

# Ohio County Profiles

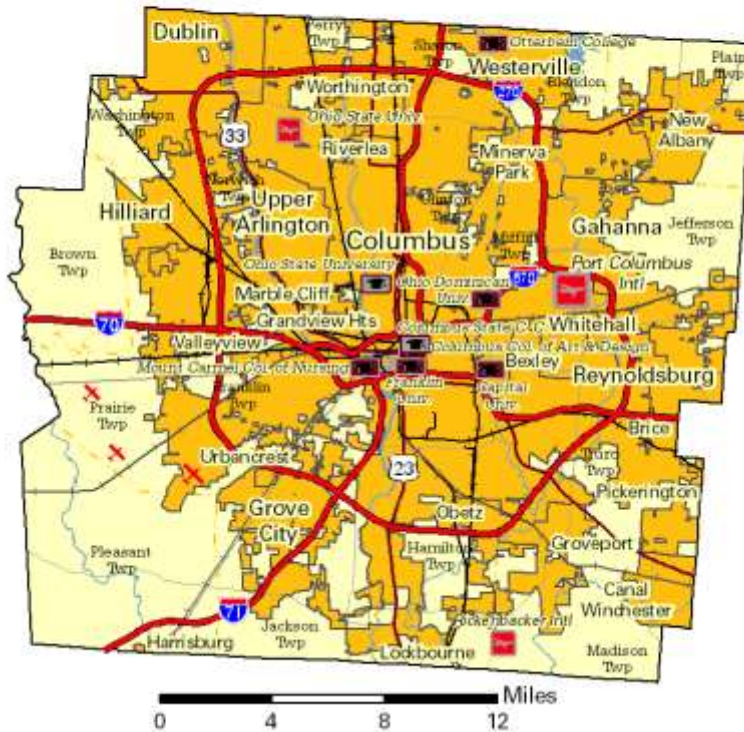


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## Franklin County

Established: Act - April 30, 1803  
 2020 Population: 1,323,807  
 Land Area: 540.0 square miles  
 County Seat: Columbus City  
 Named for: Benjamin Franklin, American Statesman, Scientist and Inventor



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$29,609,785,100
Residential	\$20,663,800,320
Agriculture	\$84,549,680
Industrial	\$1,643,113,980
Commercial	\$7,218,321,120
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$1,032,082,493
Average per return	\$1,677.09

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	39.18%
Developed, Higher Intensity	23.57%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.72%
Forest	9.57%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.44%
Pasture/Hay	7.67%
Cultivated Crops	17.10%
Wetlands	0.22%
Open Water	1.52%

### Largest Places

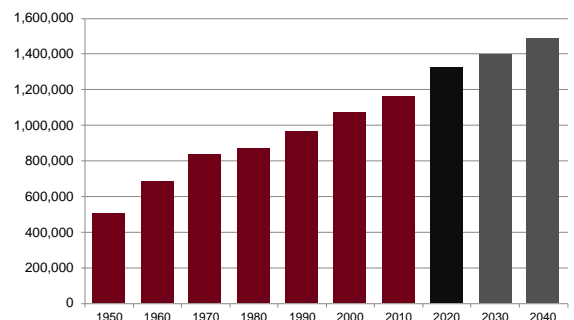
	Census 2020	Census 2010
Columbus city (part)	880,329	770,122
Grove City city	41,252	35,575
Dublin city (part)	40,734	35,367
Hilliard city	37,114	28,435
Upper Arlington city	36,800	33,771
Gahanna city	35,726	33,248
Westerville city (part)	29,960	28,328
Reynoldsburg city (part)	29,755	26,157
Whitehall city	20,127	18,062
Prairie twp	17,415	16,498

UB: Unincorporated balance.

