

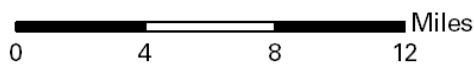
Ohio County Profiles



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Mercer County

Established: Act - April 1, 1820
2017 Population: 40,873
Land Area: 463.3 square miles
County Seat: Celina City
Named for: General Hugh Mercer, Revolutionary War



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$1,085,979,200
Residential	\$613,527,420
Agriculture	\$379,168,640
Industrial	\$27,573,330
Commercial	\$65,706,290
Mineral	\$3,520
Ohio income tax liability	\$23,157,285
Average per return	\$1,142.78

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	7.79%
Developed, Higher Intensity	1.01%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.01%
Forest	4.25%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.09%
Pasture/Hay	4.21%
Cultivated Crops	77.48%
Wetlands	0.59%
Open Water	3.55%

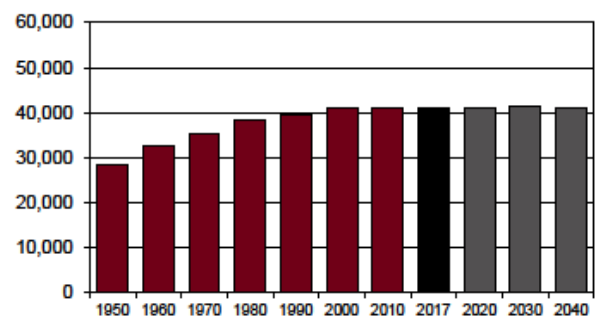
Largest Places

	Est. 2017	Census 2010
Celina city	10,290	10,400
Coldwater vlg	4,503	4,427
Jefferson twp UB	2,726	2,766
Marion twp UB	2,720	2,680
St. Henry vlg	2,529	2,427
Franklin twp UB	2,113	2,120
Butler twp UB	1,959	1,918
Granville twp UB	1,503	1,433
Fort Recovery vlg	1,435	1,430
Washington twp	1,218	1,190

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census			Estimated	
1800		27,536	2012	40,700
1810		26,872	2013	40,607
1820	95	25,096	2014	40,721
1830	1,110	26,256	2015	40,706
1840	8,277	28,311	2016	40,710
1850	7,712	32,559	2017	40,873
1860	14,104	35,265		
1870	17,254	38,334	Projected	
1880	21,808	39,443	2020	41,040
1890	27,220	40,924	2030	41,230
1900	28,021	40,814	2040	40,960



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	40,886	100.0%
White	39,808	97.4%
African-American	200	0.5%
Native American	3	0.0%
Asian	182	0.4%
Pacific Islander	138	0.3%
Other	190	0.5%
Two or More Races	365	0.9%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	718	1.8%
Total Minority	1,664	4.1%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	27,115	100.0%
No high school diploma	2,222	8.2%
High school graduate	12,972	47.8%
Some college, no degree	4,667	17.2%
Associate degree	2,690	9.9%
Bachelor's degree	2,957	10.9%
Master's degree or higher	1,607	5.9%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	11,466	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	5,892	51.4%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,224	10.7%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	592	5.2%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,666	14.5%
Male householder, in labor force	775	6.8%
Male householder, not in labor force	147	1.3%
Female householder, in labor force	900	7.8%
Female householder, not in labor force	270	2.4%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	16,109	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	683	4.2%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,669	10.4%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,593	9.9%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,864	11.6%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,439	8.9%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,516	9.4%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	1,912	11.9%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,437	15.1%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,187	13.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	447	2.8%
\$200,000 or more	362	2.2%
Median household income	\$55,220	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	40,886	100.0%
Under 5 years	2,750	6.7%
5 to 17 years	7,724	18.9%
18 to 24 years	3,297	8.1%
25 to 44 years	9,056	22.1%
45 to 64 years	11,237	27.5%
65 years and more	6,822	16.7%
Median Age	40.0	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	11,473	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	3,548	30.9%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	506	4.4%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	665	5.8%
Families with no own children	6,754	58.9%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	11,473	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	10,830	94.4%
Family income below poverty level	643	5.6%
Married couple, with related children	129	1.1%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	53	0.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	331	2.9%
Families with no related children	130	1.1%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	40,300	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,161	2.9%
50% to 99% of poverty level	2,186	5.4%
100% to 124% of poverty level	978	2.4%
125% to 149% of poverty level	2,236	5.5%
150% to 184% of poverty level	2,195	5.4%
185% to 199% of poverty level	1,318	3.3%
200% of poverty level or more	30,226	75.0%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	40,364	100.0%
Same house as previous year	36,121	89.5%
Different house, same county	2,738	6.8%
Different county, same state	917	2.3%
Different state	386	1.0%
Abroad	202	0.5%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	19,905	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	9,530	47.9%
15 to 29 minutes	6,595	33.1%
30 to 44 minutes	2,297	11.5%
45 to 59 minutes	927	4.7%
60 minutes or more	556	2.8%

