

# Ohio County Profiles

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2025 Edition



## Lucas County

**Established:** Act - June 20, 1835  
**2024 Population:** 426,291  
**Land Area:** 340.4 square miles  
**County Seat:** Toledo City  
**Named for:** Robert Lucas, Ohio Governor 1832-1836



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$8,575,809,130
Residential	\$6,441,144,780
Agriculture	\$84,931,840
Industrial	\$304,094,370
Commercial	\$1,745,638,140
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$269,199,544
Average per return	\$1,393.59

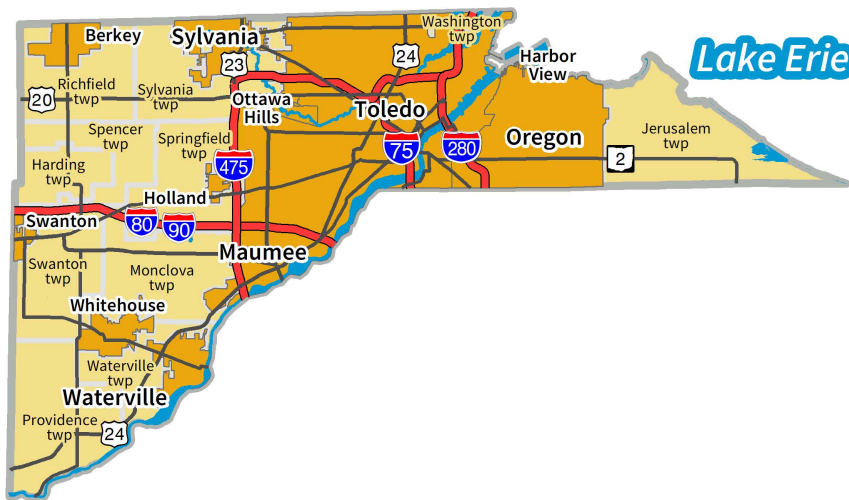
### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	31.01%
Developed, Higher Intensity	19.80%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.39%
Forest	10.20%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.28%
Pasture/Hay	1.73%
Cultivated Crops	28.71%
Wetlands	5.15%
Open Water	2.74%

### Largest Places

	2024	2020
Toledo city	265,638	270,285
Sylvania twp UB	31,830	31,716
Springfield twp UB	25,309	25,192
Oregon city	19,726	19,926
Sylvania city	19,102	19,039
Monclova twp UB	14,938	14,856
Maumee city	13,625	13,863
Waterville city	6,022	6,018
Whitehouse village	5,083	5,005
Ottawa Hills village	4,800	4,800

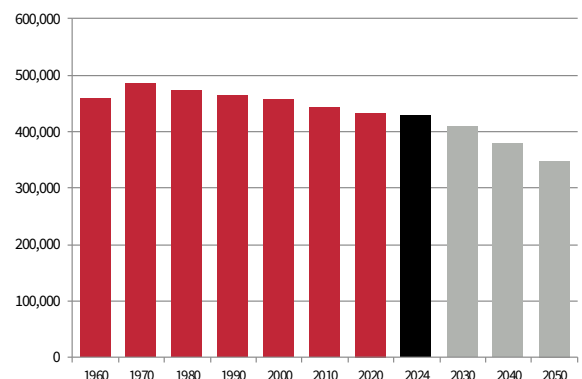
UB: Unincorporated balance



### Total Population

#### Census

1800		192,728	<b>2020</b>	431,279
1810		275,721		
1820		347,709		
1830		344,333	<b>Estimate</b>	
1840	9,382	1950	395,551	<b>2024</b>
1850	12,363	1960	456,931	
1860	25,831	1970	484,370	
1870	46,722	1980	471,741	<b>Projection</b>
1880	67,377	1990	462,361	2030
1890	102,296	2000	455,054	408,312
1900	153,559	2010	441,815	2040
				377,116
				2050
				346,499



