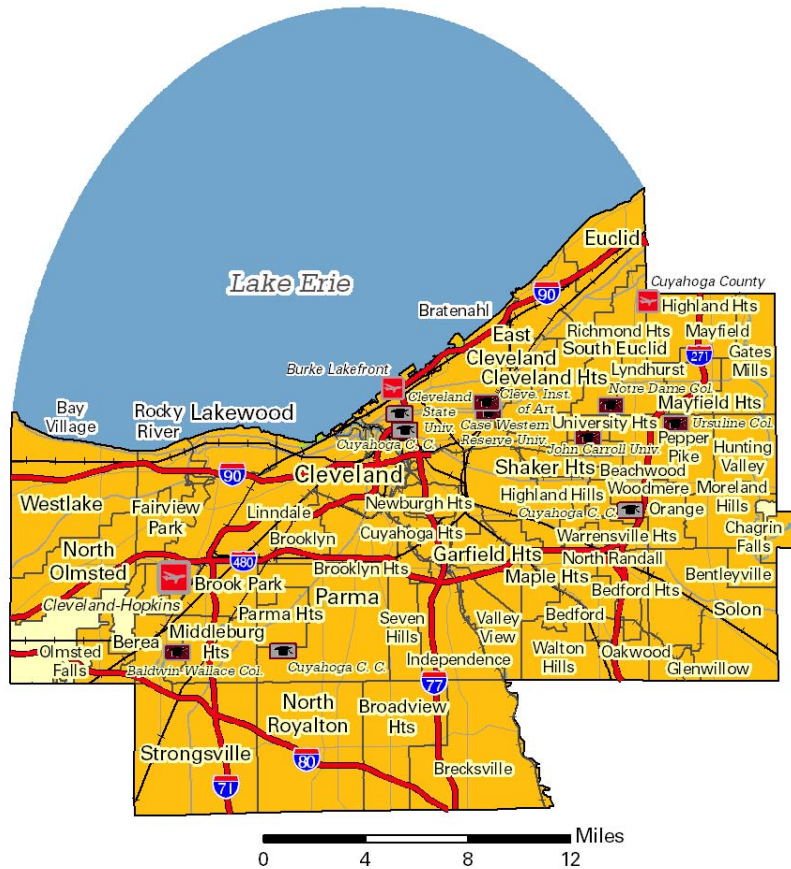


# Ohio County Profiles

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## Cuyahoga County

**Established:** Act - June 7, 1807  
**2007 Population:** 1,295,958  
**Land Area:** 458.3 square mile  
**County Seat:** Cleveland City  
**Named for:** Native American word meaning "crooked"



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$30,385,440,240
Residential	\$21,859,784,580
Agriculture	\$8,414,170
Industrial	\$1,297,782,340
Commercial	\$7,218,387,770
Mineral	\$1,071,380
Ohio income tax liability	\$1,155,223,207
Average per return	\$1,945.98

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/Transportation and Urban Grasses)	66.85%
Cropland	0.99%
Pasture	0.03%
Forest	30.95%
Open Water	0.65%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	0.37%
Bare/Mines	0.17%

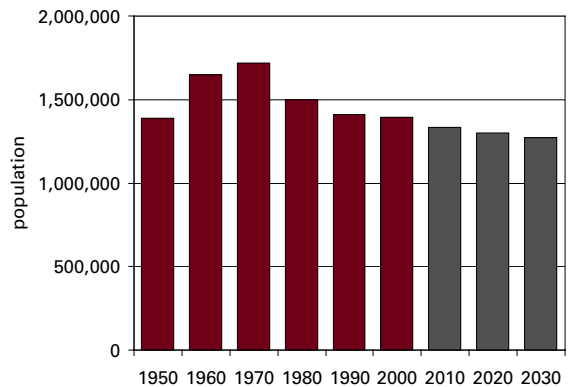
### Largest Areas

	Census 2000	Est. 2007
Cleveland city	478,403	438,042
Parma city	85,655	78,785
Lakewood city	56,646	51,305
Euclid city	52,717	47,940
Cleveland Heights city	49,958	46,321
Strongsville city	43,858	42,874
North Olmsted city	34,113	31,641
Westlake city	31,719	30,710
North Royalton city	28,648	29,373
Garfield Heights city	30,734	28,058

