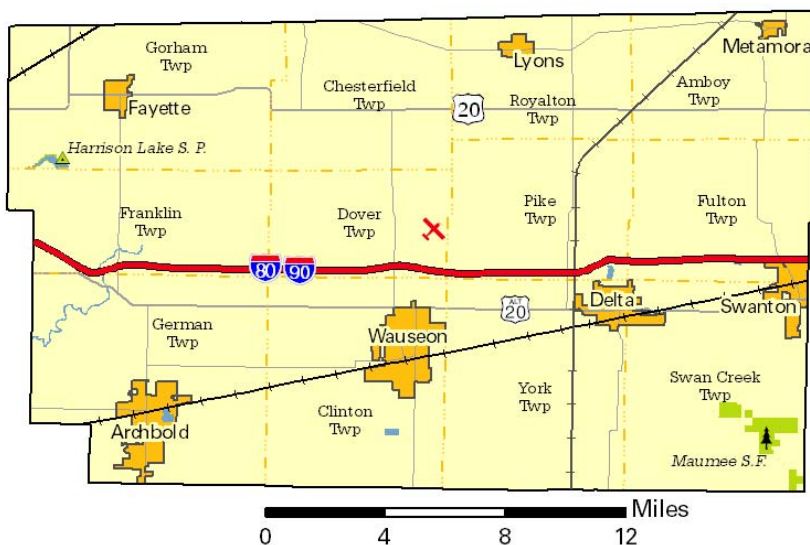


Ohio County Profiles

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Fulton County

Established: Act - April 1, 1850
2010 Population: 42,698
Land Area: 406.8 square miles
County Seat: Wauseon City
Named for: Robert Fulton, Inventor of the Steam Boat



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$867,147,270
Residential	\$573,385,600
Agriculture	\$123,226,000
Industrial	\$74,825,680
Commercial	\$95,709,990
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$24,907,161
Average per return	\$1,212.97

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/Transportation and Urban Grasses)	4.65%
Cropland	83.89%
Pasture	3.09%
Forest	5.92%
Open Water	0.34%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	2.01%
Bare/Mines	0.10%

Largest Places

	Census 2010	Census 2000
Wauseon city	7,332	7,091
Archbold village	4,346	4,290
Swanton village (pt.)	3,580	3,283
Delta village	3,103	2,930
Fayette village	1,283	1,340
Metamora village	627	563
Lyons village	562	559

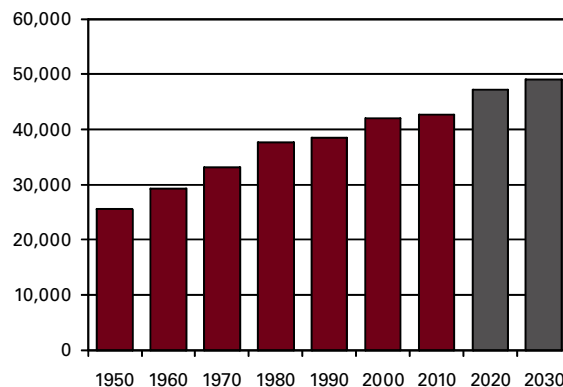
Total Population

Census

1800	1880	21,053	1950	25,580
1810	1890	22,023	1960	29,301
1820	1900	22,801	1970	33,071
1830	1910	23,914	1980	37,751
1840	1920	23,445	1990	38,498
1850	1930	23,477	2000	42,084
1860	1940	23,626	2010	42,698
1870	17,789			

Projected

2020	47,210
2030	49,110



Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	42,482	100.0%
White	40,512	95.4%
African-American	182	0.4%
Native American	108	0.3%
Asian	174	0.4%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	809	1.9%
Two or More Races	697	1.6%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	2,893	6.8%
Total Minority	3,756	8.8%

Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	28,015	100.0%
No high school diploma	3,324	11.9%
High school graduate	12,571	44.9%
Some college, no degree	6,191	22.1%
Associate degree	2,144	7.7%
Bachelor's degree	2,570	9.2%
Master's degree or higher	1,215	4.3%

Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	11,932	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	5,843	49.0%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,799	15.1%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	683	5.7%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,632	13.7%
Male householder, in labor force	584	4.9%
Male householder, not in labor force	79	0.7%
Female householder, in labor force	1,014	8.5%
Female householder, not in labor force	298	2.5%

Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	16,193	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	859	5.3%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,460	9.0%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,922	11.9%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,892	11.7%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,925	11.9%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,657	10.2%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	2,146	13.3%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,314	14.3%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,684	10.4%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	209	1.3%
\$200,000 or more	125	0.8%
Median household income	\$50,262	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	42,482	100.0%
Under 5 years	2,743	6.5%
5 to 17 years	8,277	19.5%
18 to 24 years	3,447	8.1%
25 to 44 years	10,419	24.5%
45 to 64 years	11,875	28.0%
65 years and more	5,721	13.5%
Median Age	39.2	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	11,932	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	3,936	33.0%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	437	3.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	852	7.1%
Families with no own children	6,707	56.2%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children

	Number	Percent
Total Families	11,932	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	11,046	92.6%
Family income below poverty level	886	7.4%
Married couple, with related children	276	31.2%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	18	2.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	291	32.8%
Families with no related children	301	34.0%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	41,886	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,636	3.9%
50% to 99% of poverty level	2,356	5.6%
100% to 149% of poverty level	3,483	8.3%
150% to 199% of poverty level	3,805	9.1%
200% of poverty level or more	30,606	73.1%

Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	41,943	100.0%
Same house as previous year	36,593	87.2%
Different house, same county	3,040	7.2%
Different county, same state	1,612	3.8%
Different state	690	1.6%
Abroad	8	0.0%

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	19,499	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	7,359	37.7%
15 to 29 minutes	6,281	32.2%
30 to 44 minutes	3,747	19.2%
45 to 59 minutes	1,162	6.0%
60 minutes or more	950	4.9%

Mean travel time 22.6 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	17,248	100.0%
Occupied housing units	16,193	93.9%
Owner occupied	13,161	81.3%
Renter occupied	3,032	18.7%
Vacant housing units	1,055	6.1%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	17,248	100.0%
Built 2005 or later	280	1.6%
Built 2000 to 2004	1,370	7.9%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,477	14.4%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,471	8.5%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,576	14.9%
Built 1960 to 1969	1,752	10.2%
Built 1950 to 1959	1,600	9.3%
Built 1940 to 1949	897	5.2%
Built 1939 or earlier	4,825	28.0%

Median year built 1967

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	13,161	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	620	4.7%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	269	2.0%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	325	2.5%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	760	5.8%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,460	11.1%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	2,227	16.9%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	2,359	17.9%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,776	21.1%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	1,808	13.7%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	437	3.3%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	72	0.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	48	0.4%

Median value \$134,700

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	16,193	100.0%
Utility gas	8,921	55.1%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	3,975	24.5%
Electricity	2,447	15.1%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	242	1.5%
Coal, coke or wood	437	2.7%
Solar energy or other fuel	139	0.9%
No fuel used	32	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	3,032	100.0%
Less than \$100	0	0.0%
\$100 to \$199	63	2.1%
\$200 to \$299	136	4.5%
\$300 to \$399	103	3.4%
\$400 to \$499	315	10.4%
\$500 to \$599	547	18.0%
\$600 to \$699	547	18.0%
\$700 to \$799	416	13.7%
\$800 to \$899	226	7.5%
\$900 to \$999	184	6.1%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	107	3.5%
\$1,500 or more	37	1.2%
No cash rent	351	11.6%

Median gross rent \$629

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 25.1

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	8,797	100.0%
Less than \$400	106	1.2%
\$400 to \$599	383	4.4%
\$600 to \$799	634	7.2%
\$800 to \$999	1,270	14.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	2,023	23.0%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	1,579	17.9%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,896	21.6%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	806	9.2%
\$3,000 or more	100	1.1%

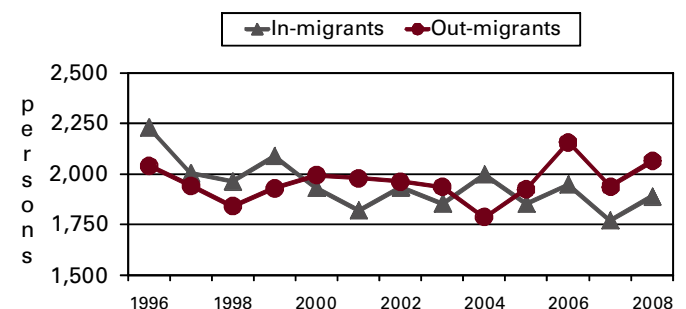
Median monthly owners cost \$1,248

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 24.1

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	535	66.0
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	57	38.2
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	372	874.0
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	320	7.5
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	158	3.7