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	428,748	100.0%
White	296,678	69.2%
African-American	83,542	19.5%
Native American	838	0.2%
Asian	7,456	1.7%
Pacific Islander	242	0.1%
Other	10,156	2.4%
Two or More Races	29,836	7.0%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	32,860	7.7%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>142,912</b>	<b>33.3%</b>

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	292,306	100.0%
No high school diploma	26,405	9.0%
High school graduate	87,518	29.9%
Some college, no degree	64,379	22.0%
Associate degree	30,696	10.5%
Bachelor's degree	51,594	17.7%
Master's degree or higher	31,714	10.8%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	103,702	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	35,723	34.4%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	12,111	11.7%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	6,063	5.8%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	13,286	12.8%
Male householder, in labor force	6,276	6.1%
Male householder, not in labor force	1,893	1.8%
Female householder, in labor force	20,020	19.3%
Female householder, not in labor force	8,330	8.0%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	182,146	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	13,200	7.2%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17,424	9.6%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	15,209	8.3%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	15,437	8.5%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15,634	8.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	14,040	7.7%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	17,032	9.4%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	22,739	12.5%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	27,900	15.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	11,673	6.4%
\$200,000 or more	11,858	6.5%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$60,095</b>	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	428,748	100.0%
Under 5 years	26,072	6.1%
5 to 17 years	72,237	16.8%
18 to 24 years	38,133	8.9%
25 to 44 years	111,449	26.0%
45 to 64 years	107,543	25.1%
65 years and more	73,314	17.1%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>38.3</b>	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	104,508	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	23,374	22.4%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	4,214	4.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	17,156	16.4%
Families with no own children	59,764	57.2%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	104,508	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	90,820	86.9%
Family income below poverty level	13,688	13.1%
Married couple, with related children	1,299	1.2%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	761	0.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	8,925	8.5%
Families with no related children	2,703	2.6%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	419,602	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	37,889	9.0%
50% to 99% of poverty level	36,850	8.8%
100% to 124% of poverty level	14,866	3.5%
125% to 149% of poverty level	19,955	4.8%
150% to 184% of poverty level	27,185	6.5%
185% to 199% of poverty level	10,899	2.6%
200% of poverty level or more	271,958	64.8%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	423,525	100.0%
Same house as previous year	369,079	87.1%
Different house, same county	36,177	8.5%
Different county, same state	8,540	2.0%
Different state	8,925	2.1%
Abroad	804	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	180,613	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	58,079	32.2%
15 to 29 minutes	87,713	48.6%
30 to 44 minutes	21,970	12.2%
45 to 59 minutes	5,960	3.3%
60 minutes or more	6,891	3.8%

Mean travel time **20.6 minutes**

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	200,764	100.0%
Occupied housing units	182,146	90.7%
Owner occupied	112,307	61.7%
Renter occupied	69,839	38.3%
Vacant housing units	18,618	9.3%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	200,764	100.0%
Built 2020 or later	1,050	0.5%
Built 2010 to 2019	8,021	4.0%
Built 2000 to 2009	13,301	6.6%
Built 1990 to 1999	15,311	7.6%
Built 1980 to 1989	16,215	8.1%
Built 1970 to 1979	27,899	13.9%
Built 1960 to 1969	24,206	12.1%
Built 1950 to 1959	30,746	15.3%
Built 1940 to 1949	15,841	7.9%
Built 1939 or earlier	48,174	24.0%

Median year built **1962**

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	112,307	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	5,295	4.7%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	5,631	5.0%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	6,952	6.2%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	6,980	6.2%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	8,029	7.1%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	11,496	10.2%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	9,643	8.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	18,715	16.7%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	20,533	18.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	14,789	13.2%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	3,582	3.2%
\$1,000,000 or more	662	0.6%

Median value **\$155,200**

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	182,146	100.0%
Utility gas	137,456	75.5%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	4,738	2.6%
Electricity	37,707	20.7%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	495	0.3%
Coal, coke or wood	534	0.3%
Solar energy or other fuel	553	0.3%
No fuel used	663	0.4%

