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NEW! 2002 OHIO COUNTY PROFILES **NEW!**

The Ohio Office of Strategic Research is announcing the release of the **2002 Ohio County Profiles**. This 370-page document contains more than 50,000 pieces of information gathered from over 50 different sources for Ohio and its eighty-eight counties. The front page description and general overview of each county includes historical decennial census of population, as well as labor force data. The remaining three pages contain tables and graphs covering a myriad of subjects:

SOCIO-ECONOMIC SECTION

This section contains recently released data from the 100 percent count 2000 Census on population by age, race, and sex, and information on housing units and household and family type. Also included in this section are the vital statistics of births, deaths, marriages, and divorces, and graphics showing decennial population growth, in and out population migration, and per capita income.

QUALITY OF LIFE SECTION

Within this section are data on health care, crime, voting, climate, state parks, land cover, agriculture, education, transportation, communications, finance, taxes, transfer payments, and Federal expenditures.

BUSINESS & INDUSTRY SECTION

Along with a list of major employers, this section includes a time series of civilian labor force, employment and average weekly earnings by industrial sector, residential construction, and components of business change. Also included is the location of the nearest Regional Economic Development Office.

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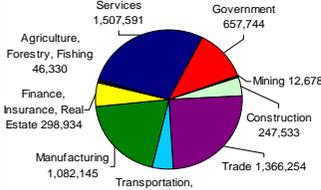
STATE OF OHIO
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NAMED FOR: Native American word meaning "beautiful river"
STATEHOOD: March 1, 1803
2000 POPULATION: 11,353,140
LAND AREA: 40,952.6 Square Miles
CAPITAL CITY: Columbus City

DECENNIAL CENSUS OF POPULATION							
1800	1810	1820	1830	1840	1850	1860	
1870	1880	1890	1900	1910	1920	1930	
1940	1950	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE
The 2000 annual average civilian labor force estimates for the State of Ohio were: total labor force - 5,869,000, employment - 5,630,000, unemployment - 239,000, unemployment rate- 4.1.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY



Largest Counties	1990 Census	2000 Census
Cuyahoga County	1,412,140	1,383,978
Franklin County	961,437	1,068,978
Hamilton County	866,228	845,303
Montgomery County	573,808	559,062
Summit County	514,990	542,899
Lucas County	462,361	455,054
Stark County	367,585	376,098
Butler County	291,479	332,807
Lorain County	271,126	284,664
Mahoning County	264,806	257,555

LUA: Unincorporated Area

The **Ohio County Profiles** are available on-line at: www.odod.state.oh.us/osr/profiles/default.htm. The complete report in PDF format plus the Excel spreadsheets are available on CD-Rom for \$75.00. Bound paper copies of the **2002 Ohio County Profiles** may be purchased for \$100.00. To order, complete the form on page 4 of DataLine, and return it along with your prepayment to **Ohio Department of Development, Office of Strategic Research, P.O. Box 1001, Columbus, OH 43216-1001**. Ohio Data Resource Network affiliates will receive both a paper and CD-Rom copy in the mail by mid-February.

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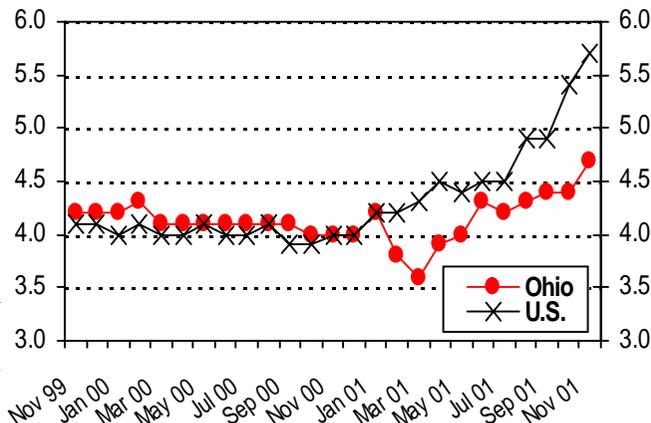


UNEMPLOYMENT RATE: November 1999 To November 2001

The November unemployment rate in Ohio increased to 4.7. The number of unemployed workers increased 6.9 percent for the month, and was 22.1 percent higher than a year ago.

The U.S. unemployment rate for November rose to 5.7 from its October level of 5.4. The number of unemployed workers has grown 5.4 percent since October, and 44.2 percent since November 2000.

