

# Ohio County Profiles



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## Gallia County

**Established:** Act - April 30, 1803  
**2017 Population:** 29,973  
**Land Area:** 468.8 square miles  
**County Seat:** Gallipolis City  
**Named for:** Gaul, Ancient Name for France



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$520,288,280
Residential	\$260,162,250
Agriculture	\$136,807,850
Industrial	\$4,992,790
Commercial	\$117,877,090
Mineral	\$448,300
Ohio income tax liability	\$10,595,239
Average per return	\$957.29

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	7.25%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.57%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.45%
Forest	59.23%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	5.02%
Pasture/Hay	19.35%
Cultivated Crops	7.23%
Wetlands	0.09%
Open Water	0.81%

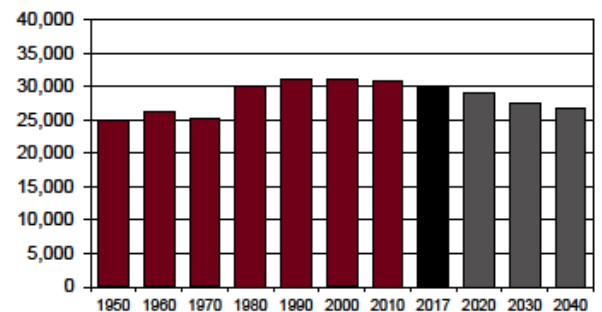
### Largest Places

	Est. 2017	Census 2010
Green twp	5,473	5,625
Springfield twp	3,571	3,664
Gallipolis vlg	3,432	3,641
Addison twp	2,155	2,197
Clay twp	1,825	1,870
Perry twp	1,551	1,595
Gallipolis twp UB	1,403	1,456
Morgan twp	1,366	1,404
Raccoon twp UB	1,244	1,295
Huntington twp UB	1,198	1,220

UB: Unincorporated balance.

### Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1910	25,745
1810	4,181	1920	23,311
1820	7,098	1930	23,050
1830	9,733	1940	24,930
1840	13,444	1950	24,910
1850	17,063	1960	26,120
1860	22,043	1970	25,239
1870	25,545	1980	30,098
1880	28,124	1990	30,954
1890	27,005	2000	31,069
1900	27,918	2010	30,934
		2012	30,869
		2013	30,615
		2014	30,347
		2015	30,083
		2016	29,996
		2017	29,973
		<b>Projected</b>	
		2020	29,010
		2030	27,510
		2040	26,600



## Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	30,376	100.0%
White	28,790	94.8%
African-American	824	2.7%
Native American	104	0.3%
Asian	199	0.7%
Pacific Islander	29	0.1%
Other	41	0.1%
Two or More Races	389	1.3%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	368	1.2%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>1,897</b>	<b>6.2%</b>

## Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	20,590	100.0%
No high school diploma	4,014	19.5%
High school graduate	8,315	40.4%
Some college, no degree	3,283	15.9%
Associate degree	1,797	8.7%
Bachelor's degree	1,862	9.0%
Master's degree or higher	1,319	6.4%

## Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	8,009	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	2,383	29.8%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,337	16.7%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	768	9.6%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,654	20.7%
Male householder, in labor force	398	5.0%
Male householder, not in labor force	157	2.0%
Female householder, in labor force	696	8.7%
Female householder, not in labor force	616	7.7%

## Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	11,495	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,107	9.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,523	13.2%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,648	14.3%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,541	13.4%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	966	8.4%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	879	7.6%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	985	8.6%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,264	11.0%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,146	10.0%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	290	2.5%
\$200,000 or more	146	1.3%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$39,423</b>	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	30,376	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,910	6.3%
5 to 17 years	5,253	17.3%
18 to 24 years	2,623	8.6%
25 to 44 years	7,024	23.1%
45 to 64 years	8,348	27.5%
65 years and more	5,218	17.2%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>40.5</b>	

## Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	8,009	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	2,059	25.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	253	3.2%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	713	8.9%
Families with no own children	4,984	62.2%

## Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children

	Number	Percent
Total Families	8,009	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	6,723	83.9%
Family income below poverty level	1,286	16.1%
Married couple, with related children	385	4.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	53	0.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	534	6.7%
Families with no related children	314	3.9%

## Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	29,549	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	2,070	7.0%
50% to 99% of poverty level	4,264	14.4%
100% to 124% of poverty level	1,607	5.4%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,650	5.6%
150% to 184% of poverty level	2,061	7.0%
185% to 199% of poverty level	850	2.9%
200% of poverty level or more	17,047	57.7%

## Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	29,946	100.0%
Same house as previous year	25,657	85.7%
Different house, same county	2,882	9.6%
Different county, same state	684	2.3%
Different state	694	2.3%
Abroad	29	0.1%

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	10,955	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	3,186	29.1%
15 to 29 minutes	3,967	36.2%
30 to 44 minutes	1,666	15.2%
45 to 59 minutes	783	7.1%
60 minutes or more	1,353	12.4%

Mean travel time **27.8 minutes**

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,727	100.0%
Occupied housing units	11,495	83.7%
Owner occupied	8,598	74.8%
Renter occupied	2,897	25.2%
Vacant housing units	2,232	16.3%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,727	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	66	0.5%
Built 2010 to 2013	369	2.7%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,559	11.4%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,800	20.4%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,994	14.5%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,446	17.8%
Built 1960 to 1969	1,266	9.2%
Built 1950 to 1959	878	6.4%
Built 1940 to 1949	449	3.3%
Built 1939 or earlier	1,900	13.8%

Median year built **1980**

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	8,598	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	620	7.2%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	721	8.4%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	708	8.2%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	969	11.3%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,230	14.3%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,054	12.3%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	727	8.5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,442	16.8%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	631	7.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	462	5.4%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	34	0.4%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	0.0%

Median value **\$101,200**

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	11,495	100.0%
Utility gas	2,466	21.5%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,158	18.8%
Electricity	5,619	48.9%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	288	2.5%
Coal, coke or wood	872	7.6%
Solar energy or other fuel	92	0.8%
No fuel used	0	0.0%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	2,897	100.0%
Less than \$100	0	0.0%
\$100 to \$199	61	2.1%
\$200 to \$299	103	3.6%
\$300 to \$399	184	6.4%
\$400 to \$499	208	7.2%
\$500 to \$599	443	15.3%
\$600 to \$699	527	18.2%
\$700 to \$799	344	11.9%
\$800 to \$899	266	9.2%
\$900 to \$999	151	5.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	180	6.2%
\$1,500 or more	0	0.0%
No cash rent	430	14.8%

Median gross rent **\$642**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **26.9**

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

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	3,768	100.0%
Less than \$400	27	0.7%
\$400 to \$599	216	5.7%
\$600 to \$799	596	15.8%
\$800 to \$999	843	22.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	755	20.0%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	448	11.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	732	19.4%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	110	2.9%
\$3,000 or more	41	1.1%

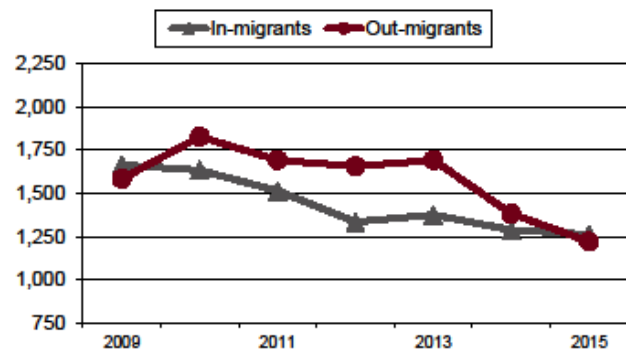
Median monthly owners cost **\$1,067**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **20.9**

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	379	70.8
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	26	27.5
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	396	1,319.3

## Migration



## Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	115,838
Number of farms	957
Average size (acres)	121
Total cash receipts	\$15,146,000
Per farm	\$15,826
Receipts for crops	\$7,811,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$7,335,000

## Education

Public schools buildings	14
Students (Average Daily Membership)	4,941
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	294.0
Expenditures per student	\$9,650
Graduation rate	92.8
Non-public schools	1
Students	150
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Private universities and colleges	1
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	1 / 1

## Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	38,139
Passenger cars	20,995
Noncommercial trucks	8,559
Total license revenue	\$1,002,076.84
Permissive tax revenue	\$129,855.00
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	850.47
Commercial airports	1

## Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	109
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	287
Licensed nursing homes	3
Number of beds	277
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	96
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.3%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.2%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	94.9%

