

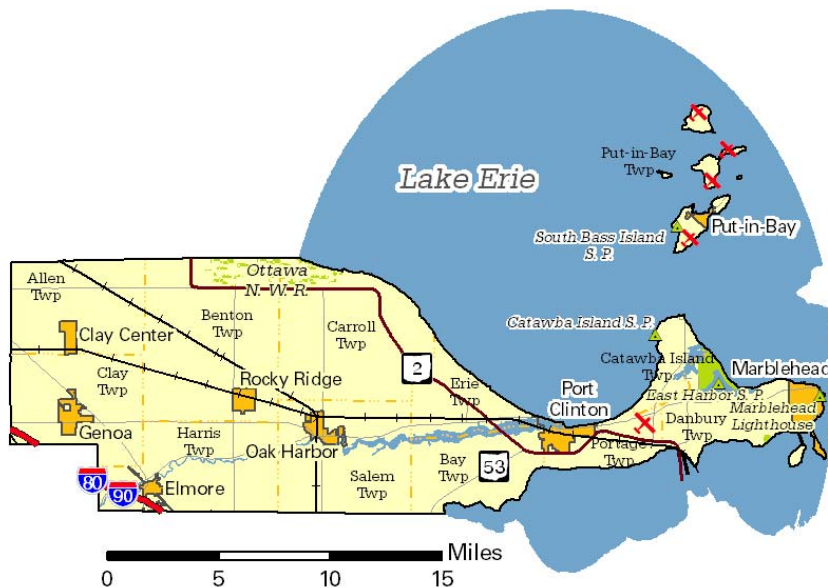
# Ohio County Profiles



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## Ottawa County

**Established:** Act - March 6, 1840  
**2016 Population:** 40,636  
**Land Area:** 255.1 square miles  
**County Seat:** Port Clinton City  
**Named for:** Native American word meaning "trader"



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$1,689,717,280
Residential	\$1,305,353,800
Agriculture	\$134,088,580
Industrial	\$62,014,450
Commercial	\$188,260,450
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$24,899,348
Average per return	\$1,230.51

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	12.50%
Developed, Higher Intensity	2.74%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	1.45%
Forest	3.65%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	2.37%
Pasture/Hay	0.60%
Cultivated Crops	59.99%
Wetlands	12.18%
Open Water	4.53%

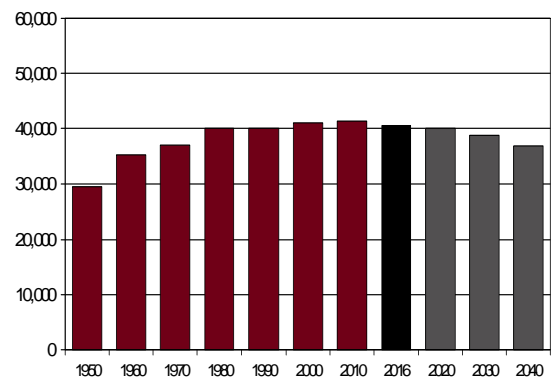
### Largest Places

	Est. 2016	Census 2010
Port Clinton city	5,945	6,056
Danbury twp UB	4,139	4,264
Catawba Island twp	3,517	3,599
Allen twp UB	3,449	3,504
Oak Harbor vlg	2,737	2,759
Clay twp UB	2,678	2,722
Salem twp UB	2,557	2,612
Genoa vlg	2,284	2,336
Benton twp UB	2,186	2,224
Carroll twp	2,092	2,135

UB: Unincorporated balance.

### Total Population

Census			Estimated	
1800		22,360	2011	41,391
1810		22,193	2012	41,307
1820		24,109	2013	41,086
1830		24,360	2014	41,019
1840	2,248	29,469	2015	40,859
1850	3,308	35,323	2016	40,636
1860	7,016	37,099		
1870	13,364	40,076	<b>Projected</b>	
1880	19,762	40,029	2020	40,100
1890	21,974	40,985	2030	38,720
1900	22,213	41,428	2040	36,880



## Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	41,162	100.0%
White	39,368	95.6%
African-American	398	1.0%
Native American	16	0.0%
Asian	146	0.4%
Pacific Islander	12	0.0%
Other	625	1.5%
Two or More Races	597	1.5%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	1,956	4.8%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>3,044</b>	<b>7.4%</b>

## Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	30,287	100.0%
No high school diploma	2,238	7.4%
High school graduate	11,698	38.6%
Some college, no degree	6,640	21.9%
Associate degree	3,145	10.4%
Bachelor's degree	4,135	13.7%
Master's degree or higher	2,431	8.0%

## Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	12,015	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	4,691	39.0%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,638	13.6%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	887	7.4%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	2,319	19.3%
Male householder, in labor force	639	5.3%
Male householder, not in labor force	139	1.2%
Female householder, in labor force	1,155	9.6%
Female householder, not in labor force	547	4.6%

## Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	17,334	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	712	4.1%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,497	8.6%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,927	11.1%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	2,112	12.2%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,773	10.2%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,603	9.2%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	1,917	11.1%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,138	12.3%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,381	13.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	735	4.2%
\$200,000 or more	539	3.1%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$53,914</b>	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	41,162	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,770	4.3%
5 to 17 years	6,374	15.5%
18 to 24 years	2,731	6.6%
25 to 44 years	8,366	20.3%
45 to 64 years	13,202	32.1%
65 years and more	8,719	21.2%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>47.3</b>	

## Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	12,034	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	2,733	22.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	448	3.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	880	7.3%
Families with no own children	7,973	66.3%

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

	Number	Percent
Total Families	12,034	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	11,203	93.1%
Family income below poverty level	831	6.9%
Married couple, with related children	124	1.0%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	67	0.6%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	482	4.0%
Families with no related children	158	1.3%

## Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	40,580	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,603	4.0%
50% to 99% of poverty level	2,746	6.8%
100% to 124% of poverty level	1,219	3.0%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,942	4.8%
150% to 184% of poverty level	2,593	6.4%
185% to 199% of poverty level	920	2.3%
200% of poverty level or more	29,557	72.8%

## Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	40,814	100.0%
Same house as previous year	36,723	90.0%
Different house, same county	2,245	5.5%
Different county, same state	1,434	3.5%
Different state	392	1.0%
Abroad	20	0.0%

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	18,285	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	6,248	34.2%
15 to 29 minutes	6,291	34.4%
30 to 44 minutes	3,493	19.1%
45 to 59 minutes	1,076	5.9%
60 minutes or more	1,177	6.4%

**Mean travel time** 23.4 minutes

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	27,967	100.0%
Occupied housing units	17,334	62.0%
Owner occupied	13,775	79.5%
Renter occupied	3,559	20.5%
Vacant housing units	10,633	38.0%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	27,967	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	328	1.2%
Built 2000 to 2009	3,467	12.4%
Built 1990 to 1999	3,916	14.0%
Built 1980 to 1989	3,425	12.2%
Built 1970 to 1979	3,155	11.3%
Built 1960 to 1969	2,665	9.5%
Built 1950 to 1959	3,819	13.7%
Built 1940 to 1949	1,443	5.2%
Built 1939 or earlier	5,749	20.6%

**Median year built** 1971

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	13,775	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	569	4.1%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	429	3.1%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	557	4.0%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,051	7.6%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,823	13.2%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,695	12.3%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	1,387	10.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,457	17.8%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	2,236	16.2%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,034	7.5%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	483	3.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	54	0.4%

**Median value** \$138,800

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	17,334	100.0%
Utility gas	10,289	59.4%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,960	17.1%
Electricity	2,770	16.0%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	404	2.3%
Coal, coke or wood	594	3.4%
Solar energy or other fuel	301	1.7%
No fuel used	16	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	3,559	100.0%
Less than \$100	0	0.0%
\$100 to \$199	33	0.9%
\$200 to \$299	159	4.5%
\$300 to \$399	129	3.6%
\$400 to \$499	275	7.7%
\$500 to \$599	548	15.4%
\$600 to \$699	503	14.1%
\$700 to \$799	361	10.1%
\$800 to \$899	337	9.5%
\$900 to \$999	211	5.9%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	491	13.8%
\$1,500 or more	198	5.6%
No cash rent	314	8.8%

**Median gross rent** \$696

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 27.8

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

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	8,251	100.0%
Less than \$400	79	1.0%
\$400 to \$599	351	4.3%
\$600 to \$799	978	11.9%
\$800 to \$999	1,247	15.1%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,847	22.4%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	1,232	14.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,446	17.5%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	886	10.7%
\$3,000 or more	185	2.2%

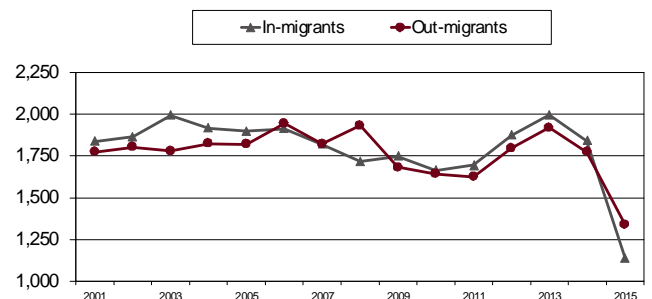
**Median monthly owners cost** \$1,199

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 20.8

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	358	59.1
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	20	18.3
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	487	1,191.4

## Migration



## Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	112,677
Number of farms	620
Average size (acres)	182
Total cash receipts	\$79,052,000
Per farm	\$127,503
Receipts for crops	\$77,847,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$1,205,000

## Education

Public schools buildings	15
Students (Average Daily Membership)	5,066
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	306.9
Expenditures per student	\$10,592
Graduation rate	94.2
Non-public schools	2
Students	146
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	3 / 2

## Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	61,197
Passenger cars	37,283
Noncommercial trucks	10,401
Total license revenue	\$1,541,386.84
Permissive tax revenue	\$805,692.50
Interstate highway miles	4.57
Turnpike miles	4.57
U.S. highway miles	0.00
State highway miles	140.15
County, township, and municipal road miles	546.54
Commercial airports	5

## Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	43
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	25
Licensed nursing homes	3
Number of beds	170
Licensed residential care	3
Number of beds	175
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	93.7%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	93.3%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	94.8%

## Voting

Number of registered voters	29,606
Voted in 2016 election	22,678
Percent turnout	76.6%

## Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	0
Daily newspapers	0
Circulation	0
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0

## Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	565
Violent crime	37
Property crime	527
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## Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$361,384
Branch offices	23
Institutions represented	11

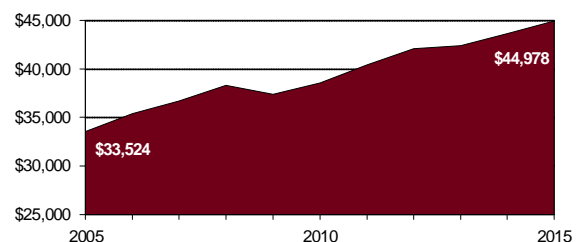
## Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$433,871,000
Payments to individuals	\$424,306,000
Retirement and disability	\$185,750,000
Medical payments	\$193,932,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$21,710,000
Unemployment benefits	\$4,714,000
Veterans benefits	\$10,910,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$4,042,000
Other payments to individuals	\$3,248,000
Total personal income	\$1,838,555,000
Dependency ratio	23.6%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	22
Acreage	5,086.78

## Per Capita Personal Income



<b>Civilian Labor Force</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Civilian labor force	22,000	22,000	21,500	21,100	20,900
Employed	19,900	19,900	19,900	19,700	19,600
Unemployed	2,100	2,100	1,600	1,400	1,300
Unemployment rate	9.5	9.7	7.6	6.6	6.4

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

<b>Industrial Sector</b>	<b>Number of Establishments</b>	<b>Average Employment</b>	<b>Total Wages</b>	<b>Average Weekly Wage</b>
Private Sector	1,106	13,531	\$537,289,882	\$764
Goods-Producing	161	2,861	\$157,003,031	\$1,055
Natural Resources and Mining	18	184	\$10,014,911	\$1,049
Constuction	91	485	\$24,101,761	\$956
Manufacturing	53	2,193	\$122,886,359	\$1,078
Service-Providing	843	8,413	\$289,878,879	\$663
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	219	2,767	\$139,932,696	\$973
Information	14	71	\$2,793,653	\$760
Financial Services	92	417	\$17,473,775	\$806
Professional and Business Services	107	413	\$14,805,480	\$689
Education and Health Services	78	1,681	\$53,615,743	\$613
Leisure and Hospitality	247	2,679	\$51,991,703	\$373
Other Services	85	382	\$9,231,963	\$464
Federal Government		180	\$9,704,761	\$1,035
State Government		158	\$8,074,277	\$983
Local Government		1,919	\$72,628,934	\$728

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2010

Private Sector	-0.7%	2.2%	10.6%	8.4%
Goods-Producing	-1.8%	3.8%	15.3%	11.1%
Natural Resources and Mining	-5.3%	-20.3%	-10.8%	12.2%
Construction	-5.2%	21.3%	44.6%	19.4%
Manufacturing	6.0%	3.1%	12.9%	9.4%
Service-Producing	0.6%	2.7%	12.2%	9.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-7.2%	-4.9%	5.8%	11.3%
Information	-30.0%	-5.3%	0.0%	6.6%
Financial Services	0.0%	-14.7%	5.6%	24.0%
Professional and Business Services	0.0%	2.2%	17.1%	14.5%
Education and Health Services	16.4%	2.6%	10.6%	7.7%
Leisure and Hospitality	7.4%	16.4%	37.6%	18.0%
Other Services	-1.2%	1.6%	17.2%	15.1%
Federal Government		-12.2%	2.3%	16.4%
State Government		-25.1%	-23.3%	2.3%
Local Government		2.5%	2.2%	-0.3%

<b>Business Numbers</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Business starts	86	57	66	57	54
Active businesses	973	992	1,002	1,006	916

## Major & Notable Employers

Benton-Carroll-Salem Local Schools	Govt
Brush Wellman Inc/Materion Brush	Mfg
FirstEnergy Corp/Davis Besse	Utility
Luther Home of Mercy	Serv
Magruder Hospital	Serv
Ottawa County Government	Govt
Port Clinton City Schools	Govt
USG Corp/US Gypsum Co	Mfg
Wal-Mart Stores Inc	Trade

## Residential

<b>Construction</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Total units	114	117	94	138	135
Total valuation (000)	\$27,373	\$31,806	\$26,271	\$31,162	\$41,866
Total single-unit bldgs	114	111	89	88	135
Average cost per unit	\$240,116	\$278,435	\$284,391	\$286,211	\$310,121
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	6	5	50	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$150,000	\$192,000	\$119,500	\$0