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION Monthly Data (000)	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio	U.S.	U.S.	U.S.
	Nov 01	Oct 01	Nov 00	Nov 01	Oct 01	Nov 00
Civilian Labor Force	5,929	5,919	5,852	142,244	142,303	141,136
Employment	5,647	5,655	5,620	134,084	134,562	135,478
Unemployment	282	264	231	8,160	7,741	5,658
Unemployment Rate	4.7	4.5	4.0	5.7	5.4	4.0



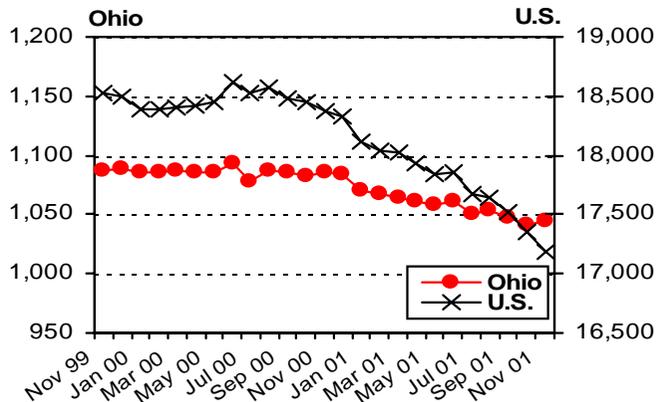
Seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Ohio Dept of Job & Family Services, [LMI Bureau](#).



MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT: November 1999 To November 2001

November employment in Ohio's manufacturing industry increased 0.2 percent for the month with 1,041,500 workers. This was a decrease of 3.8 percent for the year. Production workers in Ohio's manufacturing industries earned an average of \$727.74 per week in November, up \$13.18 from October. This was \$15.72 less than a year ago, a 2.1 percent decrease from November 2000.

The November manufacturing employment in the U.S. decreased 1.0 percent for the month with 17,190,000 employees. This was a 6.7 percent decline for the year. Average weekly earnings for production workers increased \$3.66 to \$612.94 in November 2001. This amounted to a 0.9 percent increase of \$5.58 over November 2000.



Employment in thousands. Not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCES: Ohio Dept of Job & Family Services, [LMI Bureau](#);
U.S. Department of Labor, [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#).



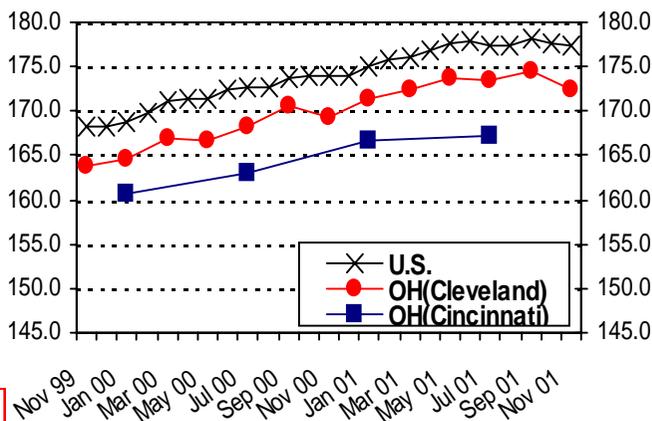
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: November 1999 To November 2001

The November U.S. average city consumer price index for all urban consumers (CPI-U) dropped 0.2 percent to 177.4 from 177.7 in October. This was a 1.9 percent increase over November 2000.

The Cleveland all urban consumers CPI for November was 172.3. This was a decrease of 1.3 percent from two months ago, and an increase of 1.7 percent over a year ago.

For the first half of 2001, Cincinnati's CPI-U increased 0.4 percent over the second half of 2000 with 167.2. This was 2.6 percent higher than the first half of 2000.

CPI-U Annual % Change	97-98	98-99	99-00	00-01
U.S. Average City	1.6%	2.2%	3.4%	1.9%
OH (Cleveland)	2.4%	1.7%	3.4%	1.7%
OH (Cincinnati)	2.0%	2.6%	3.5%	2.6%

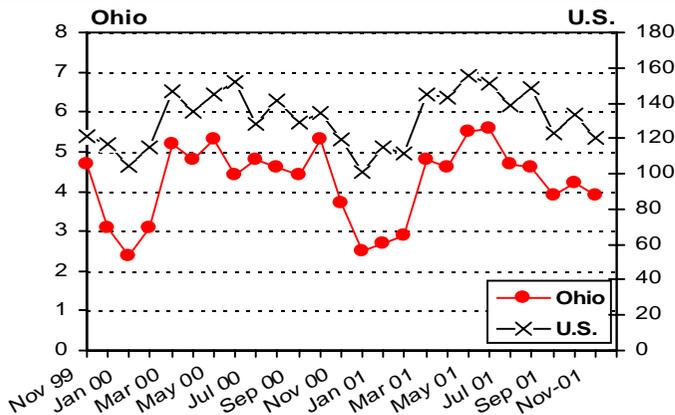


Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U), 1982-84=100.
US updated monthly; Cleveland, bi-monthly; Cincinnati, semi-annually.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#).

