



# Data Line Ohio



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## State Government Tax Collections 2001

Ohio state government tax revenues fell from \$19.7 billion in 2000 to 19.6 billion in 2001, an decrease of 0.3 percent, according to tabulations recently released by the U.S. Census Bureau. Sales and gross receipts taxes along with individual income taxes provided 88 percent Ohio's revenue, an almost identical proportion as in 2000.

Nationwide, state tax collections increased 3.6 percent, amounting to \$559 billion, or \$1,968 for every man, woman and child in the country. Ohio remains ranked eighth nationally in total taxes collected and thirty-fourth in collections per capita (\$1,725). The highest per capita taxes were found in Connecticut (\$3,092); the lowest in South Dakota (\$1,292).

The Census Bureau's report, [2001 State Government Tax Revenues](#), contains tabulations from the **2001 Annual Survey of State Tax Collections**. For further information contact the Bureau's Customer Services Office at 301-457-4100; or website at [www.census.gov/govs/www/statetax.html](http://www.census.gov/govs/www/statetax.html).

Item	United States		Ohio	
	Amount	Per capita	Amount	Per capita
Population (July 1, 2001, in thousands)	284,225	(X)	11,374	(X)
Personal income (2000, in millions)	\$8,290,393	(X)	\$317,266	(X)
<b>Total taxes</b>	<b>\$559,225,182</b>	<b>\$1,968</b>	<b>\$19,617,950</b>	<b>\$1,725</b>
Property Taxes	\$10,430,799	\$37	\$24,913	\$2
Sales and gross receipts	\$258,302,586	\$909	\$8,966,182	\$788
General sales and gross receipts	\$179,220,195	\$631	\$6,287,758	\$553
Selective sales taxes	\$79,082,391	\$278	\$2,678,424	\$236
Alcoholic beverages	\$4,181,160	\$15	\$81,029	\$7
Amusements	\$3,816,294	\$13	(X)	(X)
Insurance premiums	\$10,283,640	\$36	\$350,279	\$31
Motor fuels	\$30,325,246	\$107	\$1,307,275	\$115
Pari-mutuels	\$304,459	\$1	\$17,321	\$2
Public utilities	\$8,994,853	\$32	\$640,548	\$56
Tobacco products	\$8,651,459	\$30	\$281,972	\$25
Other selective sales	\$12,525,280	\$44	(X)	(X)
Licenses	\$32,882,857	\$116	\$1,483,448	\$130
Alcoholic beverages	\$298,475	\$1	\$24,335	\$2
Amusement	\$202,633	\$1	(X)	(X)
Corporation	\$6,422,494	\$23	\$296,642	\$26
Hunting and fishing	\$1,126,045	\$4	\$27,430	\$2
Motor vehicle	\$15,159,878	\$53	\$586,660	\$52
Motor vehicle operators	\$1,320,538	\$5	\$40,962	\$4
Public utility	\$378,349	\$1	\$1,809	\$0
Occupation and business, NEC	\$7,451,049	\$26	\$500,065	\$44
Other	\$523,396	\$2	\$5,545	\$0
Other taxes	\$257,608,940	\$906	\$9,143,407	\$804
Individual income	\$207,290,611	\$729	\$8,305,725	\$730
Corporation net income	\$31,729,682	\$112	\$663,376	\$58
Death and gift	\$7,497,177	\$26	\$166,004	\$15
Documentary and stock transfer	\$4,465,521	\$16	(X)	(X)
Severance	\$6,402,236	\$23	\$8,302	\$1
Other	\$223,713	\$1	(X)	(X)

Note: U.S. Totals, include the 50 State governments only. Amounts in thousands of dollars; Per capita amounts are in dollars "X" = Not Applicable. July 2001 Population based on U.S. Census Bureau Population Division Estimate

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### Summary File 3 Demographic Profile Release

On June 4, 2002, the Census Bureau will release demographic profiles based on the Census 2000 long form questionnaire for Ohio. Similar profiles based on the Census 2000 short form questionnaire items were released in May-June 2001. A great deal of attention will be given to this release as it will contain economic and educational attainment information crucial to grant programs and research activities.

