

Ohio County Profiles



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2020 Edition

Mahoning County

Established: Act - March 1, 1846
 2019 Population: 228,683
 Land Area: 415.3 square miles
 County Seat: Youngstown City
 Named for: Native American word meaning "at the salt licks"



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$3,923,471,520
Residential	\$2,812,386,770
Agriculture	\$162,073,040
Industrial	\$163,381,170
Commercial	\$781,597,280
Mineral	\$4,033,260
Ohio income tax liability	\$112,340,353
Average per return	\$1,067.03

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	23.18%
Developed, Higher Intensity	4.99%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.64%
Forest	31.65%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.22%
Pasture/Hay	19.20%
Cultivated Crops	13.25%
Wetlands	3.49%
Open Water	2.38%

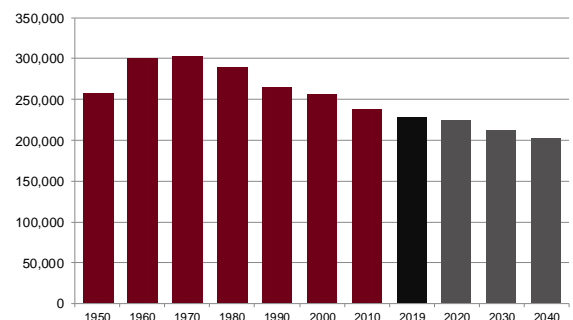
Largest Places

	Est. 2019	Census 2010
Youngstown city (pt.)	65,469	66,971
Boardman twp UB	38,838	40,882
Austintown twp	34,879	36,722
Poland twp UB	11,835	12,412
Struthers city	10,111	10,713
Canfield twp UB	8,221	8,649
Campbell city	7,785	8,235
Canfield city	7,176	7,515
Beaver twp UB	6,391	6,705
Springfield twp	6,383	6,703

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		2014	233,391
1810		2015	231,846
1820		2016	230,269
1830		2017	229,791
1840		2018	229,216
1850	23,735	2019	228,683
1860	25,894	2020	224,680
1870	31,001	2030	212,240
1880	42,871	2040	202,630
1890	55,979		
1900	70,134		
		1910	116,151
		1920	186,310
		1930	236,142
		1940	240,251
		1950	257,629
		1960	300,480
		1970	303,424
		1980	289,487
		1990	264,806
		2000	257,555
		2010	238,823



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	231,064	100.0%
White	184,750	80.0%
African-American	34,859	15.1%
Native American	698	0.3%
Asian	1,972	0.9%
Pacific Islander	70	0.0%
Other	1,724	0.7%
Two or More Races	6,991	3.0%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	13,489	5.8%
Total Minority	55,078	23.8%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	164,229	100.0%
No high school diploma	14,934	9.1%
High school graduate	62,331	38.0%
Some college, no degree	35,052	21.3%
Associate degree	12,254	7.5%
Bachelor's degree	26,177	15.9%
Master's degree or higher	13,481	8.2%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	59,685	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	20,268	34.0%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	7,921	13.3%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	3,796	6.4%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	9,048	15.2%
Male householder, in labor force	3,420	5.7%
Male householder, not in labor force	1,307	2.2%
Female householder, in labor force	9,495	15.9%
Female householder, not in labor force	4,430	7.4%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	98,052	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	8,457	8.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	12,293	12.5%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	12,297	12.5%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	11,175	11.4%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9,460	9.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	7,567	7.7%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	8,725	8.9%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	11,372	11.6%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	10,896	11.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	3,033	3.1%
\$200,000 or more	2,777	2.8%
Median household income	\$44,682	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	231,064	100.0%
Under 5 years	12,009	5.2%
5 to 17 years	34,843	15.1%
18 to 24 years	19,983	8.6%
25 to 44 years	52,484	22.7%
45 to 64 years	65,500	28.3%
65 years and more	46,245	20.0%
Median Age	43.5	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	59,891	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	13,152	22.0%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	2,118	3.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	7,379	12.3%
Families with no own children	37,242	62.2%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	59,891	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	51,707	86.3%
Family income below poverty level	8,184	13.7%
Married couple, with related children	895	10.9%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	715	8.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	4,304	52.6%
Families with no related children	2,270	27.7%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	223,948	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	16,380	7.3%
50% to 99% of poverty level	23,061	10.3%
100% to 124% of poverty level	10,985	4.9%
125% to 149% of poverty level	11,260	5.0%
150% to 184% of poverty level	15,149	6.8%
185% to 199% of poverty level	6,727	3.0%
200% of poverty level or more	140,386	62.7%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	229,010	100.0%
Same house as previous year	200,628	87.6%
Different house, same county	18,107	7.9%
Different county, same state	5,775	2.5%
Different state	3,994	1.7%
Abroad	506	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	98,557	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	31,797	32.3%
15 to 29 minutes	44,238	44.9%
30 to 44 minutes	12,988	13.2%
45 to 59 minutes	4,027	4.1%
60 minutes or more	5,507	5.6%

