

Ohio County Profiles

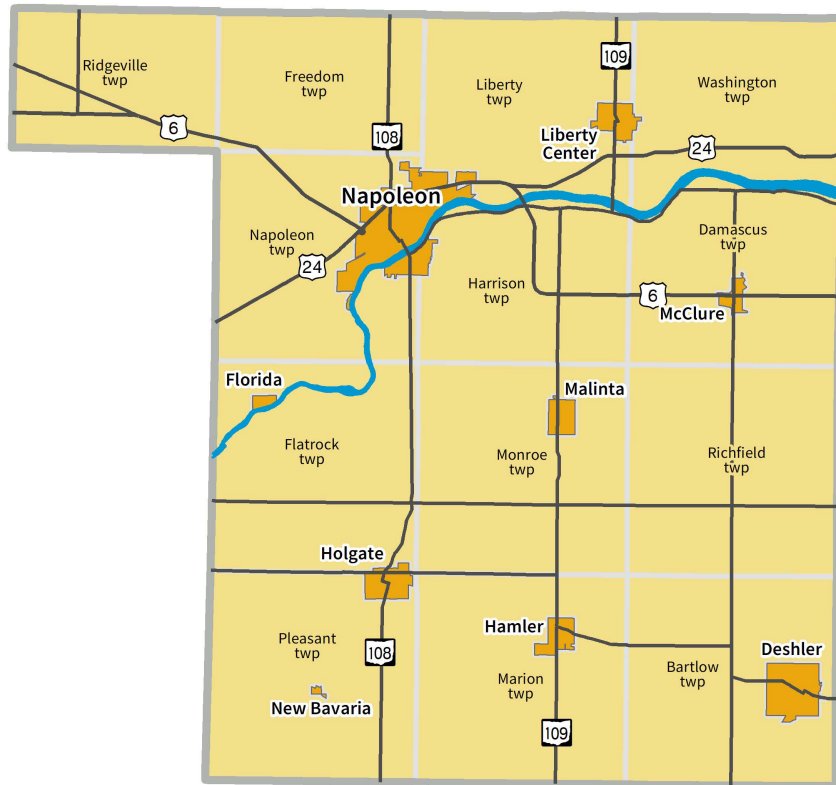
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2025 Edition



Henry County

Established: Act - April 1, 1820
2024 Population: 27,536
Land Area: 416.5 square miles
County Seat: Napoleon City
Named for: Patrick Henry, American Patriot, Statesman and Orator



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$924,112,520
Residential	\$530,891,110
Agriculture	\$301,298,560
Industrial	\$35,893,820
Commercial	\$56,029,030
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$17,628,314
Average per return	\$1,283.27

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	9.19%
Developed, Higher Intensity	1.24%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.01%
Forest	3.62%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.08%
Pasture/Hay	0.95%
Cultivated Crops	82.65%
Wetlands	1.30%
Open Water	0.96%

Largest Places

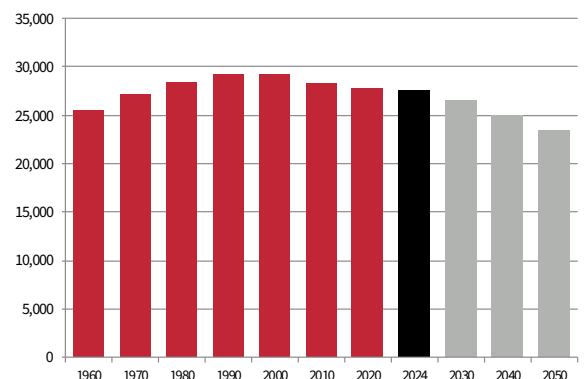
	2024	2020
Napoleon city	8,724	8,861
Washington twp UB	1,921	1,828
Deshler village	1,570	1,591
Napoleon twp UB	1,446	1,463
Liberty twp UB	1,325	1,313
Damascus twp UB	1,122	1,108
Ridgeville twp	1,102	1,101
Liberty Center village	1,090	1,108
Holgate village	1,046	1,062
Harrison twp UB	933	942

UB: Unincorporated balance

Total Population

Census

1800		1910	25,119	2020	27,662
1810		1920	23,362		
1820		1930	22,524		
1830	262	1940	22,756	Estimate	
1840	2,503	1950	22,423	2024	27,536
1850	3,434	1960	25,392		
1860	8,901	1970	27,058		
1870	14,028	1980	28,383	Projection	
1880	20,585	1990	29,108	2030	26,456
1890	25,080	2000	29,210	2040	24,950
1900	27,282	2010	28,215	2050	23,373



