

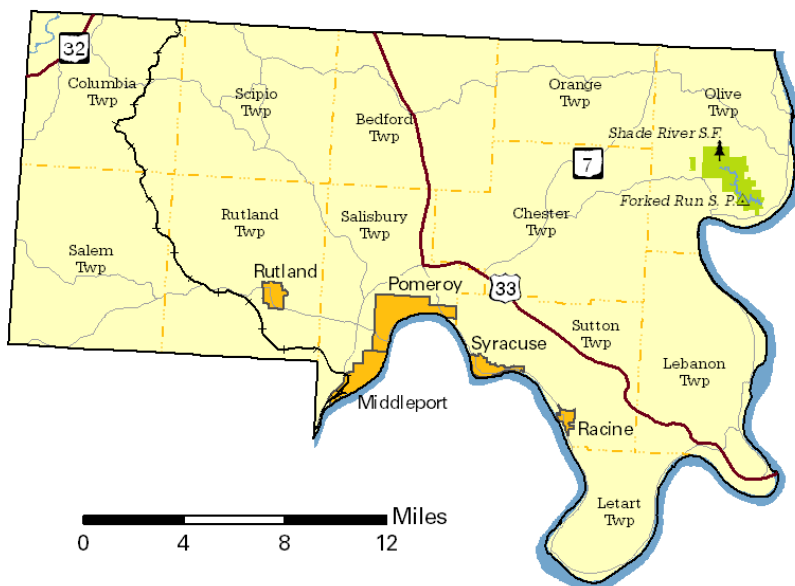
Ohio County Profiles



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Meigs County

Established: Act - April 1, 1819
2016 Population: 23,125
Land Area: 429.5 square miles
County Seat: Pomeroy City
Named for: Return Jonathan Meigs, Ohio Governor 1810-1814



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$307,121,390
Residential	\$161,078,130
Agriculture	\$96,314,900
Industrial	\$21,229,910
Commercial	\$21,533,120
Mineral	\$6,965,330
Ohio income tax liability	\$7,163,212
Average per return	\$853.68

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	7.06%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.33%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.27%
Forest	67.54%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.60%
Pasture/Hay	18.44%
Cultivated Crops	3.74%
Wetlands	0.05%
Open Water	0.96%

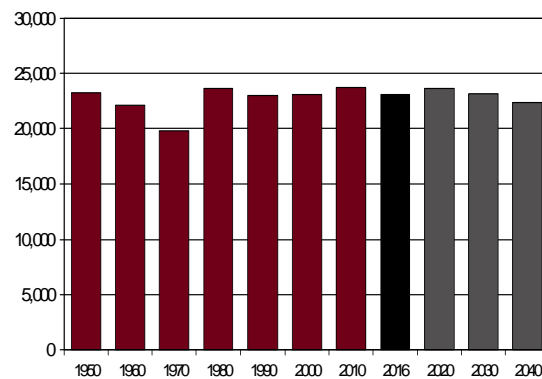
Largest Places

	Est. 2016	Census 2010
Middleport vlg	2,465	2,530
Chester twp	2,438	2,496
Salisbury twp UB	1,917	1,974
Rutland twp UB	1,902	1,960
Pomeroy vlg	1,814	1,852
Olive twp	1,748	1,798
Sutton twp UB	1,592	1,639
Bedford twp	1,314	1,355
Scipio twp	1,276	1,318
Columbia twp	1,166	1,189

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census			Estimated	
1800		25,594	2011	23,699
1810		26,189	2012	23,602
1820	4,480	23,961	2013	23,467
1830	6,158	24,104	2014	23,329
1840	11,452	23,227	2015	23,203
1850	17,971	22,159	2016	23,125
1860	26,534	19,799		
1870	31,465	23,641	Projected	
1880	32,325	22,987	2020	23,630
1890	29,813	23,072	2030	23,170
1900	28,620	23,770	2040	22,340