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RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION: November 1999 To November 2001



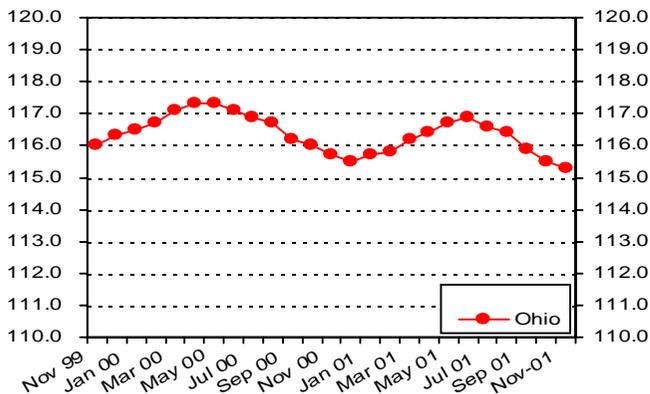
Number of units in thousands.
Percent of imputed data is greater than 25 percent.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, [Bureau of the Census](#).

The construction of new, privately-owned housing units in Ohio fell 7.0 percent between October 2001 and November 2001, to a total of 3,889 units. This was an increase of 5.4 percent from the November 2000 figure. The average value per single-family dwelling was \$151,605, 0.6 percent higher than last month, and 5.1 percent more than in November 2000.

In the U.S., the number of units authorized in November 2001 was 119,964, a decrease of 10.0 percent from the October figure. This was 0.3 percent higher than in November 2000. The average construction valuation per single-family building was \$137,207, a decrease of 0.4 percent for the month, but 0.9 percent more for the year.



INDEX OF LEADING INDICATORS: November 1999 To November 2001



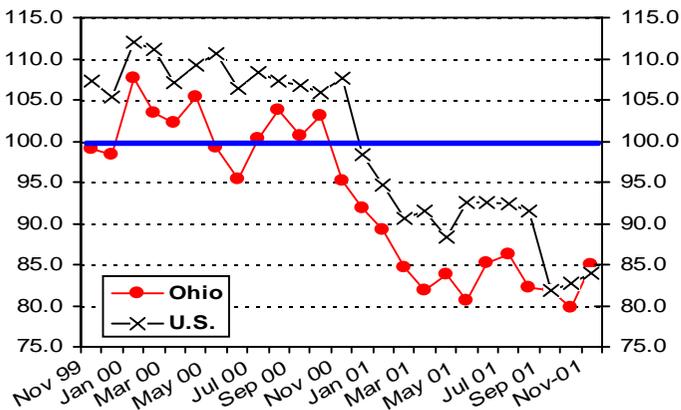
1990=100 Components are not seasonally adjusted.
Components used in index: 1. valuation of housing permits; 2. Initial claims for unemployment insurance; 3. average weekly hours in manufacturing; 4. U.S. domestic auto production; and the national composite index of leading economic indicators.
SOURCE: Ohio Dept of Job & Family Services, [LMI Bureau](#).

The composite index of leading economic indicators for Ohio decreased 0.2 percent in November to 115.3. This was 0.3 percent lower than a year ago. Initial claims for unemployment insurance rose 6.1 percent for the month, and 41.4 percent for the year. Valuation of housing permits decreased 7.9 percent over the month, but was 9.4 percent higher than at this time last year. Average weekly hours for manufacturing increased 1.0 percent to 41.8. This was 3.5 percent less than a year ago.

The national composite index of leading indicators for November 2001 rose 0.5 percent over the month to 109.7. This was a 0.5 percent increase for the year. Domestic auto production decreased 6.0 percent to 4.9 million units on an annual basis. This was 5.6 percent fewer than a year ago.



CONSUMER CONFIDENCE INDEX: November 1999 To November 2001



Index of 100.0 is benchmark for good economic times.
SOURCE: Ohio - Ohio State University Center for Survey Research for the Columbus Dispatch/WBNS-TV; U.S. - University of Michigan.

The Ohio **Consumer Confidence Index** increased 6.6 percent to 85.0 in November from the October figure of 79.7. This was 10.6 percent lower than a year ago.

The U.S. **Index of Consumer Sentiment** rose slightly to 83.9 in November from 82.7 in October, a 1.5 percent increase. This was 22.0 percent lower than the November 2000 index of 107.6.

Both Ohio and the U.S. Indexes continue to register numbers well below their levels of a year ago.