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	27,581	100.0%
White	24,729	89.7%
African-American	169	0.6%
Native American	141	0.5%
Asian	39	0.1%
Pacific Islander	61	0.2%
Other	1,217	4.4%
Two or More Races	1,225	4.4%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	2,232	8.1%
Total Minority	3,391	12.3%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	19,112	100.0%
No high school diploma	1,416	7.4%
High school graduate	7,975	41.7%
Some college, no degree	3,729	19.5%
Associate degree	2,424	12.7%
Bachelor's degree	2,368	12.4%
Master's degree or higher	1,200	6.3%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,321	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	3,176	43.4%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	942	12.9%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	451	6.2%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,014	13.9%
Male householder, in labor force	615	8.4%
Male householder, not in labor force	140	1.9%
Female householder, in labor force	816	11.1%
Female householder, not in labor force	167	2.3%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	11,226	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	288	2.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	666	5.9%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	818	7.3%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	826	7.4%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	747	6.7%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	959	8.5%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	1,077	9.6%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,045	18.2%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,426	21.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	660	5.9%
\$200,000 or more	714	6.4%
Median household income	\$79,267	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	27,581	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,619	5.9%
5 to 17 years	4,859	17.6%
18 to 24 years	1,991	7.2%
25 to 44 years	6,497	23.6%
45 to 64 years	7,237	26.2%
65 years and more	5,378	19.5%
Median Age	41.7	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,334	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	2,057	28.0%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	338	4.6%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	524	7.1%
Families with no own children	4,415	60.2%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,334	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	6,914	94.3%
Family income below poverty level	420	5.7%
Married couple, with related children	98	1.3%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	78	1.1%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	212	2.9%
Families with no related children	32	0.4%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	27,190	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,159	4.3%
50% to 99% of poverty level	1,133	4.2%
100% to 124% of poverty level	798	2.9%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,303	4.8%
150% to 184% of poverty level	1,802	6.6%
185% to 199% of poverty level	710	2.6%
200% of poverty level or more	20,285	74.6%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	27,354	100.0%
Same house as previous year	24,990	91.4%
Different house, same county	1,040	3.8%
Different county, same state	866	3.2%
Different state	425	1.6%
Abroad	33	0.1%

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	12,724	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	4,529	35.6%
15 to 29 minutes	4,466	35.1%
30 to 44 minutes	2,189	17.2%
45 to 59 minutes	853	6.7%
60 minutes or more	687	5.4%

Mean travel time **22.8 minutes**

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	12,053	100.0%
Occupied housing units	11,226	93.1%
Owner occupied	9,154	81.5%
Renter occupied	2,072	18.5%
Vacant housing units	827	6.9%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	12,053	100.0%
Built 2020 or later	17	0.1%
Built 2010 to 2019	410	3.4%
Built 2000 to 2009	702	5.8%
Built 1990 to 1999	1,323	11.0%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,146	9.5%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,703	14.1%
Built 1960 to 1969	1,099	9.1%
Built 1950 to 1959	1,352	11.2%
Built 1940 to 1949	618	5.1%
Built 1939 or earlier	3,683	30.6%

Median year built **1963**

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	9,154	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	416	4.5%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	234	2.6%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	317	3.5%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	264	2.9%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	614	6.7%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,288	14.1%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	847	9.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,975	21.6%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	1,996	21.8%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	982	10.7%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	186	2.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	35	0.4%

Median value **\$166,000**

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	11,226	100.0%
Utility gas	5,644	50.3%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,682	23.9%
Electricity	2,185	19.5%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	88	0.8%
Coal, coke or wood	394	3.5%
Solar energy or other fuel	109	1.0%
No fuel used	124	1.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	2,072	100.0%
Less than \$100	17	0.8%
\$100 to \$199	31	1.5%
\$200 to \$299	40	1.9%
\$300 to \$399	20	1.0%
\$400 to \$499	48	2.3%
\$500 to \$599	154	7.4%
\$600 to \$699	250	12.1%
\$700 to \$799	249	12.0%
\$800 to \$899	195	9.4%
\$900 to \$999	206	9.9%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	551	26.6%
\$1,500 or more	116	5.6%
No cash rent	195	9.4%

Median gross rent **\$866**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **21.2**

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	5,345	100.0%
Less than \$400	16	0.3%
\$400 to \$599	143	2.7%
\$600 to \$799	270	5.1%
\$800 to \$999	839	15.7%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,421	26.6%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	830	15.5%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,096	20.5%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	584	10.9%
\$3,000 or more	146	2.7%

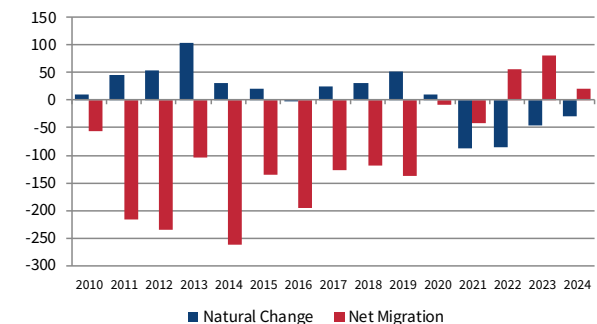
Median monthly owners cost **\$1,247**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **17.6**

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	292	60.8
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	5	5.8
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	326	1,184.6