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	23,473	100.0%
White	22,882	97.5%
African-American	261	1.1%
Native American	33	0.1%
Asian	45	0.2%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	9	0.0%
Two or More Races	243	1.0%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	121	0.5%
Total Minority	706	3.0%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	16,521	100.0%
No high school diploma	2,613	15.8%
High school graduate	7,194	43.5%
Some college, no degree	2,931	17.7%
Associate degree	1,655	10.0%
Bachelor's degree	1,376	8.3%
Master's degree or higher	752	4.6%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,418	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	1,968	30.7%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	960	15.0%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	583	9.1%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,377	21.5%
Male householder, in labor force	340	5.3%
Male householder, not in labor force	234	3.6%
Female householder, in labor force	543	8.5%
Female householder, not in labor force	413	6.4%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	9,322	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,040	11.2%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,436	15.4%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,156	12.4%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,315	14.1%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	834	8.9%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	662	7.1%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	859	9.2%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,055	11.3%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	728	7.8%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	165	1.8%
\$200,000 or more	72	0.8%
Median household income	\$37,813	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	23,473	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,316	5.6%
5 to 17 years	3,877	16.5%
18 to 24 years	1,759	7.5%
25 to 44 years	5,564	23.7%
45 to 64 years	6,966	29.7%
65 years and more	3,991	17.0%
Median Age	42.3	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,420	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	1,603	25.0%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	351	5.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	478	7.4%
Families with no own children	3,988	62.1%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,420	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	5,267	82.0%
Family income below poverty level	1,153	18.0%
Married couple, with related children	294	4.6%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	150	2.3%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	321	5.0%
Families with no related children	388	6.0%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	23,143	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	2,313	10.0%
50% to 99% of poverty level	2,972	12.8%
100% to 124% of poverty level	1,187	5.1%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,073	4.6%
150% to 184% of poverty level	2,206	9.5%
185% to 199% of poverty level	675	2.9%
200% of poverty level or more	12,717	54.9%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	23,222	100.0%
Same house as previous year	20,731	89.3%
Different house, same county	1,638	7.1%
Different county, same state	723	3.1%
Different state	129	0.6%
Abroad	1	0.0%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	8,383	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	1,744	20.8%
15 to 29 minutes	3,060	36.5%
30 to 44 minutes	1,973	23.5%
45 to 59 minutes	749	8.9%
60 minutes or more	857	10.2%

Mean travel time 29.3 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	11,076	100.0%
Occupied housing units	9,322	84.2%
Owner occupied	7,317	78.5%
Renter occupied	2,005	21.5%
Vacant housing units	1,754	15.8%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	11,076	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	10	0.1%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,611	14.5%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,019	18.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,370	12.4%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,718	15.5%
Built 1960 to 1969	756	6.8%
Built 1950 to 1959	658	5.9%
Built 1940 to 1949	473	4.3%
Built 1939 or earlier	2,461	22.2%

Median year built 1977

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	7,317	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	941	12.9%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	819	11.2%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	822	11.2%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	875	12.0%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	779	10.6%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	761	10.4%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	491	6.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	901	12.3%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	633	8.7%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	278	3.8%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	17	0.2%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	0.0%

Median value \$84,900

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	9,322	100.0%
Utility gas	2,399	25.7%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,641	17.6%
Electricity	4,204	45.1%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	201	2.2%
Coal, coke or wood	721	7.7%
Solar energy or other fuel	132	1.4%
No fuel used	24	0.3%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	2,005	100.0%
Less than \$100	12	0.6%
\$100 to \$199	17	0.8%
\$200 to \$299	174	8.7%
\$300 to \$399	167	8.3%
\$400 to \$499	281	14.0%
\$500 to \$599	370	18.5%
\$600 to \$699	224	11.2%
\$700 to \$799	142	7.1%
\$800 to \$899	111	5.5%
\$900 to \$999	22	1.1%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	50	2.5%
\$1,500 or more	37	1.8%
No cash rent	398	19.9%

Median gross rent \$541

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 31.5

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	3,434	100.0%
Less than \$400	96	2.8%
\$400 to \$599	379	11.0%
\$600 to \$799	758	22.1%
\$800 to \$999	600	17.5%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	644	18.8%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	511	14.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	288	8.4%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	136	4.0%
\$3,000 or more	22	0.6%

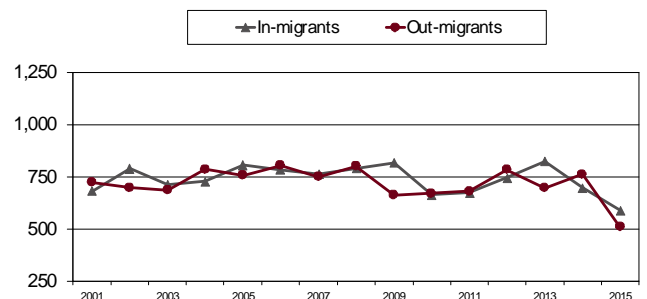
Median monthly owners cost \$962

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 21.7

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	238	59.1
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	14	21.1
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	285	1,225.4

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	75,801
Number of farms	588
Average size (acres)	129
Total cash receipts	\$14,478,000
Per farm	\$24,622
Receipts for crops	\$9,671,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$4,807,000