Mean travel time 17.9 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	17,712	100.0%
Occupied housing units	16,109	90.9%
Owner occupied	12,236	76.0%
Renter occupied	3,873	24.0%
Vacant housing units	1,603	9.1%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	17,712	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	57	0.3%
Built 2010 to 2013	267	1.5%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,720	9.7%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,734	15.4%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,874	10.6%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,825	15.9%
Built 1960 to 1969	1,638	9.2%
Built 1950 to 1959	2,193	12.4%
Built 1940 to 1949	922	5.2%
Built 1939 or earlier	3,482	19.7%

Median year built 1972

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	12,236	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	489	4.0%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	235	1.9%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	561	4.6%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,050	8.6%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,510	12.3%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,789	14.6%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	1,229	10.0%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,261	18.5%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,031	16.6%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	898	7.3%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	136	1.1%
\$1,000,000 or more	47	0.4%

Median value \$134,800

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	16,109	100.0%
Utility gas	7,341	45.6%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,757	17.1%
Electricity	4,620	28.7%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	546	3.4%
Coal, coke or wood	466	2.9%
Solar energy or other fuel	200	1.2%
No fuel used	179	1.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	3,873	100.0%
Less than \$100	0	0.0%
\$100 to \$199	28	0.7%
\$200 to \$299	119	3.1%
\$300 to \$399	181	4.7%
\$400 to \$499	420	10.8%
\$500 to \$599	624	16.1%
\$600 to \$699	792	20.4%
\$700 to \$799	729	18.8%
\$800 to \$899	320	8.3%
\$900 to \$999	143	3.7%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	101	2.6%
\$1,500 or more	47	1.2%
No cash rent	369	9.5%

Median gross rent \$647

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 24.3

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	6,680	100.0%
Less than \$400	60	0.9%
\$400 to \$599	374	5.6%
\$600 to \$799	939	14.1%
\$800 to \$999	1,297	19.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,470	22.0%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	1,131	16.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	790	11.8%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	546	8.2%
\$3,000 or more	73	1.1%

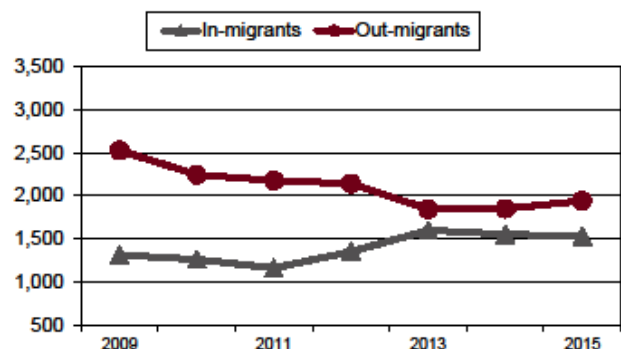
Median monthly owners cost \$1,114

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 19.0

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	588	86.2
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	21	16.6
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	430	1,051.1

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	273,152
Number of farms	1,208
Average size (acres)	226
Total cash receipts	\$596,366,000
Per farm	\$493,680
Receipts for crops	\$153,143,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$443,223,000

Education

Public schools buildings	21
Students (Average Daily Membership)	7,755
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	534.9
Expenditures per student	\$10,278
Graduation rate	95.1
Non-public schools	1
Students	113
4-year public universities	0
Branches	1
2-year public colleges/satellites	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	4 / 7

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	71,960
Passenger cars	31,961
Noncommercial trucks	9,912
Total license revenue	\$2,449,585.97
Permissive tax revenue	\$969,107.50
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	44.70
State highway miles	165.78
County, township, and municipal road miles	950.41
Commercial airports	1

