

Ohio County Profiles



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2021 Edition

Gallia County

Established: Act - April 30, 1803
 2020 Population: 29,220
 Land Area: 468.8 square miles
 County Seat: Gallipolis City
 Named for: Gaul, Ancient Name for France



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$542,058,160
Residential	\$277,083,160
Agriculture	\$135,900,800
Industrial	\$5,201,380
Commercial	\$123,508,510
Mineral	\$364,310
Ohio income tax liability	\$13,209,529
Average per return	\$1,142.69

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	6.04%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.59%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.32%
Forest	65.84%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	2.35%
Pasture/Hay	22.33%
Cultivated Crops	1.56%
Wetlands	0.24%
Open Water	0.72%

Largest Places

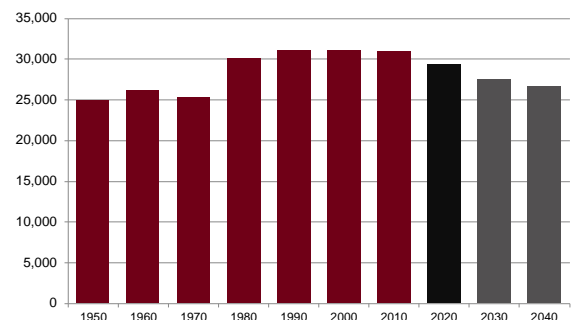
	Census 2020	Census 2010
Green twp	5,357	5,625
Springfield twp	3,413	3,664
Gallipolis vil.	3,313	3,641
Addison twp	2,160	2,197
Clay twp	1,710	1,870
Perry twp	1,524	1,595
Gallipolis twp UB	1,412	1,456
Morgan twp	1,379	1,404
Raccoon twp UB	1,291	1,295
Huntington twp UB	1,169	1,220

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census

1800		1910	25,745	2020	29,220
1810	4,181	1920	23,311		
1820	7,098	1930	23,050	Projected	
1830	9,733	1940	24,930		
1840	13,444	1950	24,910		
1850	17,063	1960	26,120		
1860	22,043	1970	25,239	2030	27,510
1870	25,545	1980	30,098	2040	26,600
1880	28,124	1990	30,954		
1890	27,005	2000	31,069		
1900	27,918	2010	30,934		



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	30,088	100.0%
White	28,219	93.8%
African-American	657	2.2%
Native American	130	0.4%
Asian	232	0.8%
Pacific Islander	40	0.1%
Other	168	0.6%
Two or More Races	642	2.1%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	408	1.4%
Total Minority	2,064	6.9%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	20,675	100.0%
No high school diploma	3,311	16.0%
High school graduate	8,514	41.2%
Some college, no degree	3,401	16.4%
Associate degree	2,163	10.5%
Bachelor's degree	2,055	9.9%
Master's degree or higher	1,231	6.0%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,563	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	2,526	33.4%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,356	17.9%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	698	9.2%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,344	17.8%
Male householder, in labor force	287	3.8%
Male householder, not in labor force	175	2.3%
Female householder, in labor force	580	7.7%
Female householder, not in labor force	597	7.9%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	11,588	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,058	9.1%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,367	11.8%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,329	11.5%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,351	11.7%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,123	9.7%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	911	7.9%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	1,097	9.5%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,478	12.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,358	11.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	324	2.8%
\$200,000 or more	192	1.7%
Median household income	\$44,858	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	30,088	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,922	6.4%
5 to 17 years	4,999	16.6%
18 to 24 years	2,492	8.3%
25 to 44 years	6,923	23.0%
45 to 64 years	8,186	27.2%
65 years and more	5,566	18.5%
Median Age	40.7	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,563	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	2,064	27.3%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	156	2.1%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	520	6.9%
Families with no own children	4,823	63.8%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,563	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	6,472	85.6%
Family income below poverty level	1,091	14.4%
Married couple, with related children	320	4.2%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	118	1.6%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	330	4.4%
Families with no related children	323	4.3%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	29,252	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,945	6.6%
50% to 99% of poverty level	4,110	14.1%
100% to 124% of poverty level	1,187	4.1%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,053	3.6%
150% to 184% of poverty level	2,205	7.5%
185% to 199% of poverty level	899	3.1%
200% of poverty level or more	17,853	61.0%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	29,769	100.0%
Same house as previous year	25,982	87.3%
Different house, same county	2,324	7.8%
Different county, same state	891	3.0%
Different state	560	1.9%
Abroad	12	0.0%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	11,531	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	2,960	25.7%
15 to 29 minutes	4,069	35.3%
30 to 44 minutes	2,345	20.3%
45 to 59 minutes	739	6.4%
60 minutes or more	1,418	12.3%