Education

Public schools buildings	8
Students (Average Daily Membership)	3,314
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	239.8
Expenditures per student	\$9,358
Graduation rate	89.1
Non-public schools	0
Students	0
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	1 / 3

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	30,445
Passenger cars	16,357
Noncommercial trucks	7,184
Total license revenue	\$774,350.92
Permissive tax revenue	\$56,440.00
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	29.10
State highway miles	165.25
County, township, and municipal road miles	809.03
Commercial airports	0

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	3
Registered hospitals	0
Number of beds	0
Licensed nursing homes	2
Number of beds	199
Licensed residential care	0
Number of beds	0
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	90.6%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	89.3%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	94.4%

Voting

Number of registered voters	15,148
Voted in 2016 election	10,192
Percent turnout	67.3%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	3,818
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	335
Violent crime	29
Property crime	305
Arson	1

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$330,302
Branch offices	8
Institutions represented	4

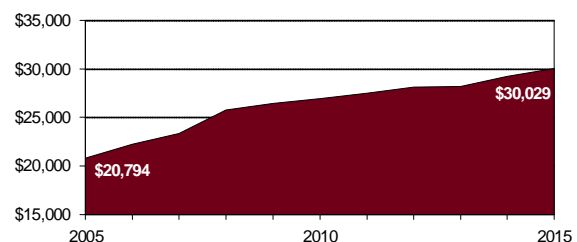
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$243,448,000
Payments to individuals	\$237,982,000
Retirement and disability	\$77,644,000
Medical payments	\$119,069,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$28,426,000
Unemployment benefits	\$2,535,000
Veterans benefits	\$6,359,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$2,306,000
Other payments to individuals	\$1,643,000
Total personal income	\$698,377,000
Dependency ratio	34.9%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	10
Acreage	4,066.23

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Civilian labor force	9,500	9,400	9,200	9,100	9,000
Employed	8,400	8,300	8,400	8,300	8,200
Unemployed	1,100	1,100	800	800	700
Unemployment rate	11.6	11.9	9.0	8.3	8.3

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2015

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	349	3,556	\$105,321,468	\$570
Goods-Producing	61	519	\$19,459,001	\$721
Natural Resources and Mining	17	137	\$4,974,058	\$697
Constuction	34	238	\$9,783,185	\$792
Manufacturing	10	144	\$4,701,758	\$629
Service-Providing	221	1,924	\$48,327,473	\$483
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	80	683	\$17,783,801	\$500
Information	3	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Financial Services	23	140	\$4,649,832	\$640
Professional and Business Services	29	150	\$3,756,659	\$481
Education and Health Services	35	472	\$14,739,577	\$601
Leisure and Hospitality	23	383	\$5,020,911	\$252
Other Services	28	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Federal Government		57	\$3,004,452	\$1,014
State Government		38	\$1,637,119	\$820
Local Government		1,018	\$32,893,423	\$621

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2010

Private Sector	-0.9%	1.5%	5.0%	3.4%
Goods-Producing	-10.3%	-13.2%	-22.0%	-10.2%
Natural Resources and Mining	-22.7%	-30.1%	-38.0%	-11.3%
Construction	-2.9%	3.9%	12.4%	8.2%
Manufacturing	-23.1%	30.9%	42.3%	9.4%
Service-Producing	3.8%	8.1%	18.1%	9.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-1.2%	4.1%	28.4%	23.2%
Information	50.0%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Financial Services	21.1%	1.4%	21.1%	19.6%
Professional and Business Services	-6.5%	23.0%	-10.2%	-26.9%
Education and Health Services	0.0%	2.6%	10.5%	7.7%
Leisure and Hospitality	-8.0%	14.0%	27.2%	11.5%
Other Services	33.3%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Federal Government		-33.7%	-20.6%	19.4%
State Government		2.7%	0.8%	-4.2%
Local Government		1.7%	13.2%	11.3%

Business Numbers	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Business starts	20	13	14	30	14
Active businesses	274	273	256	263	233

Major & Notable Employers

Eastern Local Schools	Govt
Extendicare/Rocksprings Rehab Ctr	Serv
Gatling Ohio LLC	Mining
Meigs County Govt	Govt
Meigs Local Schools	Govt
Overbrook Rehab Center	Serv
Southern Local Schools	Govt

Residential

Construction	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total units	5	5	9	4	14
Total valuation (000)	\$431	\$578	\$1,635	\$427	\$2,654
Total single-unit bldgs	5	5	9	4	14
Average cost per unit	\$86,200	\$115,668	\$181,677	\$106,750	\$189,573
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0