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	36
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	88
Licensed nursing homes	6
Number of beds	405
Licensed residential care	6
Number of beds	308
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	94.4%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	93.7%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.8%

Voting

Number of registered voters	28,731
Voted in 2016 election	22,053
Percent turnout	76.8%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	3
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	9,436
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	185
Violent crime	14
Property crime	170
Arson	1

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	3
Assets (000)	\$881,990
Branch offices	22
Institutions represented	9

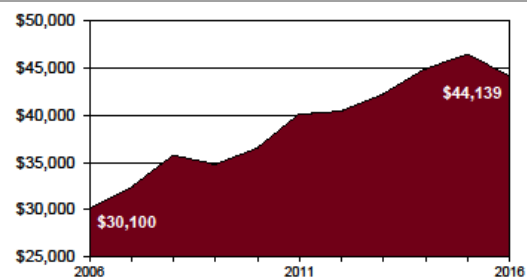
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$307,191,000
Payments to individuals	\$296,870,000
Retirement and disability	\$131,258,000
Medical payments	\$130,082,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$16,548,000
Unemployment benefits	\$2,552,000
Veterans benefits	\$8,628,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$4,062,000
Other payments to individuals	\$3,740,000
Total personal income	\$1,805,671,000
Dependency ratio	17.0%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	6
Acreage	11,470.35

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Civilian labor force	23,700	23,400	23,000	22,600	22,400
Employed	23,000	22,700	22,200	21,800	21,300
Unemployed	700	800	800	900	1,100
Unemployment rate	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.8	5.1

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2016

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	978	17,151	\$643,381,007	\$721
Goods-Producing	242	8,220	\$364,077,060	\$852
Natural Resources and Mining	44	511	\$18,119,079	\$682
Constuction	104	1,026	\$52,024,949	\$975
Manufacturing	94	6,683	\$293,933,032	\$846
Service-Providing	736	8,931	\$279,303,947	\$601
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	258	3,832	\$140,010,115	\$703
Information	12	168	\$5,792,177	\$661
Financial Services	90	693	\$32,958,933	\$914
Professional and Business Services	82	614	\$23,074,856	\$723
Education and Health Services	85	1,582	\$46,978,664	\$571
Leisure and Hospitality	103	1,294	\$15,630,217	\$232
Other Services	106	746	\$14,854,383	\$383
Federal Government		92	\$4,643,706	\$975
State Government		173	\$7,616,005	\$847
Local Government		2,431	\$91,112,797	\$721

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2011

Private Sector	3.6%	15.1%	33.2%	15.5%
Goods-Producing	3.4%	26.3%	40.1%	10.9%
Natural Resources and Mining	37.5%	4.5%	29.1%	23.8%
Construction	-9.6%	22.4%	48.2%	21.0%
Manufacturing	6.8%	29.0%	39.4%	8.2%
Service-Producing	3.7%	6.5%	25.2%	17.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-1.1%	8.4%	28.2%	18.4%
Information	-14.3%	-6.1%	4.9%	11.7%
Financial Services	-7.2%	-0.1%	19.3%	19.5%
Professional and Business Services	17.1%	-3.2%	19.4%	23.4%
Education and Health Services	7.6%	2.9%	22.8%	19.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	6.2%	3.9%	22.7%	17.8%
Other Services	15.2%	33.0%	41.3%	6.4%
Federal Government		-10.7%	-4.5%	7.4%
State Government		10.2%	28.5%	16.5%
Local Government		1.5%	6.6%	4.9%

Residential Construction

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total units	54	65	66	67	94
Total valuation (000)	\$11,082	\$15,145	\$14,873	\$15,484	\$21,807
Total single-unit bldgs	54	57	58	54	70
Average cost per unit	\$205,215	\$249,906	\$243,501	\$265,059	\$289,419
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	8	8	13	24
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$112,500	\$93,750	\$90,031	\$64,500

Major & Notable Employers

Celina Aluminum Precision Technology	Mfg
Celina City Schools	Govt
Cooper Farms Inc	Mfg
Crown Equipment Corp	Mfg
Fort Recovery Industries Inc	Mfg
J & M Manufacturing Co.	Mfg
Mercer Health	Serv
Pax Machine Works	Mfg
Reynolds & Reynolds Co	Mfg
Taylor Communications	Mfg
Visions/Awardcraft	Mfg