

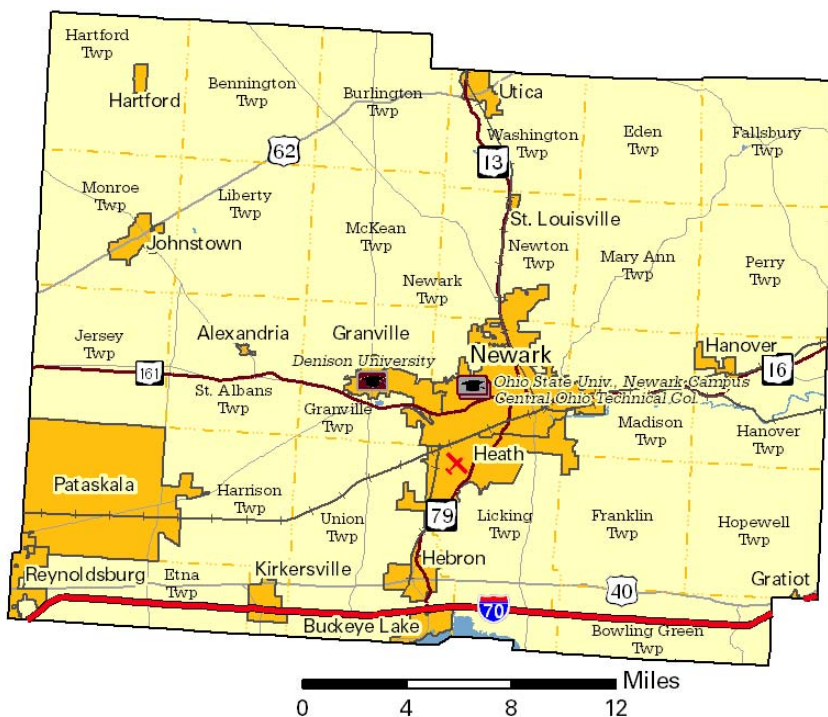
# Ohio County Profiles



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## Licking County

**Established:** Act - March 1, 1808  
**2016 Population:** 172,198  
**Land Area:** 686.5 square miles  
**County Seat:** Newark City  
**Named for:** Licking River, for the nearby salt licks



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$3,685,982,280
Residential	\$2,683,804,620
Agriculture	\$357,431,770
Industrial	\$138,363,760
Commercial	\$503,662,900
Mineral	\$2,719,230
Ohio income tax liability	\$101,592,554
Average per return	\$1,355.33

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	10.44%
Developed, Higher Intensity	1.66%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.04%
Forest	36.06%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.15%
Pasture/Hay	17.02%
Cultivated Crops	32.85%
Wetlands	0.24%
Open Water	0.54%

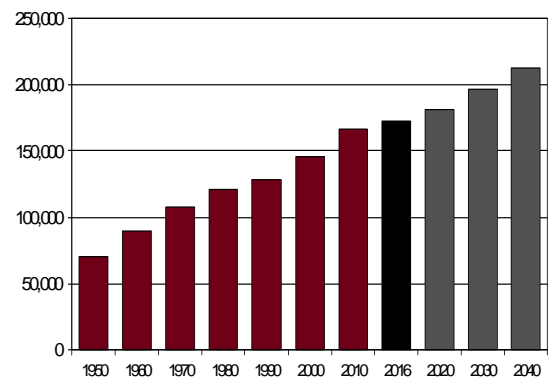
### Largest Places

	Est. 2016	Census 2010
Newark city	49,134	47,573
Pataskala city	15,458	14,962
Heath city	10,625	10,310
Reynoldsburg city (part)	9,093	8,826
Etna twp UB	8,559	8,311
Harrison twp UB	7,358	7,036
Granville vlg	5,771	5,646
Johnstown vlg	4,970	4,632
Licking twp	4,792	4,632
Granville twp UB	4,276	4,143

UB: Unincorporated balance.

### Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1910	55,590
1810	3,852	1920	56,426
1820	11,861	1930	59,962
1830	20,869	1940	62,279
1840	35,096	1950	70,645
1850	38,846	1960	90,242
1860	37,011	1970	107,799
1870	35,756	1980	120,981
1880	40,450	1990	128,300
1890	43,279	2000	145,491
1900	47,070	2010	166,492
		2011	167,241
		2012	167,765
		2013	168,573
		2014	169,517
		2015	170,759
		2016	172,198
		Projected	
		2020	180,860
		2030	196,570
		2040	212,370



## Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	168,693	100.0%
White	156,456	92.7%
African-American	5,697	3.4%
Native American	241	0.1%
Asian	1,665	1.0%
Pacific Islander	29	0.0%
Other	543	0.3%
Two or More Races	4,062	2.4%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	2,750	1.6%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>14,197</b>	<b>8.4%</b>

## Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	113,169	100.0%
No high school diploma	11,434	10.1%
High school graduate	42,149	37.2%
Some college, no degree	24,154	21.3%
Associate degree	9,594	8.5%
Bachelor's degree	16,844	14.9%
Master's degree or higher	8,994	7.9%

## Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	45,155	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	19,837	43.9%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	5,890	13.0%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	3,597	8.0%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	5,968	13.2%
Male householder, in labor force	2,153	4.8%
Male householder, not in labor force	437	1.0%
Female householder, in labor force	5,055	11.2%
Female householder, not in labor force	2,218	4.9%

## Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	64,230	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	3,711	5.8%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6,105	9.5%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	6,758	10.5%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	6,427	10.0%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5,665	8.8%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	5,039	7.8%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	7,375	11.5%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	9,030	14.1%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	9,449	14.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,721	4.2%
\$200,000 or more	1,950	3.0%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$56,549</b>	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	168,693	100.0%
Under 5 years	10,259	6.1%
5 to 17 years	30,081	17.8%
18 to 24 years	15,184	9.0%
25 to 44 years	40,800	24.2%
45 to 64 years	47,720	28.3%
65 years and more	24,649	14.6%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>39.7</b>	

## Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	45,206	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	13,340	29.5%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	1,582	3.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	4,242	9.4%
Families with no own children	26,042	57.6%

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

	Number	Percent
Total Families	45,206	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	41,065	90.8%
Family income below poverty level	4,141	9.2%
Married couple, with related children	1,067	2.4%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	392	0.9%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	2,076	4.6%
Families with no related children	606	1.3%

## Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	164,687	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	8,757	5.3%
50% to 99% of poverty level	12,169	7.4%
100% to 124% of poverty level	6,065	3.7%
125% to 149% of poverty level	6,843	4.2%
150% to 184% of poverty level	10,025	6.1%
185% to 199% of poverty level	4,510	2.7%
200% of poverty level or more	116,318	70.6%

## Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	166,809	100.0%
Same house as previous year	143,568	86.1%
Different house, same county	12,918	7.7%
Different county, same state	7,541	4.5%
Different state	2,440	1.5%
Abroad	342	0.2%

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	76,073	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	21,681	28.5%
15 to 29 minutes	24,180	31.8%
30 to 44 minutes	18,245	24.0%
45 to 59 minutes	7,460	9.8%
60 minutes or more	4,507	5.9%

**Mean travel time** 25.3 minutes

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	69,779	100.0%
Occupied housing units	64,230	92.0%
Owner occupied	46,298	72.1%
Renter occupied	17,932	27.9%
Vacant housing units	5,549	8.0%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	69,779	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	897	1.3%
Built 2000 to 2009	11,497	16.5%
Built 1990 to 1999	12,012	17.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	6,628	9.5%
Built 1970 to 1979	9,887	14.2%
Built 1960 to 1969	7,784	11.2%
Built 1950 to 1959	6,778	9.7%
Built 1940 to 1949	2,528	3.6%
Built 1939 or earlier	11,768	16.9%

