

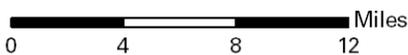
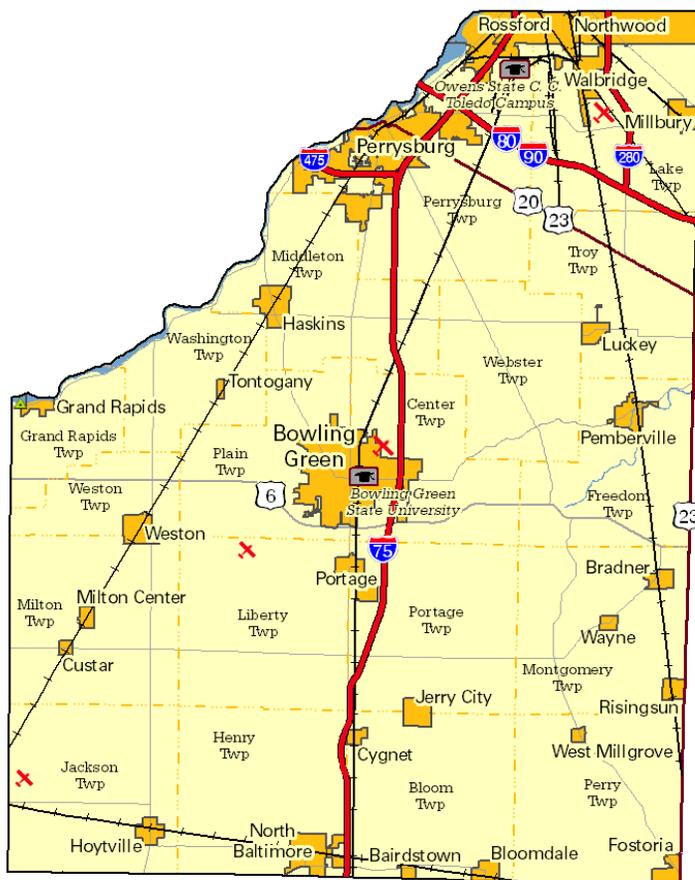
# Ohio County Profiles



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## Wood County

**Established:** Act - April 1, 1820  
**2015 Population:** 129,730  
**Land Area:** 617.4 square miles  
**County Seat:** Bowling Green City  
**Named for:** Colonel E.E. Wood, War of 1812



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$2,892,307,220
Residential	\$1,798,396,620
Agriculture	\$420,075,490
Industrial	\$177,872,610
Commercial	\$495,959,600
Mineral	\$2,900
Ohio income tax liability	\$86,284,783
Average per return	\$1,516.40

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	11.71%
Developed, Higher Intensity	2.81%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.28%
Forest	3.83%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.99%
Pasture/Hay	0.64%
Cultivated Crops	78.71%
Wetlands	0.35%
Open Water	0.68%

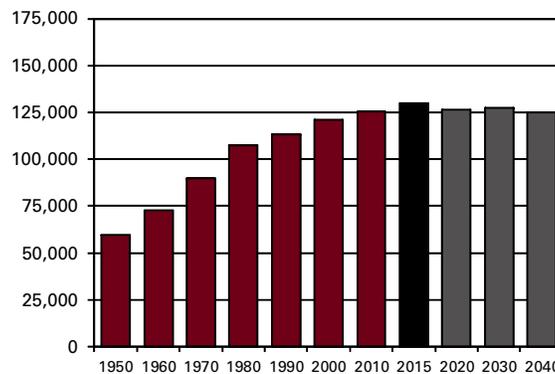
### Largest Places

	Est. 2015	Census 2010
Bowling Green city	31,246	30,050
Perrysburg city	21,423	20,796
Perrysburg twp	12,731	12,330
Lake twp UB	7,019	6,753
Rossford city	6,512	6,337
Northwood city	5,350	5,221
North Baltimore vlg	3,545	3,432
Middleton twp UB	3,410	3,275
Walbridge vlg	3,109	3,019
Troy twp UB	2,943	2,858

UB: Unincorporated balance.

### Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1910	46,330
1810		1920	44,892
1820	733	1930	50,320
1830	1,102	1940	51,796
1840	5,357	1950	59,605
1850	9,157	1960	72,596
1860	17,886	1970	89,722
1870	24,596	1980	107,372
1880	34,022	1990	113,269
1890	44,392	2000	121,065
1900	51,555	2010	125,488
		<b>Projected</b>	
		2020	126,540
		2030	127,600
		2040	124,910



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	128,139	100.0%
White	118,162	92.2%
African-American	3,258	2.5%
Native American	189	0.1%
Asian	2,174	1.7%
Pacific Islander	9	0.0%
Other	1,510	1.2%
Two or More Races	2,837	2.2%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	6,340	4.9%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>13,695</b>	<b>10.7%</b>

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	78,913	100.0%
No high school diploma	4,989	6.3%
High school graduate	24,425	31.0%
Some college, no degree	16,962	21.5%
Associate degree	8,240	10.4%
Bachelor's degree	14,179	18.0%
Master's degree or higher	10,118	12.8%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	30,970	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	13,995	45.2%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	4,727	15.3%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	1,757	5.7%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	4,130	13.3%
Male householder, in labor force	1,469	4.7%
Male householder, not in labor force	358	1.2%
Female householder, in labor force	3,271	10.6%
Female householder, not in labor force	1,263	4.1%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	49,561	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	3,857	7.8%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	5,073	10.2%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	5,295	10.7%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	5,003	10.1%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4,297	8.7%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	3,951	8.0%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	5,068	10.2%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	6,270	12.7%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	7,231	14.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,097	4.2%
\$200,000 or more	1,419	2.9%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$52,758</b>	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	128,139	100.0%
Under 5 years	6,876	5.4%
5 to 17 years	20,125	15.7%
18 to 24 years	22,225	17.3%
25 to 44 years	29,694	23.2%
45 to 64 years	32,592	25.4%
65 years and more	16,627	13.0%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>35.0</b>	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	30,995	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	9,431	30.4%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	1,255	4.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	2,717	8.8%
Families with no own children	17,592	56.8%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	30,995	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	28,323	91.4%
Family income below poverty level	2,672	8.6%
Married couple, with related children	543	1.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	235	0.8%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	1,226	4.0%
Families with no related children	668	2.2%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	121,155	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	9,205	7.6%
50% to 99% of poverty level	8,718	7.2%
100% to 124% of poverty level	5,154	4.3%
125% to 149% of poverty level	4,298	3.5%
150% to 184% of poverty level	6,690	5.5%
185% to 199% of poverty level	2,478	2.0%
200% of poverty level or more	84,612	69.8%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	126,784	100.0%
Same house as previous year	101,829	80.3%
Different house, same county	11,940	9.4%
Different county, same state	9,292	7.3%
Different state	2,882	2.3%
Abroad	841	0.7%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	59,947	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	21,966	36.6%
15 to 29 minutes	24,847	41.4%
30 to 44 minutes	9,205	15.4%
45 to 59 minutes	2,003	3.3%
60 minutes or more	1,926	3.2%

**Mean travel time** 20.0 minutes

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	53,588	100.0%
Occupied housing units	49,561	92.5%
Owner occupied	33,286	67.2%
Renter occupied	16,275	32.8%
Vacant housing units	4,027	7.5%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	53,588	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	624	1.2%
Built 2000 to 2009	7,870	14.7%
Built 1990 to 1999	8,068	15.1%
Built 1980 to 1989	5,574	10.4%
Built 1970 to 1979	9,160	17.1%
Built 1960 to 1969	5,303	9.9%
Built 1950 to 1959	4,783	8.9%
Built 1940 to 1949	2,392	4.5%
Built 1939 or earlier	9,814	18.3%

**Median year built** 1975

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	33,286	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	1,945	5.8%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	1,042	3.1%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,066	3.2%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	2,090	6.3%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	3,250	9.8%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	4,239	12.7%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	3,641	10.9%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7,442	22.4%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	6,089	18.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,850	5.6%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	523	1.6%
\$1,000,000 or more	109	0.3%