### Total Population

#### Census

1800		1910	221,567	<b>2020</b>	<b>1,323,807</b>
1810	3,486	1920	283,951		
1820	10,292	1930	361,055	<b>Projected</b>	
1830	14,741	1940	388,712		
1840	25,049	<b>1950</b>	<b>503,410</b>	<b>2030</b>	<b>1,394,980</b>
1850	42,909	1960	682,962	<b>2040</b>	<b>1,483,160</b>
1860	50,361	1970	833,249		
1870	63,019	1980	869,132		
1880	86,797	1990	961,437		
1890	124,087	2000	1,068,978		
1900	164,460	2010	1,163,414		



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	1,290,360	100.0%
White	855,170	66.3%
African-American	291,177	22.6%
Native American	2,891	0.2%
Asian	67,795	5.3%
Pacific Islander	470	0.0%
Other	23,200	1.8%
Two or More Races	49,657	3.8%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	71,292	5.5%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>477,326</b>	<b>37.0%</b>

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	861,585	100.0%
No high school diploma	76,076	8.8%
High school graduate	211,911	24.6%
Some college, no degree	168,764	19.6%
Associate degree	59,772	6.9%
Bachelor's degree	217,895	25.3%
Master's degree or higher	127,167	14.8%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	297,469	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	117,412	39.5%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	41,115	13.8%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	15,140	5.1%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	26,683	9.0%
Male householder, in labor force	21,131	7.1%
Male householder, not in labor force	4,665	1.6%
Female householder, in labor force	53,549	18.0%
Female householder, not in labor force	17,774	6.0%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	511,447	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	32,793	6.4%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	41,399	8.1%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	44,484	8.7%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	47,419	9.3%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	42,778	8.4%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	41,653	8.1%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	53,848	10.5%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	67,437	13.2%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	78,323	15.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	30,889	6.0%
\$200,000 or more	30,424	5.9%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$61,305</b>	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	1,290,360	100.0%
Under 5 years	91,985	7.1%
5 to 17 years	209,695	16.3%
18 to 24 years	127,095	9.8%
25 to 44 years	407,115	31.6%
45 to 64 years	303,059	23.5%
65 years and more	151,411	11.7%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>34.1</b>	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	299,983	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	86,053	28.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	13,080	4.4%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	41,469	13.8%
Families with no own children	159,381	53.1%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	299,983	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	266,337	88.8%
Family income below poverty level	33,646	11.2%
Married couple, with related children	6,329	2.1%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	3,052	1.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	18,042	6.0%
Families with no related children	6,223	2.1%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	1,260,187	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	89,757	7.1%
50% to 99% of poverty level	108,193	8.6%
100% to 124% of poverty level	52,800	4.2%
125% to 149% of poverty level	50,641	4.0%
150% to 184% of poverty level	73,777	5.9%
185% to 199% of poverty level	31,950	2.5%
200% of poverty level or more	853,069	67.7%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	1,272,061	100.0%
Same house as previous year	1,027,679	80.8%
Different house, same county	170,059	13.4%
Different county, same state	37,852	3.0%
Different state	26,768	2.1%
Abroad	9,703	0.8%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	632,506	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	152,630	24.1%
15 to 29 minutes	310,913	49.2%
30 to 44 minutes	124,638	19.7%
45 to 59 minutes	24,370	3.9%
60 minutes or more	19,955	3.2%

**Mean travel time** 22.2 minutes

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	555,090	100.0%
Occupied housing units	511,447	92.1%
Owner occupied	273,045	53.4%
Renter occupied	238,402	46.6%
Vacant housing units	43,643	7.9%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	555,090	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	15,120	2.7%
Built 2010 to 2013	16,254	2.9%
Built 2000 to 2009	61,889	11.1%
Built 1990 to 1999	84,198	15.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	69,564	12.5%
Built 1970 to 1979	84,455	15.2%
Built 1960 to 1969	72,028	13.0%
Built 1950 to 1959	67,150	12.1%
Built 1940 to 1949	26,238	4.7%
Built 1939 or earlier	58,194	10.5%