**Median year built** 1976

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	46,298	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	1,639	3.5%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	737	1.6%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,585	3.4%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	2,349	5.1%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	4,473	9.7%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	6,030	13.0%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	5,726	12.4%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	11,343	24.5%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	8,115	17.5%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	3,073	6.6%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,065	2.3%
\$1,000,000 or more	163	0.4%

**Median value** \$152,200

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	64,230	100.0%
Utility gas	41,397	64.5%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	5,128	8.0%
Electricity	12,976	20.2%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	1,665	2.6%
Coal, coke or wood	2,515	3.9%
Solar energy or other fuel	485	0.8%
No fuel used	64	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	17,932	100.0%
Less than \$100	122	0.7%
\$100 to \$199	237	1.3%
\$200 to \$299	352	2.0%
\$300 to \$399	697	3.9%
\$400 to \$499	1,437	8.0%
\$500 to \$599	2,156	12.0%
\$600 to \$699	2,163	12.1%
\$700 to \$799	2,116	11.8%
\$800 to \$899	1,839	10.3%
\$900 to \$999	1,900	10.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	2,959	16.5%
\$1,500 or more	959	5.3%
No cash rent	995	5.5%

**Median gross rent** \$760

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 29.8

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

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	32,516	100.0%
Less than \$400	295	0.9%
\$400 to \$599	1,082	3.3%
\$600 to \$799	2,738	8.4%
\$800 to \$999	4,286	13.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	5,973	18.4%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	5,487	16.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	7,816	24.0%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	3,849	11.8%
\$3,000 or more	990	3.0%

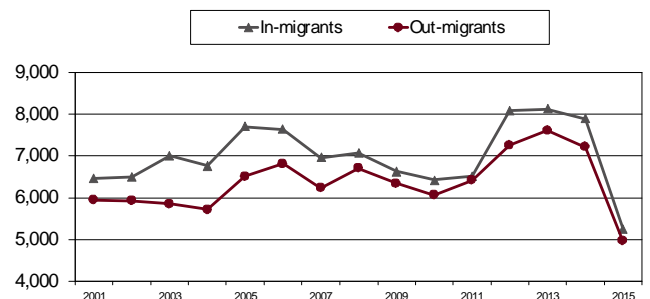
**Median monthly owners cost** \$1,336

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 21.1

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	1,879	59.2
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	119	20.2
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	1,701	997.2

## Migration



## Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	224,015
Number of farms	1,484
Average size (acres)	151
Total cash receipts	\$194,804,000
Per farm	\$131,270
Receipts for crops	\$101,728,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$93,076,000

## Education

Public schools buildings	54
Students (Average Daily Membership)	27,679
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	1,626.2
Expenditures per student	\$8,982
Graduation rate	89.5
Non-public schools	7
Students	1,084
4-year public universities	0
Branches	1
2-year public colleges/satellites	2
Private universities and colleges	1
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	5 / 5

## Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	201,585
Passenger cars	130,165
Noncommercial trucks	31,228
Total license revenue	\$5,336,836.01
Permissive tax revenue	\$2,794,515.00
Interstate highway miles	29.42
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	50.78
State highway miles	185.12
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,634.36
Commercial airports	1

## Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	214
Registered hospitals	2
Number of beds	248
Licensed nursing homes	11
Number of beds	995
Licensed residential care	9
Number of beds	517
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.7%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.7%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.1%

## Voting

Number of registered voters	117,019
Voted in 2016 election	84,629
Percent turnout	72.3%

## Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	4
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	9,610
Weekly newspapers	4
Circulation	23,907

## Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	4,432
Violent crime	176
Property crime	4,232
Arson	24

## Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	3
Assets (000)	\$7,584,699
Branch offices	50
Institutions represented	13