UB: Unincorporated Balance

### Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1900	439,120
1810	1,459	1910	637,425
1820	6,328	1920	943,495
1830	10,373	1930	1,201,455
1840	26,506	1940	1,217,250
1850	48,099	1950	1,389,532
1860	78,033	1960	1,647,895
1870	132,010	1970	1,721,300
1880	196,943	1980	1,498,400
1890	309,970	1990	1,412,140
		2000	1,393,978
		2001	1,382,123
		2002	1,370,582
		2003	1,357,706
		2004	1,344,330
		2005	1,327,494
		2006	1,309,262
		2007	1,295,958
		<b>Projected</b>	
		2010	1,332,540
		2020	1,301,870
		2030	1,274,020



<b>Population by Race</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total Population	1,393,978	100.0%
White	939,658	67.4%
African-American	380,189	27.3%
Native American	2,429	0.2%
Asian	25,831	1.9%
Pacific Islander	306	0.0%
Other	21,185	1.5%
Two or More Races	24,380	1.7%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	46,484	3.3%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>474,595</b>	<b>34.0%</b>

<b>Educational Attainment</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Persons 25 years and over	936,148	100.0%
No high school diploma	171,962	18.4%
High school graduate	281,264	30.0%
Some college, no degree	198,044	21.2%
Associate degree	49,465	5.3%
Bachelor's degree	145,980	15.6%
Master's degree or higher	89,433	9.6%

<b>Family Type by Employment Status</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total Families	356,221	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	126,710	35.6%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	53,201	14.9%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	17,059	4.8%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	49,163	13.8%
Male householder, in labor force	15,562	4.4%
Male householder, not in labor force	6,807	1.9%
Female householder, in labor force	55,979	15.7%
Female householder, not in labor force	31,740	8.9%

<b>Household Income in 1999</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total Households	571,606	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	64,451	11.3%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	77,543	13.6%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	77,929	13.6%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	70,803	12.4%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	59,489	10.4%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	49,169	8.6%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	55,969	9.8%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	54,848	9.6%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	38,036	6.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	10,336	1.8%
\$200,000 or more	13,033	2.3%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$39,168</b>	

<b>Population by Age</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total Population	1,393,978	100.0%
Under 6 years	109,351	7.8%
6 to 17 years	238,028	17.1%
18 to 24 years	110,451	7.9%
25 to 44 years	410,675	29.5%
45 to 64 years	308,296	22.1%
65 years and more	217,177	15.6%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>37.3</b>	

<b>Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total Families	356,221	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	105,641	29.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	9,727	2.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	50,444	14.2%
Families with no own children	190,409	53.5%

<b>Poverty Status in 1999 of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Total Families	356,221	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	319,686	89.7%
Family income below poverty level	36,535	10.3%
Married couple, with related children	5,651	15.5%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	2,189	6.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	21,497	58.8%
Families with no related children	7,198	19.7%

<b>Ratio of Income in 1999 To Poverty Level</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Population for whom poverty status is determined	1,365,658	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	88,609	6.5%
50% to 99% of poverty level	90,763	6.6%
100% to 149% of poverty level	107,079	7.8%
150% to 199% of poverty level	110,817	8.1%
200% of poverty level or more	968,390	70.9%

<b>Residence in 1995</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Population 5 years and over	1,303,066	100.0%
Same house in 1995	776,767	59.6%
Different house, same county	386,169	29.6%
Different county, same state	58,036	4.5%
Different state	58,998	4.5%
Puerto Rico or U.S. islands	2,722	0.2%
Foreign country	20,374	1.6%

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	622,876	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	146,465	23.5%
15 to 29 minutes	259,434	41.7%
30 to 44 minutes	137,739	22.1%
45 to 59 minutes	35,085	5.6%
60 minutes or more	27,899	4.5%
Worked at home	16,254	2.6%

**Mean travel time** 24.4 minutes

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	616,903	100.0%
Occupied housing units	571,457	92.6%
Owner occupied	360,988	58.5%
Renter occupied	210,469	34.1%
Vacant housing units	45,446	7.4%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	616,903	100.0%
Built 1995 to March 2000	17,727	2.9%
Built 1990 to 1994	17,510	2.8%
Built 1980 to 1989	33,571	5.4%
Built 1970 to 1979	64,007	10.4%
Built 1960 to 1969	94,706	15.4%
Built 1950 to 1959	128,497	20.8%
Built 1940 to 1949	83,139	13.5%
Built 1939 or earlier	177,746	28.8%

**Median year built** 1954

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	319,986	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	1,750	0.5%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	7,617	2.4%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	18,986	5.9%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	39,782	12.4%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	61,356	19.2%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	55,226	17.3%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	41,762	13.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	46,133	14.4%
\$200,000 to \$249,999	19,109	6.0%
\$250,000 to \$499,999	23,876	7.5%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	3,699	1.2%
\$1,000,000 or more	690	0.2%