Mean travel time 22.0 minutes

Housing Units	Number	Percent
Total housing units	111,447	100.0%
Occupied housing units	98,052	88.0%
Owner occupied	67,349	68.7%
Renter occupied	30,703	31.3%
Vacant housing units	13,395	12.0%

Year Structure Built	Number	Percent
Total housing units	111,447	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	251	0.2%
Built 2010 to 2013	814	0.7%
Built 2000 to 2009	6,884	6.2%
Built 1990 to 1999	9,131	8.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	6,968	6.3%
Built 1970 to 1979	15,800	14.2%
Built 1960 to 1969	15,335	13.8%
Built 1950 to 1959	23,982	21.5%
Built 1940 to 1949	8,300	7.4%
Built 1939 or earlier	23,982	21.5%

Median year built 1960

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	67,349	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	4,332	6.4%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	4,994	7.4%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	6,650	9.9%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	8,213	12.2%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	8,392	12.5%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	8,097	12.0%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	6,010	8.9%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	9,060	13.5%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	7,376	11.0%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	3,248	4.8%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	843	1.3%
\$1,000,000 or more	134	0.2%

Median value \$103,400

House Heating Fuel	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	98,052	100.0%
Utility gas	77,552	79.1%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,886	1.9%
Electricity	12,599	12.8%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	2,473	2.5%
Coal, coke or wood	1,075	1.1%
Solar energy or other fuel	821	0.8%
No fuel used	1,646	1.7%

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Gross Rent	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	30,703	100.0%
Less than \$100	250	0.8%
\$100 to \$199	543	1.8%
\$200 to \$299	1,778	5.8%
\$300 to \$399	834	2.7%
\$400 to \$499	2,371	7.7%
\$500 to \$599	4,815	15.7%
\$600 to \$699	4,990	16.3%
\$700 to \$799	3,699	12.0%
\$800 to \$899	2,873	9.4%
\$900 to \$999	2,705	8.8%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	3,007	9.8%
\$1,500 or more	640	2.1%
No cash rent	2,198	7.2%

Median gross rent \$670

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 29.5

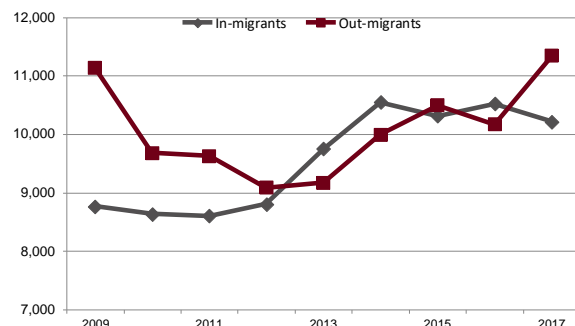
Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	37,621	100.0%
Less than \$400	577	1.5%
\$400 to \$599	2,930	7.8%
\$600 to \$799	6,326	16.8%
\$800 to \$999	6,889	18.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	7,514	20.0%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	5,053	13.4%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	4,710	12.5%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	2,740	7.3%
\$3,000 or more	882	2.3%

Median monthly owners cost \$1,069

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 19.4

Vital Statistics	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	2,424	61.8
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	155	23.2
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	3,115	1,359.0

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	74,560
Number of farms	774
Average size (acres)	96
Total cash receipts	\$68,599,000
Per farm	\$88,630
Receipts for crops	\$24,543,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$44,057,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	57
Students	27,039
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	2,176.7
Expenditures per student	\$9,617
Graduation rate	93.5
Community/charter schools buildings	7
Students	1,886
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	188.9
Expenditures per student	\$8,359
Graduation rate	47.2
Private schools	15
Students	3,837
4-year public universities	1
Regional campuses	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Ohio Technical Centers	2
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	1 / 15

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	257,716
Passenger cars	181,997
Noncommercial trucks	30,496
Total license revenue	\$7,223,351.29
Permissive tax revenue	\$3,999,960.00
Interstate highway miles	55.34
Turnpike miles	24.51
U.S. highway miles	58.35
State highway miles	174.85
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,677.75
Commercial airports	5