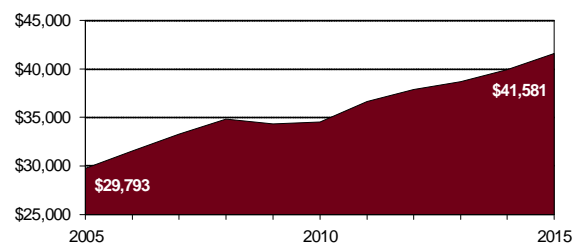
## Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$1,359,946,000
Payments to individuals	\$1,320,880,000
Retirement and disability	\$517,118,000
Medical payments	\$599,490,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$109,100,000
Unemployment benefits	\$12,876,000
Veterans benefits	\$40,467,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$27,399,000
Other payments to individuals	\$14,430,000
Total personal income	\$7,092,539,000
Dependency ratio	19.2%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	7
Acreage	2,629.77

## Per Capita Personal Income



## Civilian Labor Force

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Civilian labor force	86,000	86,600	86,700	87,500	87,900
Employed	80,200	80,600	82,100	83,600	84,100
Unemployed	5,800	6,000	4,500	3,800	3,800
Unemployment rate	6.8	6.9	5.2	4.4	4.3

## Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2015

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	3,280	53,115	\$2,118,459,708	\$767
Goods-Producing	551	10,456	\$523,292,695	\$962
Natural Resources and Mining	74	861	\$31,566,843	\$705
Constuction	325	2,914	\$156,270,524	\$1,031
Manufacturing	153	6,681	\$335,455,328	\$966
Service-Providing	2,543	34,933	\$1,252,316,634	\$689
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	706	10,842	\$365,382,225	\$648
Information	42	294	\$15,095,710	\$988
Financial Services	361	3,106	\$170,707,411	\$1,057
Professional and Business Services	473	4,930	\$221,116,746	\$862
Education and Health Services	331	7,861	\$321,313,932	\$786
Leisure and Hospitality	368	5,845	\$85,680,658	\$282
Other Services	255	2,042	\$72,176,611	\$680
Federal Government		357	\$24,391,080	\$1,314
State Government		807	\$47,851,884	\$1,141
Local Government		6,562	\$270,607,415	\$793

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2010

Private Sector	3.2%	5.6%	18.8%	12.5%
Goods-Producing	-2.0%	19.7%	35.1%	12.8%
Natural Resources and Mining	32.1%	64.3%	121.9%	35.1%
Construction	-10.7%	18.7%	60.5%	35.1%
Manufacturing	8.5%	15.5%	21.7%	5.5%
Service-Producing	5.1%	4.6%	19.0%	13.7%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	3.8%	5.8%	11.5%	5.4%
Information	20.0%	-34.1%	-18.5%	23.7%
Financial Services	14.6%	5.7%	27.2%	20.4%
Professional and Business Services	1.5%	-1.9%	10.3%	12.4%
Education and Health Services	11.4%	4.1%	20.9%	16.1%
Leisure and Hospitality	1.4%	2.7%	14.4%	11.5%
Other Services	-0.8%	37.0%	136.2%	72.6%
Federal Government		-34.1%	-18.8%	23.5%
State Government		-12.6%	-0.2%	14.2%
Local Government		-2.4%	1.9%	4.3%

## Business Numbers

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Business starts	306	264	267	258	226
Active businesses	2,560	2,599	2,590	2,577	2,318

## Major & Notable Employers

Anomatic Corp	Mfg
Boeing Co	Serv
Denison University	Serv
Licking County Government	Govt
Licking Heights Local Schools	Govt
Licking Memorial Health Systems	Serv
Newark City Schools	Govt
Owens-Corning	Mfg
Park National Bank	Fin
State Farm Mutual Automobile Ins Co	Ins

## Residential

### Construction

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total units	272	290	248	280	291
Total valuation (000)	\$52,762	\$58,410	\$51,595	\$69,198	\$72,585
Total single-unit bldgs	255	285	230	269	291
Average cost per unit	\$200,838	\$202,572	\$216,603	\$252,907	\$249,432
Total multi-unit bldg units	17	5	18	11	0
Average cost per unit	\$91,059	\$135,404	\$98,696	\$106,031	\$0