9.2%
Bachelor's degree	2,291	10.4%
Master's degree or higher	1,081	4.9%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	9,124	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	3,102	34.0%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,211	13.3%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	753	8.3%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,453	15.9%
Male householder, in labor force	644	7.1%
Male householder, not in labor force	283	3.1%
Female householder, in labor force	1,118	12.3%
Female householder, not in labor force	560	6.1%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	12,892	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	981	7.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,848	14.3%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,256	9.7%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,457	11.3%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,793	13.9%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,109	8.6%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	1,491	11.6%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,320	10.2%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,265	9.8%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	262	2.0%
\$200,000 or more	110	0.9%
Median household income	\$45,340	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	32,524	100.0%
Under 5 years	2,053	6.3%
5 to 17 years	5,830	17.9%
18 to 24 years	2,531	7.8%
25 to 44 years	8,087	24.9%
45 to 64 years	8,697	26.7%
65 years and more	5,326	16.4%
Median Age	40.1	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	9,132	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	1,965	21.5%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	550	6.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	934	10.2%
Families with no own children	5,683	62.2%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	9,132	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	7,727	84.6%
Family income below poverty level	1,405	15.4%
Married couple, with related children	331	23.6%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	170	12.1%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	638	45.4%
Families with no related children	266	18.9%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	31,980	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	3,115	9.7%
50% to 99% of poverty level	3,150	9.8%
100% to 124% of poverty level	2,519	7.9%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,251	3.9%
150% to 184% of poverty level	2,464	7.7%
185% to 199% of poverty level	1,847	5.8%
200% of poverty level or more	17,634	55.1%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	32,162	100.0%
Same house as previous year	28,405	88.3%
Different house, same county	2,207	6.9%
Different county, same state	1,226	3.8%
Different state	283	0.9%
Abroad	41	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	12,811	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	4,461	34.8%
15 to 29 minutes	3,748	29.3%
30 to 44 minutes	2,187	17.1%
45 to 59 minutes	1,074	8.4%
60 minutes or more	1,341	10.5%

Mean travel time 27.1 minutes

Housing Units	Number	Percent
Total housing units	14,774	100.0%
Occupied housing units	12,892	87.3%
Owner occupied	9,044	70.2%
Renter occupied	3,848	29.8%
Vacant housing units	1,882	12.7%

Year Structure Built	Number	Percent
Total housing units	14,774	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	88	0.6%
Built 2010 to 2013	148	1.0%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,865	12.6%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,547	17.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,493	10.1%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,258	15.3%
Built 1960 to 1969	901	6.1%
Built 1950 to 1959	1,812	12.3%
Built 1940 to 1949	995	6.7%
Built 1939 or earlier	2,667	18.1%

Median year built 1974

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	9,044	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	455	5.0%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	733	8.1%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,111	12.3%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,182	13.1%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,446	16.0%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,061	11.7%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	730	8.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,046	11.6%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	878	9.7%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	330	3.6%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	49	0.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	23	0.3%

Median value \$94,600

House Heating Fuel	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	12,892	100.0%
Utility gas	4,244	32.9%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,721	13.3%
Electricity	5,931	46.0%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	179	1.4%
Coal, coke or wood	782	6.1%
Solar energy or other fuel	23	0.2%
No fuel used	12	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	3,848	100.0%
Less than \$100	13	0.3%
\$100 to \$199	2	0.1%
\$200 to \$299	155	4.0%
\$300 to \$399	260	6.8%
\$400 to \$499	268	7.0%
\$500 to \$599	333	8.7%
\$600 to \$699	653	17.0%
\$700 to \$799	363	9.4%
\$800 to \$899	552	14.3%
\$900 to \$999	291	7.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	338	8.8%
\$1,500 or more	61	1.6%
No cash rent	559	14.5%

Median gross rent \$695

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 25.1

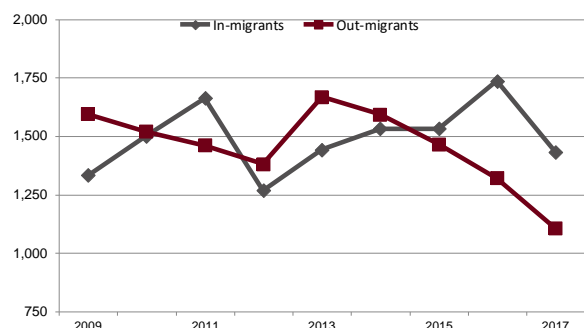
Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	4,652	100.0%
Less than \$400	37	0.8%
\$400 to \$599	250	5.4%
\$600 to \$799	923	19.8%
\$800 to \$999	1,030	22.1%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	891	19.2%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	730	15.7%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	585	12.6%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	190	4.1%
\$3,000 or more	16	0.3%

Median monthly owners cost \$1,024

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 21.8

Vital Statistics	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	348	60.1
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	26	27.8
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	463	1,430.5