The demographic profile will include four tables that provide various demographic, social, economic, and housing characteristics for the state, counties, minor civil divisions, places, metropolitan areas, and congressional districts. The first table is the DP-1 table containing 100-percent data released in May 2001. The remaining three will contain information such as educational attainment, poverty status, commuting

You will be able to access each state's profiles as they are released. The Census Bureau website URL is: <http://www.census.gov/Press-Release/www/2002/demoprofiles.html>.

A search interface also is available to access the data. The URL is: <http://censtats.census.gov/pub/Profiles.shtml>.

Technical documentation containing the file layouts, data definition, and other information can be found at: <http://www.census.gov/prod/cen2000/doc/ProfilesTD.pdf>

### Akron will host Ohio's Demographic Profile Roll-Out

On June 4, 2002, the newly appointed Census Bureau Director Louis Kincannon will unveil the Summary File 3 demographic profiles in Akron, Ohio. The event will be one of seven around the country corresponding with the public releases of the profiles. Staff from the Office of Strategic Research will attend, representing the Ohio State Data Center program. Other affiliates are welcome to join the event. Please call Erin Jones at 614-466-2116 for more information.



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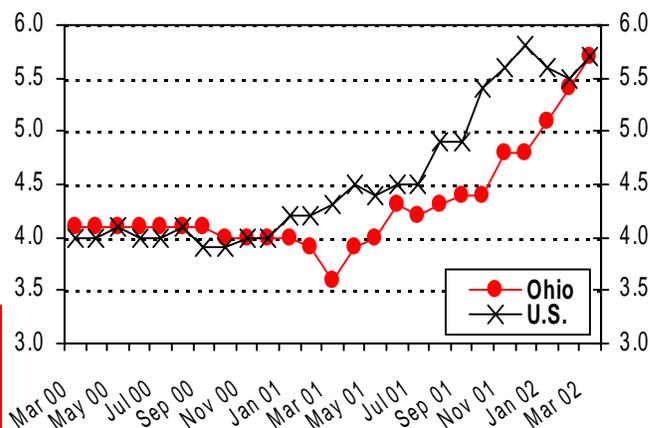


## UNEMPLOYMENT RATE: March 2000 To March 2002

The March unemployment rate in Ohio increased to 5.7. The number of unemployed workers increased 4.2 percent for the month, and was 49.2 percent higher than a year ago.

The U.S. unemployment rate for February rose to 5.7 from its February level of 5.5. The number of unemployed workers increased 2.8 percent since February, 33.8 percent higher than March 2001.

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION Monthly Data (000)	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio	U.S.	U.S.	U.S.
	Mar 02	Feb 02	Mar 01	Mar 02	Feb 02	Mar 01
Civilian Labor Force	5,937	5,929	5,829	142,005	142,211	141,869
Employment	5,601	5,608	5,604	133,894	134,319	135,808
Unemployment	336	322	225	8,111	7,891	6,061
Unemployment Rate	5.7	5.4	3.9	5.7	5.5	4.3



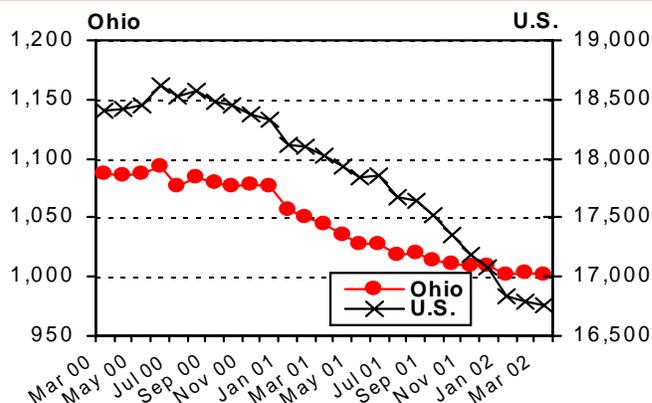
Seasonally adjusted.  
SOURCE: Ohio Dept of Job & Family Services, [LMI Bureau](#).



## MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT: March 2000 To March 2002

March employment in Ohio's manufacturing industry decreased 0.1 percent for the month with 1,002,500 workers. This was a decrease of 4.1 percent for the year. Production workers in Ohio's manufacturing industries earned an average of \$726.07 per week in March, up \$7.78 since February. This was \$28.07 more than a year ago, a 4.0 percent increase over March 2001.

The March manufacturing employment in the U.S. decreased 0.1 percent for the month with 16,764,000 employees. This was a 7.0 percent decline for the year. Average weekly earnings for production workers increased \$9.91 to \$620.86 in March 2002. This amounted to a 3.9 percent increase of \$23.14 over March 2001.



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

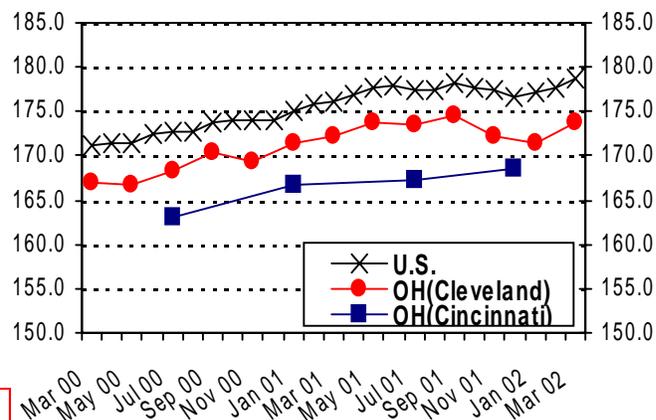


## CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: March 2000 To March 2002

The March U.S. average city consumer price index for all urban consumers (CPI-U) rose 0.6 percent to 178.8 from 177.8 in February. This was a 1.5 percent increase over March 2001.

The Cleveland all urban consumers CPI for March was 173.7. This was an increase of 1.3 percent from two months prior, and an increase of 0.8 percent over a year ago.

For the second half of 2001, Cincinnati's CPI-U increased 0.6 percent over the first half of 2001 with 168.6. This was 1.0 percent higher than the second half of 2000.



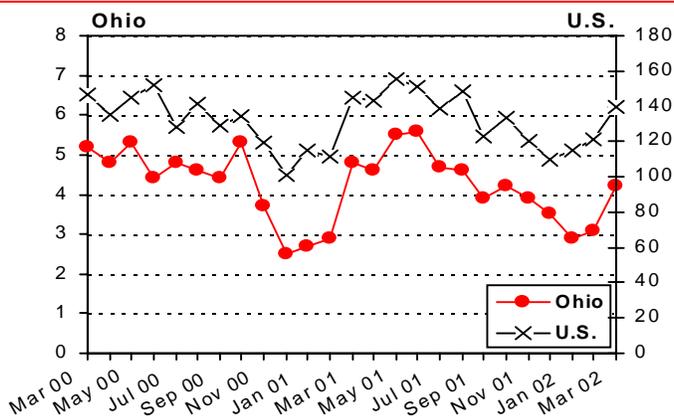
Index for all urban consumers (CPI-U), 1982-84=100.  
US updated monthly; Cleveland, bi-monthly; Cincinnati, semi-annually.  
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, [Bureau of Labor Statistics](#).