Components of Population Change



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	243,932
Number of farms	948
Average size (acres)	257
Total cash receipts	\$245,472,000
Per farm	\$258,937
Receipts for crops	\$214,315,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$31,157,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	10
Students	3,944
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	315.8
Expenditures per student	\$13,154
Graduation rate	96.0
Community/charter schools buildings	
Students	
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	
Expenditures per student	
Graduation rate	
Private schools	3
Students	258
Public universities, 4-year	0
Public universities/colleges, 2-year	1
Public learning centers, less-than 2-year	1
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	4 / 7

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	39,827
Passenger cars	20,587
Noncommercial trucks	7,883
Total license revenue	\$1,339,096.56
Permissive tax revenue	\$722,185.00
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	43.28
State highway miles	118.86
County, township, and municipal road miles	937.89
Commercial airports	1

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, Scenic Waterways, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	11
Acreage	1,732

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$199,374
Branch offices	14
Institutions represented	7

Sources of Income

Total personal income	\$1,529,557,000
Net earnings	\$918,123,000
Personal current transfer receipts	\$382,981,000
Income maintenance benefits	\$15,766,000
Unemployment insurance compensation	\$2,051,000
Retirement and other	\$365,164,000
Dividends, interest, and rent	\$228,453,000
Dependency ratio	25.0%
(Percent of total personal income from transfer receipts)	

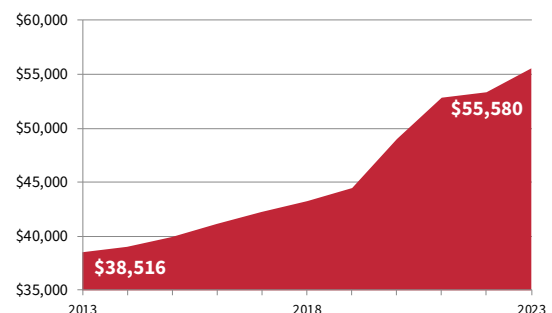
Voting

Number of registered voters	19,429
Voted in 2024 election	15,109
Percent turnout	77.8%

Health Care

Physicians	18
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	25
Licensed nursing homes	4
Number of beds	191
Licensed residential care	3
Number of beds	121
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	94.0%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	93.2%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.9%

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Civilian labor force	13,700	13,700	13,400	13,400	13,700
Employed	13,100	13,100	12,800	12,700	12,600
Unemployed	600	600	600	700	1,100
Unemployment rate	4.7	4.2	4.3	5.1	7.7

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2024

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	589	8,638	\$480,201,034	\$1,069
Goods-Producing	131	3,947	\$284,333,430	\$1,385
Natural Resources and Mining	27	161	\$8,205,894	\$983
Construction	65	796	\$63,754,720	\$1,539
Manufacturing	40	2,990	\$212,372,816	\$1,366
Service-Providing	458	4,690	\$195,867,604	\$803
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	160	1,788	\$82,552,864	\$888
Information	11	59	\$3,200,800	\$1,042
Financial Services	56	267	\$16,541,345	\$1,190
Professional and Business Services	66	280	\$13,316,767	\$916
Education and Health Services	58	1,354	\$57,747,018	\$820
Leisure and Hospitality	53	595	\$9,726,944	\$314
Other Services	53	346	\$12,724,825	\$707
Federal Government		67	\$4,295,046	\$1,242
State Government		44	\$3,140,524	\$1,360
Local Government		1,840	\$90,585,450	\$947

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2017

Private Sector	3.3%	-2.8%	23.1%	26.7%
Goods-Producing	0.0%	-3.2%	20.5%	24.3%
Natural Resources and Mining	17.4%	8.8%	49.3%	37.5%
Construction	-7.1%	16.0%	46.5%	26.1%
Manufacturing	2.6%	-7.8%	13.6%	23.2%
Service-Producing	4.3%	-2.5%	27.1%	30.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-3.6%	-1.4%	25.7%	27.6%
Information	-15.4%	-31.4%	8.9%	58.1%
Financial Services	9.8%	-11.0%	11.4%	25.3%
Professional and Business Services	37.5%	-0.4%	51.3%	51.9%
Education and Health Services	7.4%	-4.2%	24.5%	30.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	-10.2%	-8.2%	8.6%	18.0%
Other Services	10.4%	31.6%	99.9%	51.7%
Federal Government		3.1%	23.3%	19.7%
State Government		4.8%	23.8%	16.1%
Local Government		1.0%	18.5%	17.3%

Residential Construction

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total units	23	22	21	19	22
Total valuation (000)	\$7,800	\$7,125	\$6,912	\$5,932	\$7,748
Total single-unit bldgs	23	22	21	19	22
Average cost per unit	\$339,116	\$323,859	\$329,133	\$312,209	\$352,189
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit					

Major & Notable Employers

Alex Products/NASG	Mfg
APA Solar Racking	Mfg
Campbell Soup Co	Mfg
Filling Memorial Home of Mercy	Serv
Henry County Hospital	Serv
Liberty Center Schools	Govt
Lutheran Home at Napoleon	Serv
Napoleon Area City Schools	Govt
Silgan Holdings, Inc	Mfg
Tenneco Inc	Mfg
Wal-Mart Stores Inc	Trade