**Median value** \$113,800

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	571,457	100.0%
Utility gas	498,871	87.3%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	5,997	1.0%
Electricity	55,678	9.7%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	2,138	0.4%
Coal, coke or wood	308	0.1%
Solar energy or other fuel	5,638	1.0%
No fuel used	2,827	0.5%

## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	209,923	100.0%
Less than \$100	3,803	1.8%
\$100 to \$199	10,873	5.2%
\$200 to \$299	10,276	4.9%
\$300 to \$399	20,466	9.7%
\$400 to \$499	38,134	18.2%
\$500 to \$599	42,081	20.0%
\$600 to \$699	30,017	14.3%
\$700 to \$799	18,511	8.8%
\$800 to \$899	11,128	5.3%
\$900 to \$999	6,393	3.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	8,976	4.3%
\$1,500 or more	2,193	1.0%
No cash rent	7,072	3.4%

**Median gross rent** \$541

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income in 1999 25.6

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

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	216,798	100.0%
Less than \$400	3,532	1.6%
\$400 to \$599	16,405	7.6%
\$600 to \$799	34,108	15.7%
\$800 to \$999	44,164	20.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	44,696	20.6%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	28,069	12.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	26,775	12.4%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	13,941	6.4%
\$3,000 or more	5,108	2.4%

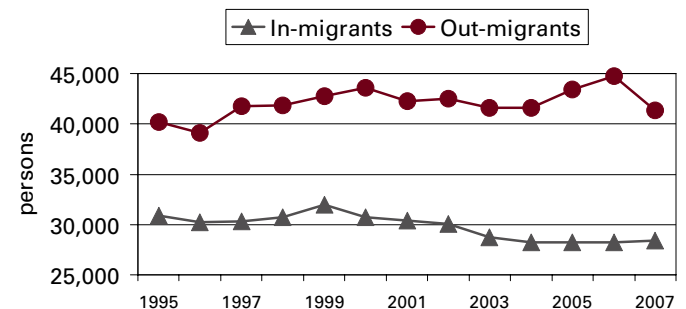
**Median monthly owners cost** \$1,057

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 22.1

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women	16,682	65.4
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-17	674	23.2
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	13,954	1,061.8
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	7,181	5.4
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	4,217	3.2

## Migration



## Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	5,000
Number of farms	150
Average size (acres)	33
Total cash receipts	\$9,549,000
Per farm	\$59,682

## Education

Public schools	382
Students (Average Daily Membership)	182,472
Expenditures per student	\$11,803
Student-teacher ratio	19.1
Graduation rate	80.4
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	11,921.9
Non-public schools	151
Students	42,749
4-year public universities	1
Branches	0
2-year public colleges	1
Private universities and colleges	6
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	9 / 64

## Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	1,103,042
Passenger cars	907,115
Noncommercial trucks	72,956
Total license revenue	\$26,896,881.43
Interstate highway miles	132.00
Turnpike miles	18.83
U.S. highway miles	107.12
State highway miles	232.49
County, township, and municipal road miles	4,319.34
Commercial airports	3

## Voting

Number of precincts	1,434
Number of registered voters	1,054,670
Voted in 2006 election	469,930
Percent turnout	44.6%

## Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	6,185
Registered hospitals	17
Number of beds	7,934
Licensed nursing homes	179
Number of beds	23,464
Licensed residential care	112
Number of beds	9,413
Adults with employer-based insurance	60.3%
Children with employer-based insurance	60.3%

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

Facilities	2
Acreage	13.47

## Communications

Television stations	9
Radio stations	27
Daily newspapers	2
Circulation	896,510

## Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	49,590
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## Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	12
Assets	\$280,757,458
Branch offices	374
Institutions represented	25

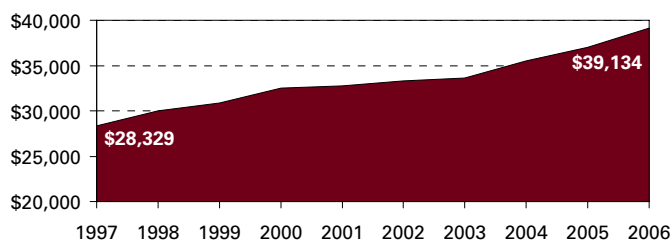
## Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$9,051,001,000
Payments to individuals	\$8,698,832,000
Retirement and disability	\$3,131,807,000
Medical payments	\$4,274,250,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$950,900,000
Unemployment benefits	\$134,165,000
Veterans benefits	\$137,392,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$67,776,000
Other payments to individuals	\$2,542,000
Total personal income	\$51,236,686,000
Dependency ratio	17.7%