CPI-U Annual % Change	97-98	98-99	99-00	00-01
U.S. Average City	1.6%	2.2%	3.4%	2.8%
OH (Cleveland)	2.4%	1.7%	3.4%	2.9%
OH (Cincinnati)	2.0%	2.6%	3.5%	1.9%

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## RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION: March 2000 To March 2002



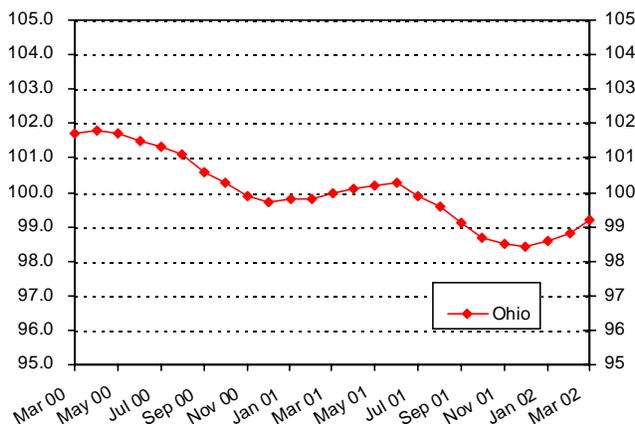
Number of units in thousands.  
Percent of imputed data is greater than 25 percent.  
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, [Bureau of the Census](#).

The construction of new, privately-owned housing units in Ohio rose 33.2 percent between February and March 2002, to a total of 4,189 units. This was a decrease of 13.1 percent from the March 2001 figure. The average value per single-family dwelling was \$153,675, 0.4 percent higher than last month, and 4.2 percent more than in March 2001.

In the U.S., the number of units authorized in March 2002 was 139,592, an increase of 15.4 percent from the February figure. This was 3.5 percent lower than in March 2001. The average construction valuation per single-family building was \$139,638, an increase of 3.0 percent for the month, 4.1 percent more for the year.



## INDEX OF LEADING INDICATORS: March 2000 To March 2002



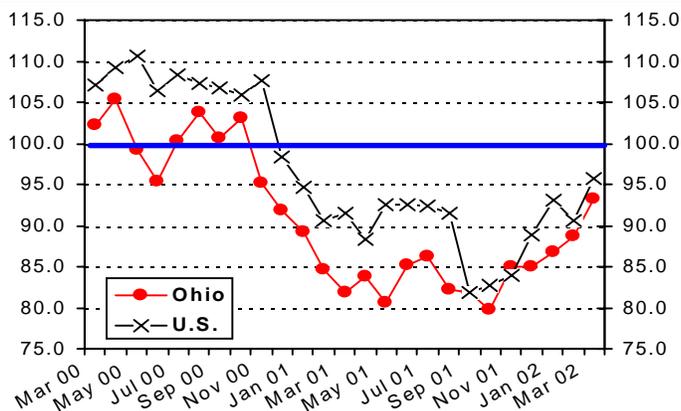
2000=100 Components are not seasonally adjusted.  
Components used in index: 1. valuation of housing permits; 2. Initial claims for unemployment insurance; 3. average weekly hours in manufacturing; 4. U.S. domestic auto production; and the national composite index of leading economic indicators.  
SOURCE: Ohio Dept of Job & Family Services, [LMI Bureau](#).

The composite index of leading economic indicators for Ohio increased 0.4 percent in March to 99.2. This was 0.8 percent lower than a year ago. Initial claims for unemployment insurance rose 0.3 percent for the month, and fell 1.3 percent for the year. Valuation of housing permits increased 36.5 percent over the month, but was 5.1 percent lower than March of 2001. Average weekly hours for manufacturing increased 1.0 percent to 41.8. This was 1.0 percent higher than a year ago.

The national composite index of leading indicators for March 2002 increased for the month to 112.3. This was a 3.3 percent increase for the year. Domestic auto production decreased 8.9 percent to 5.2 million units on an annual basis. This was 6.9 percent less than a year ago.



## CONSUMER CONFIDENCE INDEX: March 2000 To March 2002



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** was 93.2 in March up 5.1 percent from February. This was 13.9 percent higher than a year ago.

The U.S. **Index of Consumer Sentiment** rose to 95.7 in March from 90.7 in February, a 5.5 percent increase. This was 4.6 percent higher than the March 2001 index of 91.5.

The Ohio index has been rising in response to the economic recovery. Both indices have surpassed the levels of last year, though both remain lower than the 2000 numbers.