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## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	69,839	100.0%
Less than \$100	1,385	2.0%
\$100 to \$199	1,023	1.5%
\$200 to \$299	2,339	3.3%
\$300 to \$399	1,573	2.3%
\$400 to \$499	1,276	1.8%
\$500 to \$599	3,130	4.5%
\$600 to \$699	6,641	9.5%
\$700 to \$799	7,235	10.4%
\$800 to \$899	7,979	11.4%
\$900 to \$999	7,818	11.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	20,902	29.9%
\$1,500 or more	5,646	8.1%
No cash rent	2,892	4.1%

Median gross rent **\$911**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **27.8**

## Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	67,102	100.0%
Less than \$400	344	0.5%
\$400 to \$599	1,698	2.5%
\$600 to \$799	4,558	6.8%
\$800 to \$999	8,847	13.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	12,664	18.9%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	11,045	16.5%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	13,575	20.2%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	10,298	15.3%
\$3,000 or more	4,073	6.1%

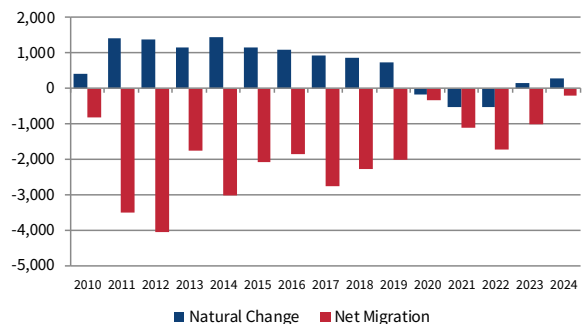
Median monthly owners cost **\$1,373**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **18.5**

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	4,524	53.9
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	237	16.8
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	4,674	1,098.5

## Components of Population Change



■ Natural Change ■ Net Migration

## Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	76,149
Number of farms	364
Average size (acres)	209
Total cash receipts	\$77,567,000
Per farm	\$213,097
Receipts for crops	\$72,847,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$4,720,000

## Education

Traditional public schools buildings	102
Students	48,357
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	3,732.3
Expenditures per student	\$13,094
Graduation rate	86.8
Community/charter schools buildings	26
Students	20,453
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	1,412.3
Expenditures per student	\$12,006
Graduation rate	73.8
Private schools	32
Students	9,526
Public universities, 4-year	1
Public universities/colleges, 2-year	1
Public learning centers, less-than 2-year	0
Private universities and colleges	2
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	1 / 20

## Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	419,255
Passenger cars	310,145
Noncommercial trucks	52,027
Total license revenue	\$10,372,601.53
Permissive tax revenue	\$9,975,820.00
Interstate highway miles	48.98
Turnpike miles	14.54
U.S. highway miles	64.74
State highway miles	118.59
County, township, and municipal road miles	2,100.74
Commercial airports	1

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

Areas/Facilities	15
Acreage	5,224

## Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$2,961,277
Branch offices	96
Institutions represented	18

## Sources of Income

Total personal income	\$24,257,701,000
Net earnings	\$14,346,796,000
Personal current transfer receipts	\$6,250,625,000
Income maintenance benefits	\$609,412,000
Unemployment insurance compensation	\$32,829,000
Retirement and other	\$5,608,384,000
Dividends, interest, and rent	\$3,660,280,000
Dependency ratio	25.8%
(Percent of total personal income from transfer receipts)	

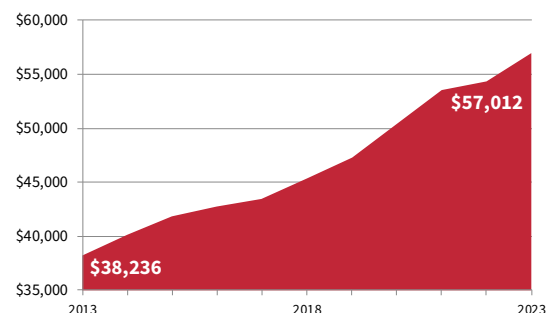
## Voting

Number of registered voters	304,907
Voted in 2024 election	193,872
Percent turnout	63.6%