**Median value** \$145,700

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	49,561	100.0%
Utility gas	34,593	69.8%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	4,381	8.8%
Electricity	8,907	18.0%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	356	0.7%
Coal, coke or wood	682	1.4%
Solar energy or other fuel	551	1.1%
No fuel used	91	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	16,275	100.0%
Less than \$100	73	0.4%
\$100 to \$199	137	0.8%
\$200 to \$299	344	2.1%
\$300 to \$399	528	3.2%
\$400 to \$499	1,418	8.7%
\$500 to \$599	2,385	14.7%
\$600 to \$699	2,339	14.4%
\$700 to \$799	2,128	13.1%
\$800 to \$899	2,027	12.5%
\$900 to \$999	1,226	7.5%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	2,399	14.7%
\$1,500 or more	609	3.7%
No cash rent	662	4.1%

**Median gross rent** \$726

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 29.0

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

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	22,543	100.0%
Less than \$400	164	0.7%
\$400 to \$599	817	3.6%
\$600 to \$799	1,731	7.7%
\$800 to \$999	2,678	11.9%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	4,135	18.3%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	4,114	18.2%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	5,176	23.0%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	3,033	13.5%
\$3,000 or more	695	3.1%

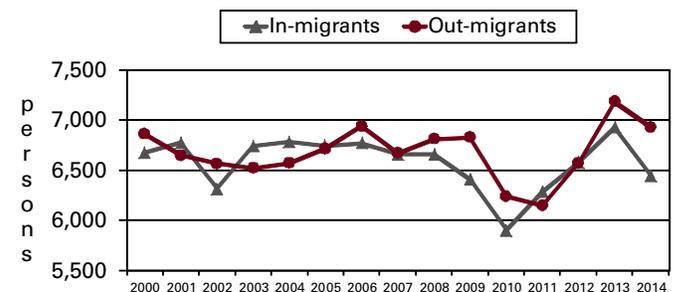
**Median monthly owners cost** \$1,356

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 21.2

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	1,405	48.9
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	67	11.1
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	1,128	870.4
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	779	6.2
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	367	2.9

## Migration



**Agriculture**

Land in farms (acres)	267,957
Number of farms	1,091
Average size (acres)	246
Total cash receipts	\$227,705,000
Per farm	\$208,712
Receipts for crops	\$193,447,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$34,258,000

**Education**

Public schools buildings	37
Students (Average Daily Membership)	18,229
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	971.8
Expenditures per student	\$9,419
Graduation rate	94.6
Non-public schools	8
Students	1,020
4-year public universities	1
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	7 / 4

**Transportation**

Registered motor vehicles	139,558
Passenger cars	91,762
Noncommercial trucks	18,642
Total license revenue	\$3,999,049.09
Interstate highway miles	54.70
Turnpike miles	11.18
U.S. highway miles	61.62
State highway miles	209.62
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,606.27
Commercial airports	4

**Health Care**

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	336
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	196
Licensed nursing homes	12
Number of beds	864
Licensed residential care	7
Number of beds	664
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	91.9%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	90.6%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.4%

**Voting**

Number of registered voters	96,264
Voted in 2014 election	36,224
Percent turnout	37.6%

**Communications**

Television stations	5
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	8,483
Weekly newspapers	3
Circulation	50,100

**Crime**

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	2,177
Violent crime	87
Property crime	2,085
Arson	5

**Finance**

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	0
Assets (000)	\$0
Branch offices	42
Institutions represented	14

