

Ohio County Profiles

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Mercer County

Established: Act - April 1, 1820
2004 Population: 41,075
Land Area: 463.3 square miles
County Seat: Celina City
Named for: General Hugh Mercer, Revolutionary War



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$619,523,000
Residential	\$409,320,000
Agriculture	\$129,630,780
Industrial	\$19,963,050
Commercial	\$60,606,850
Mineral	\$2,320
Ohio income tax liability	\$22,958,552
Average per return	\$1,138.25

Land Cover

	Acres
Total	303,280.2
Urban (open impervious surfaces)	4,193.1
Agriculture/Open Urban Areas	268,537.9
Shrub/Scrub	1,744.3
Wooded	15,970.6
Open Water	10,563.3
Non-forested Wetlands	2,016.8
Barren	254.2

Largest Areas Census 2000 Estimate 2004

Celina city	10,303	10,268
Coldwater village	4,482	4,444
Jefferson twp UB	4,482	2,811
Marion twp UB	2,605	2,529
St. Henry village	2,271	2,323
Franklin twp UB	2,112	2,241
Butler twp UB	1,977	2,115
Granville twp UB	1,434	1,532
Fort Recovery village	1,273	1,318
Washington twp	1,218	1,229

UB: Unincorporated Balance

Total Population

Census	1900	28,021	Estimated		
1800	1910	27,536	2001	40,841	
1810	1920	26,872	2002	40,936	
1820	95	25,096	2003	41,046	
1830	1,110	26,256	2004	41,075	
1840	8,277	1950	28,311	Projected	
1850	7,712	1960	32,559		
1860	14,104	1970	35,265		
1870	17,254	1980	38,334		
1880	21,808	1990	39,443		
1890	27,220	2000	40,924	2010	41,834
				2020	43,572
				2030	45,957