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	67,446
Number of farms	508
Average size (acres)	133
Total cash receipts	\$11,042,000
Per farm	\$21,736
Receipts for crops	\$5,199,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$5,842,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	11
Students	4,787
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	465.2
Expenditures per student	\$8,731
Graduation rate	92.9
Community/charter schools buildings	0
Students	0
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	0.0
Expenditures per student	
Graduation rate	
Private schools	2
Students	253
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)	3 / 3

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	41,412
Passenger cars	23,147
Noncommercial trucks	9,327
Total license revenue	\$1,140,281.11
Permissive tax revenue	\$145,725.00
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	27.23
State highway miles	141.00
County, township, and municipal road miles	780.23
Commercial airports	1

Health Care

Physicians	28
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	25
Licensed nursing homes	4
Number of beds	289
Licensed residential care	2
Number of beds	146
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	91.4%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	90.1%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	94.6%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	4
Daily newspapers	0
Circulation	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0
Weekly newspapers	1
Circulation	4,000
Average monthly unique visitors	112,917
Online only	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	540
Violent crime	45
Property crime	495

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	0
Assets (000)	\$0
Branch offices	15
Institutions represented	5

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$368,790,000
Payments to individuals	\$361,094,000
Retirement and disability	\$111,324,000
Medical payments	\$190,010,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$36,351,000
Unemployment benefits	\$2,793,000
Veterans benefits	\$14,168,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$3,935,000
Other payments to individuals	\$2,513,000
Total personal income	\$1,158,812,000
Dependency ratio	31.8%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

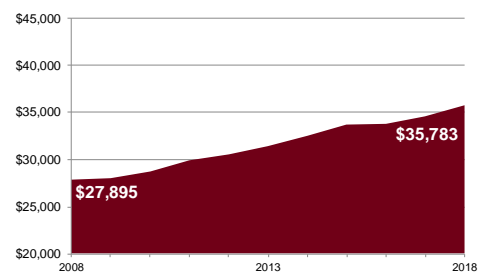
Voting

Number of registered voters	21,501
Voted in 2018 election	10,378
Percent turnout	48.3%

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

Areas/Facilities	11
Acreage	16,035

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Civilian labor force	12,700	12,800	12,900	12,800	13,000
Employed	11,900	12,000	12,000	11,800	12,100
Unemployed	800	800	900	1,000	1,000
Unemployment rate	6.2	6.5	7.2	7.9	7.5

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2018

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	623	8,719	\$294,394,275	\$649
Goods-Producing	92	3,313	\$139,990,806	\$813
Natural Resources and Mining	17	72	\$2,608,837	\$700
Construction	47	362	\$18,107,486	\$961
Manufacturing	28	2,879	\$119,274,483	\$797
Service-Providing	531	5,406	\$154,403,469	\$549
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	175	1,771	\$50,711,161	\$551
Information	7	59	\$1,955,146	\$641
Financial Services	63	304	\$12,133,755	\$767
Professional and Business Services	61	746	\$21,022,929	\$542
Education and Health Services	105	1,353	\$51,495,072	\$732
Leisure and Hospitality	58	961	\$13,083,894	\$262
Other Services	62	211	\$4,001,512	\$364
Federal Government		70	\$3,643,015	\$1,008
State Government		135	\$8,904,323	\$1,267
Local Government		1,324	\$52,302,303	\$760

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	0.0%	-3.5%	3.4%	7.1%
Goods-Producing	-2.1%	-14.3%	-6.4%	9.3%
Natural Resources and Mining	-5.6%	-67.0%	-71.6%	-13.8%
Construction	0.0%	1.7%	7.1%	5.3%
Manufacturing	-6.7%	-12.6%	-3.4%	10.5%
Service-Producing	0.4%	4.6%	14.2%	9.1%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	6.1%	6.1%	13.9%	7.4%
Information	-12.5%	-19.2%	-23.9%	-5.2%
Financial Services	8.6%	-5.9%	5.9%	12.5%
Professional and Business Services	-4.7%	8.3%	9.1%	0.7%
Education and Health Services	36.4%	5.8%	22.3%	15.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	13.7%	13.3%	28.0%	12.9%
Other Services	-42.1%	-26.0%	-20.9%	6.7%
Federal Government		7.7%	6.3%	-0.6%
State Government		-4.3%	23.0%	27.9%
Local Government		0.2%	13.5%	13.4%

Major & Notable Employers

Bellisio Foods Inc	Mfg
General Mills Inc	Mfg
Holzer Medical Center	Serv
Jackson City Schools	Govt
Osco Industries Inc	Mfg
Wal-Mart Stores Inc	Trade
Wellston City Schools	Govt

Residential

Construction	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Total units	65	69	62	62	83
Total valuation (000)	\$15,771	\$16,607	\$13,961	\$14,481	\$17,735
Total single-unit bldgs	65	69	62	62	83
Average cost per unit	\$242,631	\$240,684	\$225,179	\$233,563	\$213,675
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0		