## Voting

Number of registered voters	18,831
Voted in 2016 election	13,250
Percent turnout	70.4%

## Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	5,058
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0

## Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	799
Violent crime	35
Property crime	760
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## Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	1
Assets (000)	\$1,023,652
Branch offices	11
Institutions represented	5

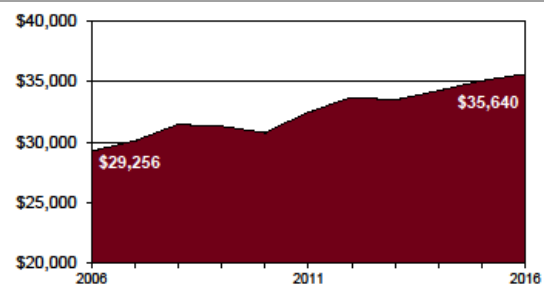
## Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$368,218,000
Payments to individuals	\$360,687,000
Retirement and disability	\$100,069,000
Medical payments	\$199,941,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$36,019,000
Unemployment benefits	\$2,764,000
Veterans benefits	\$10,449,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$9,083,000
Other payments to individuals	\$2,362,000
Total personal income	\$1,069,739,000
Dependency ratio	34.4%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	5
Acreage	11,048.01

## Per Capita Personal Income



## Civilian Labor Force

	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Civilian labor force	12,200	12,200	12,200	12,400	12,500
Employed	11,400	11,400	11,400	11,400	11,300
Unemployed	800	800	800	1,000	1,200
Unemployment rate	6.7	6.7	6.5	7.7	9.7

## Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2016

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	597	9,125	\$318,400,321	\$671
Goods-Producing	71	831	\$36,000,369	\$833
Natural Resources and Mining	7	31	\$794,074	\$499
Constuction	46	208	\$7,668,416	\$710
Manufacturing	18	592	\$27,537,879	\$894
Service-Providing	527	8,294	\$282,399,952	\$655
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	167	2,671	\$114,552,413	\$825
Information	7	78	\$2,804,617	\$689
Financial Services	53	382	\$17,451,985	\$878
Professional and Business Services	52	455	\$14,182,824	\$599
Education and Health Services	104	3,387	\$109,501,172	\$622
Leisure and Hospitality	52	1,000	\$14,433,798	\$278
Other Services	90	320	\$9,472,533	\$569
Federal Government		67	\$3,287,198	\$940
State Government		254	\$12,720,583	\$963
Local Government		1,518	\$50,908,994	\$645

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2011

Private Sector	-2.6%	1.5%	-0.3%	-1.8%
Goods-Producing	-7.8%	-1.4%	-1.0%	0.5%
Natural Resources and Mining	75.0%	63.2%	40.5%	-12.0%
Construction	-6.1%	-30.4%	-38.2%	-11.0%
Manufacturing	-25.0%	12.8%	17.8%	4.3%
Service-Producing	-1.9%	1.8%	-0.2%	-1.8%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-4.0%	2.5%	3.5%	1.0%
Information	-12.5%	-11.4%	-11.0%	0.3%
Financial Services	-8.6%	-7.5%	7.3%	15.8%
Professional and Business Services	10.6%	11.8%	71.5%	53.2%
Education and Health Services	35.1%	0.8%	-12.0%	-12.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	-7.1%	4.7%	17.6%	12.6%
Other Services	-23.1%	-0.6%	22.6%	23.2%
Federal Government		-20.2%	-14.0%	6.7%
State Government		-47.5%	-36.2%	21.6%
Local Government		10.8%	7.9%	-2.6%

## Residential Construction

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total units	3	3	5	6	5
Total valuation (000)	\$175	\$175	\$428	\$500	\$515
Total single-unit bldgs	3	3	5	6	3
Average cost per unit	\$58,333	\$58,333	\$85,615	\$83,333	\$63,333
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	2
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$162,500

## Major & Notable Employers

American Electric Power	Utility
ElectroCraft/DMI Technology	Mfg
Gallia County Local Schools	Govt
Gallipolis City Schools	Govt
GKN Sinter Metals	Mfg
Holzer Clinic	Serv
Holzer Medical Center	Serv
InfoCision Management Corp	Serv
Ohio Valley Bank	Fin
State of Ohio	Govt
University of Rio Grande	Serv
Wal-Mart Stores Inc	Trade