Health Care

Physicians	708
Registered hospitals	9
Number of beds	1,522
Licensed nursing homes	28
Number of beds	2,612
Licensed residential care	24
Number of beds	1,773
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.9%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	92.0%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.5%

Communications

Television stations	4
Radio stations	13
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	28,864
Average monthly unique visitors	300,000
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	6,267
Violent crime	635
Property crime	5,632

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$5,176,641
Branch offices	67
Institutions represented	11

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$2,663,086,000
Payments to individuals	\$2,610,157,000
Retirement and disability	\$920,194,000
Medical payments	\$1,285,490,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$244,697,000
Unemployment benefits	\$20,001,000
Veterans benefits	\$68,966,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$51,640,000
Other payments to individuals	\$19,169,000
Total personal income	\$9,896,991,000
Dependency ratio	26.9%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

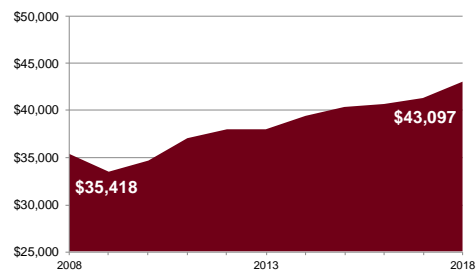
Voting

Number of registered voters	169,621
Voted in 2018 election	92,812
Percent turnout	54.7%

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

Areas/Facilities	4
Acreage	5,002

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Civilian labor force	103,100	104,200	105,100	105,900	106,800
Employed	97,200	98,100	97,800	99,100	100,300
Unemployed	5,900	6,100	7,300	6,800	6,500
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.9	6.9	6.4	6.1

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2018

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	5,661	83,569	\$3,187,259,916	\$733
Goods-Producing	851	14,202	\$758,783,675	\$1,027
Natural Resources and Mining	34	298	\$14,937,049	\$963
Construction	494	4,787	\$278,149,513	\$1,118
Manufacturing	323	9,118	\$465,697,113	\$982
Service-Providing	4,811	69,366	\$2,428,476,241	\$673
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	1,402	19,771	\$732,716,222	\$713
Information	67	998	\$52,573,602	\$1,013
Financial Services	526	2,773	\$144,933,220	\$1,005
Professional and Business Services	859	10,262	\$444,190,093	\$832
Education and Health Services	874	20,391	\$792,306,794	\$747
Leisure and Hospitality	623	12,093	\$182,838,261	\$291
Other Services	459	3,074	\$78,858,094	\$493
Federal Government		1,159	\$77,962,422	\$1,293
State Government		2,564	\$146,402,369	\$1,098
Local Government		9,800	\$414,663,269	\$814

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	-1.1%	-1.5%	11.1%	12.8%
Goods-Producing	-2.7%	0.5%	10.6%	10.1%
Natural Resources and Mining	0.0%	-16.5%	-13.5%	3.5%
Construction	-1.2%	3.6%	16.1%	12.0%
Manufacturing	-5.3%	-0.4%	8.6%	9.0%
Service-Producing	-0.8%	-1.9%	11.3%	13.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-2.3%	-5.0%	9.1%	15.0%
Information	-26.4%	-11.1%	6.1%	19.3%
Financial Services	-5.4%	-7.8%	5.2%	14.1%
Professional and Business Services	0.4%	-21.8%	-2.5%	24.6%
Education and Health Services	2.8%	9.6%	21.0%	10.3%
Leisure and Hospitality	5.1%	10.1%	27.1%	15.5%
Other Services	0.2%	0.4%	15.8%	15.2%
Federal Government		-4.0%	2.0%	6.2%
State Government		-2.8%	7.3%	10.5%
Local Government		6.9%	13.3%	6.0%

Residential

Construction

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Total units	127	146	139	162	135
Total valuation (000)	\$28,181	\$32,244	\$32,376	\$36,812	\$30,469
Total single-unit bldgs	127	142	139	162	135
Average cost per unit	\$221,901	\$224,775	\$232,923	\$227,235	\$225,694
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	4	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$81,450	\$0		

Major & Notable Employers

Austintown Local Schools	Govt
Boardman Local Schools	Govt
InfoCision Management	Serv
Mahoning County Government	Govt
Mercy Health Youngstown	Serv
Schwebel Baking Company	Mfg
Steward Health Care	Serv
UCFC/Home Savings & Loan Co	Fin
Vallourec Star/V&M Star	Mfg
VXI Global Solutions	Serv
Wal-Mart Stores Inc	Trade
Youngstown City Schools	Govt
Youngstown State University	Govt