## Health Care

Physicians	2,209
Registered hospitals	12
Number of beds	2,831
Licensed nursing homes	59
Number of beds	2,836
Licensed residential care	23
Number of beds	1,910
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	93.1%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.9%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	96.0%

## Per Capita Personal Income



## Civilian Labor Force

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Civilian labor force	206,700	203,200	200,700	202,900	206,600
Employed	194,300	194,200	191,800	189,900	185,100
Unemployed	12,300	9,000	9,000	13,100	21,500
Unemployment rate	6.0	4.4	4.5	6.4	10.4

## Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2024

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	10,627	167,639	\$10,280,017,420	\$1,179
Goods-Producing	1,266	31,793	\$2,851,934,686	\$1,725
Natural Resources and Mining	42	354	\$28,389,709	\$1,542
Construction	746	8,541	\$708,994,018	\$1,596
Manufacturing	478	22,898	\$2,114,550,959	\$1,776
Service-Providing	9,361	135,846	\$7,428,082,734	\$1,052
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	2,290	33,326	\$1,645,027,897	\$949
Information	150	1,525	\$95,338,877	\$1,202
Financial Services	1,059	6,936	\$576,100,122	\$1,597
Professional and Business Services	2,063	22,584	\$1,650,520,399	\$1,405
Education and Health Services	1,672	41,185	\$2,612,745,176	\$1,220
Leisure and Hospitality	1,273	24,059	\$564,031,783	\$451
Other Services	844	6,218	\$283,655,758	\$877
Federal Government		1,780	\$145,007,755	\$1,566
State Government		6,832	\$521,578,226	\$1,468
Local Government		18,595	\$1,178,361,813	\$1,219

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2017

Private Sector	8.0%	-8.1%	14.7%	24.8%
Goods-Producing	2.2%	-12.1%	4.6%	19.0%
Natural Resources and Mining	-2.3%	-13.7%	37.3%	59.1%
Construction	3.5%	-7.3%	8.4%	16.9%
Manufacturing	0.6%	-13.7%	3.1%	19.5%
Service-Producing	8.9%	-7.1%	19.1%	28.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	0.4%	-6.8%	17.0%	25.5%
Information	37.6%	-19.4%	2.0%	26.4%
Financial Services	4.0%	-11.6%	10.2%	24.6%
Professional and Business Services	19.0%	-21.4%	9.5%	39.2%
Education and Health Services	15.5%	0.3%	24.9%	24.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	6.6%	-2.3%	30.5%	33.8%
Other Services	4.7%	-0.8%	54.5%	55.5%
Federal Government		-2.8%	14.1%	17.3%
State Government		-6.5%	11.2%	19.0%
Local Government		2.6%	23.2%	20.1%

## Residential Construction

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total units	413	615	671	460	881
Total valuation (000)	\$134,312	\$126,335	\$144,114	\$124,302	\$140,836
Total single-unit bldgs	287	267	293	418	422
Average cost per unit	\$359,825	\$331,213	\$367,622	\$284,191	\$265,022
Total multi-unit bldg units	126	348	378	42	459
Average cost per unit	\$246,365	\$108,910	\$96,300	\$131,190	\$63,173

## Major & Notable Employers

The Andersons Inc	Trade
Clarios LLC	Mfg
City of Toledo	Govt
Dana Corp	Mfg
General Motors Company	Mfg
HCR ManorCare	Serv
Libbey Glass Inc	Mfg
Lucas County Government	Govt
Mercy Health Partners	Serv
Owens Corning	Mfg
Promedica Health System	Serv
Stellantis	Mfg
Toledo City Schools	Govt
United Parcel Service Inc	Trans
University of Toledo	Govt