Mean travel time 29.1 minutes

Housing Units	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,896	100.0%
Occupied housing units	11,588	83.4%
Owner occupied	8,631	74.5%
Renter occupied	2,957	25.5%
Vacant housing units	2,308	16.6%

Year Structure Built	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,896	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	131	0.9%
Built 2010 to 2013	371	2.7%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,590	11.4%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,619	18.8%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,892	13.6%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,949	21.2%
Built 1960 to 1969	995	7.2%
Built 1950 to 1959	1,062	7.6%
Built 1940 to 1949	492	3.5%
Built 1939 or earlier	1,795	12.9%

Median year built 1979

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	8,631	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	593	6.9%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	547	6.3%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	535	6.2%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	713	8.3%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,415	16.4%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,255	14.5%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	922	10.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,346	15.6%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	847	9.8%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	336	3.9%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	112	1.3%
\$1,000,000 or more	10	0.1%

Median value \$110,200

House Heating Fuel	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	11,588	100.0%
Utility gas	2,738	23.6%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,100	18.1%
Electricity	5,696	49.2%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	144	1.2%
Coal, coke or wood	864	7.5%
Solar energy or other fuel	43	0.4%
No fuel used	3	0.0%

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Gross Rent	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	2,957	100.0%
Less than \$100	7	0.2%
\$100 to \$199	27	0.9%
\$200 to \$299	95	3.2%
\$300 to \$399	150	5.1%
\$400 to \$499	196	6.6%
\$500 to \$599	489	16.5%
\$600 to \$699	540	18.3%
\$700 to \$799	441	14.9%
\$800 to \$899	258	8.7%
\$900 to \$999	113	3.8%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	282	9.5%
\$1,500 or more	8	0.3%
No cash rent	351	11.9%

Median gross rent \$675

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 27.3

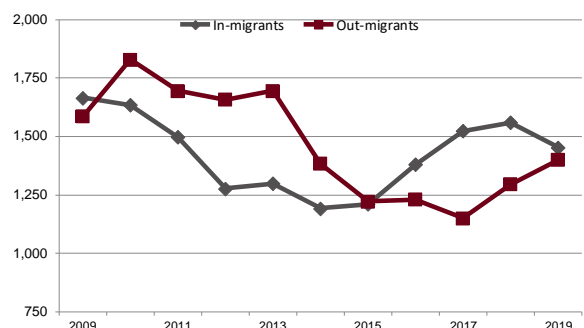
Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	3,989	100.0%
Less than \$400	61	1.5%
\$400 to \$599	148	3.7%
\$600 to \$799	546	13.7%
\$800 to \$999	858	21.5%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,027	25.7%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	540	13.5%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	582	14.6%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	183	4.6%
\$3,000 or more	44	1.1%

Median monthly owners cost \$1,093

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 19.1

Vital Statistics	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	397	77.9
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	30	75.6
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	383	1,281.0

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	118,630
Number of farms	990
Average size (acres)	120
Total cash receipts	\$18,975,000
Per farm	\$19,167
Receipts for crops	\$9,296,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$9,679,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	13
Students	4,207
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	340.2
Expenditures per student	\$8,909
Graduation rate	84.2
Community/charter schools buildings	0
Students	0
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	0.0
Expenditures per student	
Graduation rate	
Private schools	1
Students	226
4-year public universities	0
Regional campuses	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Ohio Technical Centers	1
Private universities and colleges	1
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	1 / 1