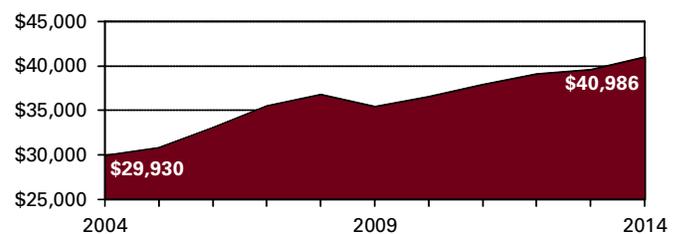
**Transfer Payments**

Total transfer payments	\$883,790,000
Payments to individuals	\$858,421,000
Retirement and disability	\$347,453,000
Medical payments	\$349,797,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$56,668,000
Unemployment benefits	\$10,837,000
Veterans benefits	\$19,087,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$65,647,000
Other payments to individuals	\$8,932,000
Total personal income	\$5,311,352,000
Dependency ratio	16.6%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	15
Acreage	691.49

**Per Capita Personal Income**



## Civilian Labor Force

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Civilian labor force	68,400	68,700	69,200	69,200	69,400
Employed	62,700	64,000	64,300	65,600	66,500
Unemployed	5,700	4,700	4,900	3,600	3,000
Unemployment rate	8.3	6.9	7.0	5.2	4.3

## Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2014

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	2,701	51,520	\$2,163,032,683	\$807
Goods-Producing	411	16,395	\$1,049,201,828	\$1,231
Natural Resources and Mining	30	504	\$18,116,949	\$692
Constuction	197	2,483	\$162,872,259	\$1,262
Manufacturing	184	13,409	\$868,212,620	\$1,245
Service-Providing	2,290	35,125	\$1,113,830,855	\$610
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	700	13,300	\$475,935,175	\$688
Information	41	411	\$17,989,731	\$841
Financial Services	320	1,539	\$74,789,862	\$934
Professional and Business Services	366	4,972	\$199,861,855	\$773
Education and Health Services	272	5,722	\$202,094,025	\$679
Leisure and Hospitality	344	7,189	\$90,823,253	\$243
Other Services	244	1,988	\$52,174,652	\$505
Federal Government		203	\$10,000,120	\$947
State Government		2,799	\$163,899,713	\$1,126
Local Government		6,695	\$256,230,854	\$736

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2009

Private Sector	-0.8%	17.9%	29.0%	9.5%
Goods-Producing	-9.7%	27.8%	31.9%	3.2%
Natural Resources and Mining	25.0%	39.2%	83.5%	31.8%
Construction	-15.5%	15.0%	46.7%	27.6%
Manufacturing	-7.5%	30.1%	28.7%	-1.1%
Service-Producing	0.9%	13.7%	26.5%	11.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-2.9%	10.9%	23.9%	11.7%
Information	-8.9%	0.2%	14.1%	13.8%
Financial Services	0.6%	-4.2%	12.6%	17.5%
Professional and Business Services	2.5%	21.8%	55.9%	28.0%
Education and Health Services	11.5%	10.8%	14.7%	3.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	5.8%	19.4%	32.2%	11.0%
Other Services	-4.7%	24.2%	26.4%	1.8%
Federal Government		-16.1%	-9.3%	8.4%
State Government		-19.3%	-6.3%	16.1%
Local Government		-6.2%	-5.8%	0.5%

## Business Numbers

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Business starts	170	175	154	136	144
Active businesses	1,990	1,983	1,989	2,009	1,988

## Major & Notable Employers

Bowling Green State University	Govt
Chrysler Group LLC	Mfg
First Solar Inc	Mfg
Great Lakes Window Inc	Mfg
Magna Int'l/Norplas Inc	Mfg
Owens Community College	Govt
Owens Illinois Inc	Mfg
Perrysburg Exempted Village Schools	Govt
Walgreen Co	Trade
Wood County Government	Govt
Wood County Hospital Assoc	Serv
WPP PLC/TNS Custom Research	Serv

## Residential

### Construction

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total units	234	336	255	218	257
Total valuation (000)	\$32,282	\$40,415	\$43,950	\$48,437	\$56,563
Total single-unit bldgs	134	154	182	214	227
Average cost per unit	\$207,355	\$211,966	\$223,823	\$224,299	\$241,601
Total multi-unit bldg units	100	182	73	4	30
Average cost per unit	\$44,960	\$42,703	\$44,028	\$109,250	\$57,333