

Ohio County Profiles

Lake County

Civilian Labor Force	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Civilian labor force	131,300	133,200	132,000	131,800	129,700
Employed	126,900	127,900	125,400	124,400	122,700
Unemployed	4,400	5,300	6,600	7,400	7,000
Unemployment rate	3.3	4.0	5.0	5.6	5.4

Employment and Wages by Sector

NAICS Industrial Sector	Average Annual Employment		Total Wages (in thousands of dollars)	
	2002	2003	2002	2003
Total covered under Ohio UC Law	96,378	96,969	\$3,059,563	\$3,145,156
Private Sector	84,449	84,895	\$2,661,042	\$2,722,602
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	1,137	1,070	\$25,417	\$24,594
Mining	208	222	\$10,362	\$11,085
Utilities	782	786	\$51,940	\$63,986
Construction	4,740	4,921	\$172,539	\$175,514
Manufacturing	22,793	21,569	\$996,360	\$964,859
Wholesale trade	3,982	3,989	\$177,921	\$178,916
Retail trade	13,759	13,899	\$297,254	\$308,193
Transportation and warehousing	985	942	\$27,907	\$26,148
Information	885	933	\$28,640	\$32,279
Finance and insurance	1,981	2,007	\$75,481	\$80,750
Real estate and rental and leasing	980	998	\$22,653	\$23,803
Professional and technical services	3,354	3,575	\$144,710	\$153,048
Management of companies and enterprises	660	918	\$50,780	\$65,142
Administrative and waste services	3,983	4,176	\$88,125	\$102,021
Educational services	949	1,164	\$21,120	\$25,552
Health care and social assistance	9,945	10,063	\$290,142	\$301,030
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	1,023	1,091	\$16,280	\$17,656
Accommodation and food services	8,788	8,964	\$93,582	\$95,895
Other services, except public administration	3,518	3,609	\$69,826	\$72,131
State and Local Government	11,929	12,074	\$398,520	\$422,554
State government	141	153	\$5,540	\$6,129
Local government	11,788	11,921	\$392,981	\$416,425
Federal Government	482	465	\$23,535	\$22,924

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Major Employers

ABB Inc	Mfg
Avery Dennison Corp	Mfg
Cleveland Clinic Health System	Service
FirstEnergy Corp	Utility
Lake County Government	Gov't
Lake Hospital System	Service
Lubrizol Corp	Mfg
Mentor Exempted Village Bd of Ed	Gov't
Steris Corp	Mfg
Willoughby-Eastlake City Bd of Ed	Gov't

Starting and

Active Businesses	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Business starts	533	545	494	589	543
Active businesses	5,493	5,473	5,639	5,742	5,738

Residential Construction

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Total units	761	898	720	895	1,046
Total valuation (000)	\$119,799	\$139,064	\$147,847	\$178,475	\$191,015
Total single-unit bldgs	674	773	711	844	901
Average cost per unit	\$163,079	\$171,366	\$206,888	\$202,950	\$197,891
Total multi-unit bldg units	87	125	9	51	145
Average cost per unit	\$113,609	\$52,784	\$83,333	\$140,882	\$87,690