

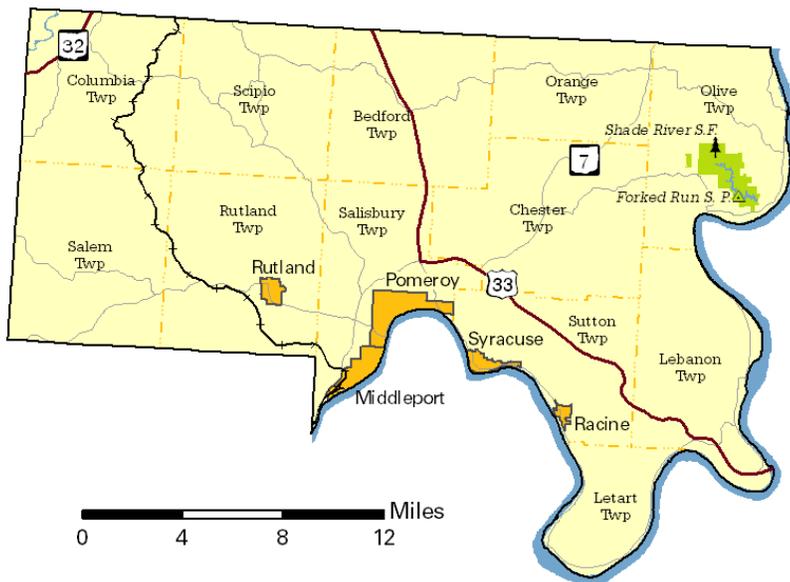
Ohio County Profiles



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Meigs County

Established: Act - April 1, 1819
2010 Population: 23,770
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	\$254,578,960
Residential	\$142,961,580
Agriculture	\$69,855,070
Industrial	\$18,516,320
Commercial	\$20,320,260
Mineral	\$2,925,730
Ohio income tax liability	\$7,601,835
Average per return	\$878.11

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/Transportation and Urban Grasses)	1.45%
Cropland	7.38%
Pasture	9.74%
Forest	80.48%
Open Water	0.84%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	0.00%
Bare/Mines	0.10%

Largest Places

	Census 2010	Census 2000
Middleport vlg	2,530	2,525
Chester twp	2,496	2,332
Salisbury twp UB	1,974	1,950
Rutland twp UB	1,960	1,946
Pomeroy vlg	1,852	1,966
Olive twp	1,798	1,874
Sutton twp UB	1,639	1,625
Bedford twp	1,355	1,212
Scipio twp	1,318	1,050
Columbia twp	1,189	1,018

UB: Unincorporated balance.

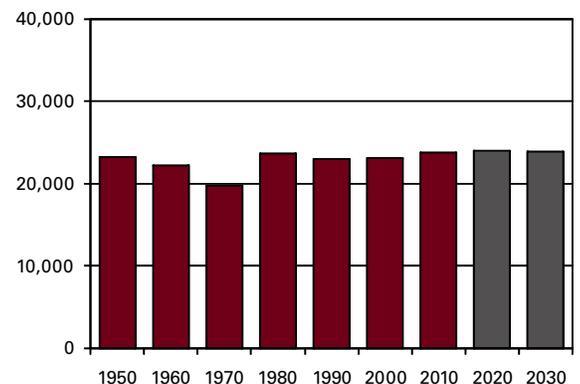
Total Population

Census

1800	1880	32,325	1950	23,227
1810	1890	29,813	1960	22,159
1820	1900	28,620	1970	19,799
1830	1910	25,594	1980	23,641
1840	1920	26,189	1990	22,987
1850	1930	23,961	2000	23,072
1860	1940	24,104	2010	23,770
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Projected

2020	23,990
2030	23,830



Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	23,649	100.0%
White	23,110	97.7%
African-American	258	1.1%
Native American	100	0.4%
Asian	15	0.1%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	11	0.0%
Two or More Races	155	0.7%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	134	0.6%
Total Minority	644	2.7%

Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	16,408	100.0%
No high school diploma	2,918	17.8%
High school graduate	7,804	47.6%
Some college, no degree	2,544	15.5%
Associate degree	1,446	8.8%
Bachelor's degree	1,028	6.3%
Master's degree or higher	668	4.1%

Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,354	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	1,913	30.1%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,273	20.0%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	665	10.5%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,104	17.4%
Male householder, in labor force	219	3.4%
Male householder, not in labor force	137	2.2%
Female householder, in labor force	615	9.7%
Female householder, not in labor force	428	6.7%

Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	9,675	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	913	9.4%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,997	20.6%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,464	15.1%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,204	12.4%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	879	9.1%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	757	7.8%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	976	10.1%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	757	7.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	622	6.4%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	79	0.8%
\$200,000 or more	27	0.3%
Median household income	\$33,407	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	23,649	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,350	5.7%
5 to 17 years	4,052	17.1%
18 to 24 years	1,839	7.8%
25 to 44 years	5,910	25.0%
45 to 64 years	6,839	28.9%
65 years and more	3,659	15.5%
Median Age	41.2	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,354	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	1,735	27.3%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	132	2.1%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	504	7.9%
Families with no own children	3,983	62.7%

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

	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,354	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	5,294	83.3%
Family income below poverty level	1,060	16.7%
Married couple, with related children	298	28.1%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	73	6.9%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	409	38.6%
Families with no related children	280	26.4%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	23,521	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,864	7.9%
50% to 99% of poverty level	3,031	12.9%
100% to 149% of poverty level	3,029	12.9%
150% to 199% of poverty level	3,127	13.3%
200% of poverty level or more	12,470	53.0%

Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	23,446	100.0%
Same house as previous year	20,766	88.6%
Different house, same county	1,292	5.5%
Different county, same state	1,054	4.5%
Different state	325	1.4%
Abroad	9	0.0%

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	8,522	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	1,877	22.0%
15 to 29 minutes	2,770	32.5%
30 to 44 minutes	2,123	24.9%
45 to 59 minutes	935	11.0%
60 minutes or more	817	9.6%

Mean travel time **30.1 minutes**

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	11,181	100.0%
Occupied housing units	9,675	86.5%
Owner occupied	7,763	69.4%
Renter occupied	1,912	17.1%
Vacant housing units	1,506	13.5%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	11,181	100.0%
Built 2005 or later	300	2.7%
Built 2000 to 2004	731	6.5%
Built 1990 to 1999	1,835	16.4%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,356	12.1%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,634	14.6%
Built 1960 to 1969	916	8.2%
Built 1950 to 1959	849	7.6%
Built 1940 to 1949	660	5.9%
Built 1939 or earlier	2,900	25.9%

Median year built **1972**

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	7,763	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	762	9.8%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	740	9.5%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,166	15.0%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,164	15.0%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,096	14.1%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	820	10.6%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	605	7.8%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	587	7.6%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	488	6.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	290	3.7%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	45	0.6%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	0.0%

Median value **\$80,700**

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	9,675	100.0%
Utility gas	3,045	31.5%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,415	14.6%
Electricity	4,069	42.1%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	272	2.8%
Coal, coke or wood	746	7.7%
Solar energy or other fuel	128	1.3%
No fuel used	0	0.0%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	1,912	100.0%
Less than \$100	6	0.3%
\$100 to \$199	63	3.3%
\$200 to \$299	190	9.9%
\$300 to \$399	150	7.8%
\$400 to \$499	299	15.6%
\$500 to \$599	220	11.5%
\$600 to \$699	180	9.4%
\$700 to \$799	211	11.0%
\$800 to \$899	46	2.4%
\$900 to \$999	30	1.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	11	0.6%
\$1,500 or more	0	0.0%
No cash rent	506	26.5%

Median gross rent **\$498**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **32.2**

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	3,729	100.0%
Less than \$400	20	0.5%
\$400 to \$599	658	17.6%
\$600 to \$799	734	19.7%
\$800 to \$999	1,004	26.9%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	681	18.3%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	314	8.4%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	226	6.1%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	69	1.9%
\$3,000 or more	23	0.6%

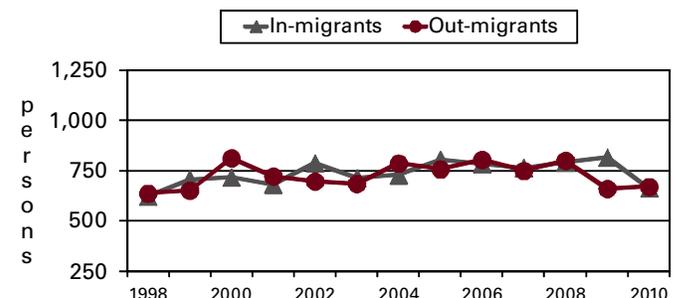
Median monthly owners cost **\$882**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **22.5**

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	249	58.0
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	32	44.7
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	296	1,302.7
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	154	6.7
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	115	5.0

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	74,000
Number of farms	540
Average size (acres)	137
Total cash receipts	\$20,586,000
Per farm	\$37,429

Education

Public schools buildings	8
Students (Average Daily Membership)	3,423
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	241.5
Expenditures per student	\$10,596
Graduation rate	88.2
Non-public schools	0
Students	0
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	1 / 3