**Median year built** 1976

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	273,045	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	3,952	1.4%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	4,316	1.6%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	9,095	3.3%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	16,379	6.0%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	19,789	7.2%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	25,877	9.5%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	28,327	10.4%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	49,963	18.3%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	61,321	22.5%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	39,529	14.5%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	12,595	4.6%
\$1,000,000 or more	1,902	0.7%

**Median value** \$175,100

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	511,447	100.0%
Utility gas	363,850	71.1%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	6,856	1.3%
Electricity	136,275	26.6%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	1,593	0.3%
Coal, coke or wood	684	0.1%
Solar energy or other fuel	839	0.2%
No fuel used	1,350	0.3%

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## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	238,402	100.0%
Less than \$100	611	0.3%
\$100 to \$199	1,396	0.6%
\$200 to \$299	4,596	1.9%
\$300 to \$399	3,638	1.5%
\$400 to \$499	4,361	1.8%
\$500 to \$599	9,314	3.9%
\$600 to \$699	17,878	7.5%
\$700 to \$799	24,504	10.3%
\$800 to \$899	28,223	11.8%
\$900 to \$999	29,667	12.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	84,430	35.4%
\$1,500 or more	24,347	10.2%
No cash rent	5,437	2.3%

**Median gross rent** \$974

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 27.5

## Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	196,649	100.0%
Less than \$400	544	0.3%
\$400 to \$599	2,790	1.4%
\$600 to \$799	10,191	5.2%
\$800 to \$999	20,477	10.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	34,221	17.4%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	34,228	17.4%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	47,798	24.3%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	33,147	16.9%
\$3,000 or more	13,253	6.7%

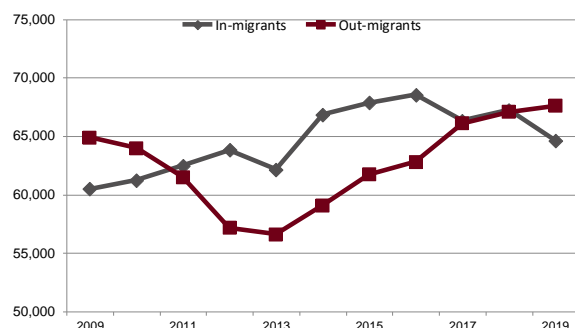
**Median monthly owners cost** \$1,470

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 19.7

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	17,441	58.3
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	664	38.1
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	10,162	771.7

## Domestic Migration



## Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	52,356
Number of farms	408
Average size (acres)	128
Total cash receipts	\$52,158,000
Per farm	\$127,839
Receipts for crops	\$44,401,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$7,758,000

## Education

Traditional public schools buildings	275
Students	159,829
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	11,080.5
Expenditures per student	\$10,693
Graduation rate	89.4
Community/charter schools buildings	59
Students	20,933
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	1,737.7
Expenditures per student	\$7,438
Graduation rate	72.4
Private schools	83
Students	21,738
4-year public universities	1
Regional campuses	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Ohio Technical Centers	2
Private universities and colleges	4
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	6 / 34

## Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	1,229,364
Passenger cars	987,946
Noncommercial trucks	89,408
Total license revenue	\$31,125,987.76
Permissive tax revenue	\$28,105,540.00
Interstate highway miles	118.63
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	117.54
State highway miles	123.10
County, township, and municipal road miles	4,303.38
Commercial airports	6

## Health Care

Physicians	6,360
Registered hospitals	16
Number of beds	6,018
Licensed nursing homes	60
Number of beds	5,892
Licensed residential care	73
Number of beds	6,537
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	91.1%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	89.5%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.3%

## Communications

Television stations	7
Radio stations	32
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	81,291
Average monthly unique visitors	2,319,713
Weekly newspapers	20
Circulation	279,986
Average monthly unique visitors	12,783
Online only	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0

## Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	48,191
Violent crime	4,910
Property crime	43,281

## Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	6
Assets (000)	\$121,350,236
Branch offices	322
Institutions represented	36

## Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$10,379,903,000
Payments to individuals	\$10,089,681,000
Retirement and disability	\$2,969,640,000
Medical payments	\$5,133,368,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$1,155,635,000
Unemployment benefits	\$85,676,000
Veterans benefits	\$335,900,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$299,738,000
Other payments to individuals	\$109,724,000
Total personal income	\$68,002,165,000
Dependency ratio	15.3%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

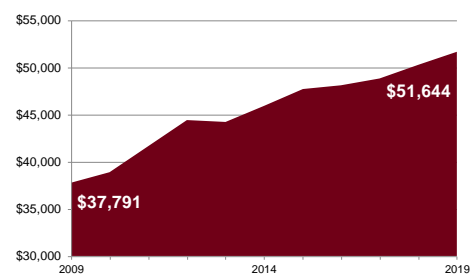
## Voting

Number of registered voters	882,635
Voted in 2020 election	636,056
Percent turnout	72.1%

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

Areas/Facilities	7
Acreage	1,467

## Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Civilian labor force	705,100	701,100	691,200	685,100	669,400
Employed	652,600	676,100	664,800	657,300	641,700
Unemployed	52,500	25,000	26,400	27,800	27,800
Unemployment rate	7.4	3.6	3.8	4.1	4.1

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2019

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	32,880	640,896	\$35,843,437,223	\$1,076
Goods-Producing	2,949	66,812	\$4,448,837,658	\$1,281
Natural Resources and Mining	46	733	\$42,004,495	\$1,101
Construction	1,944	28,630	\$1,999,630,247	\$1,343
Manufacturing	959	37,449	\$2,407,202,916	\$1,236
Service-Providing	29,931	574,083	\$31,394,599,565	\$1,052
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	6,944	146,045	\$7,364,591,599	\$970
Information	691	14,708	\$1,171,983,557	\$1,532
Financial Services	3,944	64,163	\$5,169,224,254	\$1,549
Professional and Business Services	7,451	126,605	\$8,944,009,453	\$1,359
Education and Health Services	4,677	125,511	\$6,050,825,715	\$927
Leisure and Hospitality	3,533	74,848	\$1,716,431,045	\$441
Other Services	2,656	22,166	\$976,026,714	\$847
Federal Government		13,128	\$1,006,607,031	\$1,475
State Government		56,478	\$4,319,881,802	\$1,471
Local Government		54,928	\$3,210,054,360	\$1,124

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	12.5%	8.1%	23.4%	14.2%
Goods-Producing	13.3%	14.5%	29.6%	13.3%
Natural Resources and Mining	2.2%	9.2%	22.2%	11.7%
Construction	17.6%	31.0%	55.5%	18.6%
Manufacturing	6.1%	4.6%	14.0%	9.0%
Service-Producing	12.4%	7.5%	22.6%	14.1%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	9.4%	8.2%	22.8%	13.5%
Information	26.3%	-3.5%	12.0%	16.0%
Financial Services	14.1%	15.1%	31.7%	14.4%
Professional and Business Services	17.0%	0.8%	16.3%	15.5%
Education and Health Services	16.4%	12.4%	24.6%	10.8%
Leisure and Hospitality	8.1%	7.6%	30.7%	21.5%
Other Services	5.3%	4.0%	26.5%	21.7%
Federal Government		5.2%	14.1%	8.5%
State Government		11.6%	29.7%	16.3%
Local Government		9.7%	20.1%	9.4%

Residential

Construction	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total units	8,108	4,335	5,575	5,854	5,770
Total valuation (000)	\$1,154,609	\$859,206	\$899,797	\$1,054,351	\$917,019
Total single-unit bldgs	1,924	1,390	1,444	1,719	1,604
Average cost per unit	\$311,218	\$317,297	\$302,282	\$288,579	\$289,590
Total multi-unit bldg units	6,184	2,945	4,131	4,135	4,166
Average cost per unit	\$89,881	\$141,991	\$112,153	\$135,014	\$108,621