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	38,602
Passenger cars	20,887
Noncommercial trucks	8,771
Total license revenue	\$1,007,414.79
Permissive tax revenue	\$136,600.00
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	17.88
State highway miles	181.35
County, township, and municipal road miles	849.06
Commercial airports	1

Health Care

Physicians	101
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	287
Licensed nursing homes	3
Number of beds	268
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	96
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	90.4%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	89.2%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	93.4%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	2,200
Average monthly unique visitors	47,134
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	711
Violent crime	38
Property crime	673

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	1
Assets (000)	\$1,088,805
Branch offices	10
Institutions represented	5

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$408,564,000
Payments to individuals	\$402,016,000
Retirement and disability	\$109,147,000
Medical payments	\$227,068,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$34,856,000
Unemployment benefits	\$2,317,000
Veterans benefits	\$17,287,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$8,304,000
Other payments to individuals	\$3,037,000
Total personal income	\$1,197,052,000
Dependency ratio	34.1%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

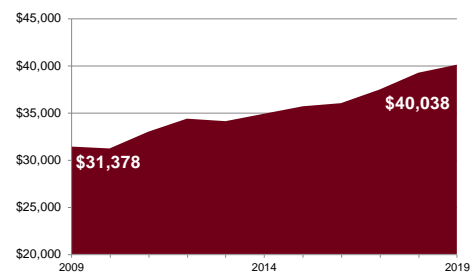
Voting

Number of registered voters	18,982
Voted in 2020 election	13,922
Percent turnout	73.3%

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

Areas/Facilities	6
Acreage	11,048

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Civilian labor force	12,200	12,300	12,300	12,300	12,200
Employed	11,300	11,600	11,600	11,500	11,300
Unemployed	1,000	700	700	800	800
Unemployment rate	8.0	5.4	6.0	6.6	6.9

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2019

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	620	9,029	\$360,012,968	\$767
Goods-Producing	77	1,159	\$50,680,565	\$841
Natural Resources and Mining	9	22	\$771,340	\$690
Construction	49	541	\$22,962,935	\$816
Manufacturing	19	596	\$26,946,290	\$869
Service-Providing	543	7,870	\$309,332,403	\$756
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	177	2,340	\$106,000,053	\$871
Information	7	42	\$2,145,022	\$982
Financial Services	57	389	\$19,727,516	\$975
Professional and Business Services	49	613	\$25,477,339	\$799
Education and Health Services	125	3,294	\$133,168,202	\$777
Leisure and Hospitality	57	946	\$15,332,988	\$312
Other Services	71	247	\$7,481,283	\$583
Federal Government		65	\$3,364,825	\$992
State Government		266	\$14,227,753	\$1,029
Local Government		1,694	\$55,144,220	\$626

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	4.0%	-1.6%	9.7%	11.5%
Goods-Producing	14.9%	49.2%	59.4%	6.9%
Natural Resources and Mining	50.0%	-12.0%	12.3%	29.7%
Construction	14.0%	207.4%	341.1%	43.2%
Manufacturing	5.6%	3.5%	4.0%	0.6%
Service-Producing	2.6%	-6.3%	4.4%	11.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	4.1%	-13.6%	-15.8%	-2.6%
Information	-30.0%	-53.8%	-36.6%	37.3%
Financial Services	-1.7%	-2.3%	15.2%	17.8%
Professional and Business Services	0.0%	49.9%	97.8%	31.8%
Education and Health Services	62.3%	-5.3%	15.7%	22.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	-1.7%	-6.3%	8.8%	16.4%
Other Services	-34.3%	-19.5%	-5.8%	17.1%
Federal Government		-15.6%	-8.9%	7.8%
State Government		-17.9%	1.1%	23.1%
Local Government		26.8%	18.1%	-6.8%

Residential

Construction	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total units	0	5	7	5	6
Total valuation (000)	\$0	\$520	\$660	\$515	\$500
Total single-unit bldgs	0	5	5	3	6
Average cost per unit		\$104,000	\$104,000	\$63,333	\$83,333
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	2	2	0
Average cost per unit			\$70,000	\$162,500	\$0