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	30,525
Passenger cars	16,159
Noncommercial trucks	7,620
Total license revenue	\$760,907.90
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	817.09
Commercial airports	0

Voting

Number of precincts	27
Number of registered voters	16,042
Voted in 2010 election	7,210
Percent turnout	44.9%

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	3
Registered hospitals	0
Number of beds	0
Licensed nursing homes	2
Number of beds	200
Licensed residential care	0
Number of beds	0
Adults with employer-based insurance	51.4%
Children with employer-based insurance	44.4%

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	9
Acres	3,910.76

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	2,853
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	611
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Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$321,046
Branch offices	8
Institutions represented	4

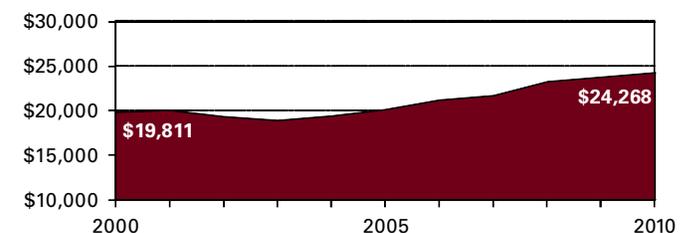
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$197,340,000
Payments to individuals	\$193,176,000
Retirement and disability	\$63,655,000
Medical payments	\$79,851,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$27,181,000
Unemployment benefits	\$10,795,000
Veterans benefits	\$5,260,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$3,857,000
Other payments to individuals	\$2,577,000
Total personal income	\$561,641,000
Dependency ratio	35.1%

Federal Expenditures

Direct expenditures or obligations	\$206,333,967
Retirement and disability	\$73,307,149
Other direct payments	\$57,486,994
Grant awards	\$68,905,720
Highway planning and construction	\$10,578,889
Temporary assistance to needy families	\$1,479,388
Medical assistance program	\$43,365,695
Procurement contract awards	\$1,879,643
Dept. of Defense	\$757,308
Salary and wages	\$4,754,461
Dept. of Defense	\$528,000
Other federal assistance	\$40,390,228
Direct loans	\$587,980
Guaranteed loans	\$6,520,530
Insurance	\$33,281,718

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Civilian labor force	9,200	9,100	9,400	9,500	9,300
Employed	8,400	8,200	8,000	8,100	8,000
Unemployed	800	900	1,400	1,400	1,300
Unemployment rate	8.9	10.0	14.6	14.9	13.5

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2010

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	281	2,378	\$65,881,038	\$533
Goods-Producing	68	598	\$24,960,142	\$803
Natural Resources and Mining	20	259	\$12,951,328	\$963
Constuction	35	229	\$8,705,801	\$732
Manufacturing	13	110	\$3,303,013	\$575
Service-Providing	213	1,780	\$40,920,896	\$442
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	81	656	\$13,854,542	\$406
Information	2	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Financial Services	19	138	\$3,839,031	\$535
Professional and Business Services	31	122	\$4,185,319	\$658
Education and Health Services	35	460	\$13,344,852	\$558
Leisure and Hospitality	25	336	\$3,946,723	\$226
Other Services	21	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Federal Government		86	\$3,785,309	\$849
State Government		37	\$1,624,306	\$856
Local Government		1,001	\$29,062,866	\$558

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2005

Private Sector	-9.9%	-4.5%	27.1%	33.3%
Goods-Producing	-1.4%	-2.1%	41.4%	44.7%
Natural Resources and Mining	11.1%	3.2%	83.8%	78.3%
Construction	-7.9%	-2.6%	22.2%	25.6%
Manufacturing	0.0%	-12.0%	-5.1%	7.7%
Service-Producing	-12.3%	-5.2%	19.7%	26.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-19.8%	-6.2%	0.4%	6.8%
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Financial Services	-13.6%	-14.8%	2.8%	20.8%
Professional and Business Services	-18.4%	3.4%	54.3%	48.5%
Education and Health Services	20.7%	-0.6%	44.2%	45.3%
Leisure and Hospitality	-10.7%	-4.5%	24.3%	29.9%
Other Services	-4.5%	-100.0%	-100.0%	-100.0%
Federal Government		10.3%	24.6%	13.7%
State Government		-9.8%	6.1%	20.1%
Local Government		-1.0%	13.8%	14.8%

Business Numbers

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Business starts	24	11	29	20	18
Active businesses	321	302	300	296	284

Major 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

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Total units	10	6	2	5	7
Total valuation (000)	\$1,290	\$690	\$142	\$730	\$660
Total single-unit bldgs	10	6	2	5	7
Average cost per unit	\$129,000	\$114,967	\$71,000	\$146,000	\$94,286
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0