## Federal Expenditures

Direct expenditures or obligations	\$11,227,793,135
Retirement and disability	\$3,617,555,768
Other direct payments	\$3,062,590,663
Grant awards	\$2,546,355,717
Highway planning and construction	\$100,553,191
Temporary assistance to needy families	\$89,382,469
Medical assistance program	\$1,324,155,081
Procurement contract awards	\$887,576,516
Dept. of Defense	\$259,750,776
Salary and wages	\$1,113,714,471
Dept. of Defense	\$120,601,000
Other federal assistance	\$670,347,839
Direct loans	\$37,808,557
Guaranteed loans	\$391,476,710
Insurance	\$241,062,572

## Per Capita Personal Income



**Civilian Labor Force**

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Civilian labor force	681,100	672,700	664,600	658,800	657,800
Employed	638,800	630,000	625,500	621,800	617,900
Unemployed	42,300	42,700	39,100	36,900	39,900
Unemployment rate	6.2	6.3	5.9	5.6	6.1

**Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2006**

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	36,654	652,528	\$28,190,000,000	\$830
Goods-Producing	5,123	111,007	\$5,709,142,390	\$989
Natural Resources and Mining	46	693	\$22,549,162	\$625
Constuction	2,635	24,371	\$1,182,539,069	\$933
Manufacturing	2,442	85,943	\$4,504,054,159	\$1,007
Service-Providing	31,531	541,522	\$22,490,000,000	\$798
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	8,787	133,215	\$5,158,258,485	\$744
Information	600	15,713	\$892,222,841	\$1,091
Financial Services	4,387	65,567	\$3,977,623,032	\$1,166
Professional and Business Services	7,127	109,181	\$5,436,971,497	\$957
Education and Health Services	3,878	130,487	\$5,163,956,660	\$761
Leisure and Hospitality	3,228	64,659	\$1,238,355,596	\$368
Other Services	3,366	22,361	\$612,185,055	\$526
Unclassified	159	340	\$10,593,190	\$599
Federal Government		15,966	\$1,070,290,295	\$1,289
State Government		5,018	\$257,792,608	\$987
Local Government		78,242	\$3,367,931,323	\$827

**Change Since 2001**

Private Sector	-3.3%	-5.8%	9.5%	16.2%
Goods-Producing	-13.2%	-18.2%	-7.3%	13.4%
Natural Resources and Mining	-6.1%	-22.9%	-22.8%	0.0%
Construction	-8.8%	-10.0%	3.6%	15.2%
Manufacturing	-17.6%	-20.2%	-9.7%	13.3%
Service-Producing	-1.4%	-2.8%	14.8%	18.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-7.4%	-10.4%	4.2%	16.3%
Information	-2.3%	-21.8%	-7.1%	18.7%
Financial Services	10.1%	-3.9%	22.3%	27.3%
Professional and Business Services	0.9%	-1.2%	18.5%	19.9%
Education and Health Services	4.2%	11.1%	27.6%	15.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	3.4%	-1.2%	7.9%	9.5%
Other Services	-9.5%	-14.0%	-1.3%	14.8%
Federal Government		-4.8%	19.6%	25.8%
State Government		-11.6%	9.6%	23.8%
Local Government		-3.5%	11.7%	15.7%

**Business Numbers**

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Business starts	3,519	2,775	2,870	3,149	2,471
Active businesses	30,115	30,075	30,064	29,725	27,929

**Major Employers**

American Greetings Corp	Mfg
Case Western Reserve University	Serv
Cleveland Clinic Health System	Serv
Continental Airlines	Trans
Ford Motor Co	Mfg
General Motors Corp	Mfg
KeyCorp	Fin
Lincoln Electric Holding Inc	Mfg
National City Corp	Fin
Parker Hannifin Corp	Mfg
Progressive Corp	Ins
Sherwin-Williams Co	Mfg
University Hospitals Health System	Serv

**Residential**

**Construction**

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Total units	2,108	2,248	1,993	1,487	1,046
Total valuation (000)	\$382,990	\$431,506	\$414,561	\$297,521	\$227,043
Total single-unit bldgs	1,865	2,010	1,748	1,246	922
Average cost per unit	\$194,980	\$203,187	\$224,833	\$222,858	\$233,030
Total multi-unit bldg units	243	238	245	241	124
Average cost per unit	\$79,641	\$97,063	\$87,971	\$82,325	\$98,302