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	182,000
Number of farms	750
Average size (acres)	243
Total cash receipts	\$149,546,000
Per farm	\$199,395

Education

Public schools	22
Students (Average Daily Membership)	8,381
Expenditures per student	\$9,005
Student-teacher ratio	17.6
Graduation rate	95.0
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	525.8
Non-public schools	2
Students	192
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	6 / 0

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	54,161
Passenger cars	30,519
Noncommercial trucks	9,647
Total license revenue	\$1,624,353.08
Interstate highway miles	26.26
Turnpike miles	26.26
U.S. highway miles	56.53
State highway miles	83.94
County, township, and municipal road miles	832.89
Commercial airports	1

Voting

Number of precincts	36
Number of registered voters	30,562
Voted in 2010 election	14,821
Percent turnout	48.5%

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	28
Registered hospitals	2
Number of beds	136
Licensed nursing homes	5
Number of beds	389
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	16
Adults with employer-based insurance	75.7%
Children with employer-based insurance	85.2%

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	5
Acreage	2,462.92

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	1
Daily newspapers	0
Circulation	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	947
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Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	3
Assets (000)	\$1,071,550
Branch offices	22
Institutions represented	9

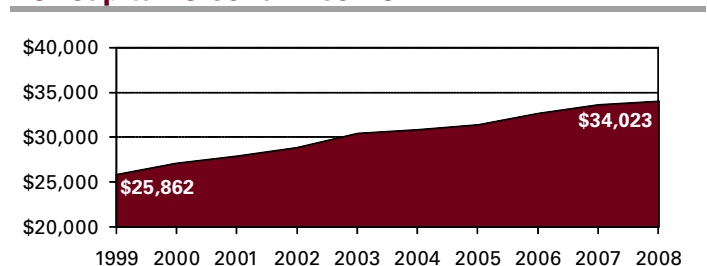
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$253,270,000
Payments to individuals	\$246,092,000
Retirement and disability	\$105,977,000
Medical payments	\$102,059,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$13,634,000
Unemployment benefits	\$7,764,000
Veterans benefits	\$3,363,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$10,009,000
Other payments to individuals	\$3,286,000
Total personal income	\$1,443,568,000
Dependency ratio	17.5%

Federal Expenditures

Direct expenditures or obligations	\$224,696,583
Retirement and disability	\$114,070,741
Other direct payments	\$71,540,322
Grant awards	\$20,282,888
Highway planning and construction	\$1,309,102
Temporary assistance to needy families	\$2,698,444
Medical assistance program	\$10,722,612
Procurement contract awards	\$10,743,920
Dept. of Defense	\$8,645,413
Salary and wages	\$8,058,712
Dept. of Defense	\$149,000
Other federal assistance	\$91,178,466
Direct loans	\$172,717
Guaranteed loans	\$26,060,950
Insurance	\$64,944,799

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Civilian labor force	23,100	23,500	23,200	23,200	23,300
Employed	21,700	22,100	21,800	21,300	20,200
Unemployed	1,400	1,400	1,500	1,900	3,100
Unemployment rate	6.0	5.8	6.3	8.1	13.4

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2008

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	992	16,915	\$561,392,673	\$638
Goods-Producing	280	8,484	\$353,210,889	\$801
Natural Resources and Mining	20	214	\$5,429,880	\$488
Constuction	148	795	\$37,855,118	\$916
Manufacturing	112	7,475	\$309,925,891	\$797
Service-Providing	712	8,432	\$208,181,784	\$475
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	259	2,800	\$82,110,346	\$564
Information	15	120	\$3,748,172	\$599
Financial Services	74	470	\$15,081,803	\$617
Professional and Business Services	106	1,037	\$22,100,809	\$410
Education and Health Services	86	2,111	\$63,517,350	\$579
Leisure and Hospitality	84	1,531	\$14,952,889	\$188
Other Services	87	360	\$6,634,901	\$355
Federal Government		98	\$4,665,244	\$912
State Government		154	\$7,799,278	\$973
Local Government		2,535	\$79,697,484	\$604

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2003

Private Sector	-6.0%	-7.3%	2.9%	11.0%
Goods-Producing	-8.5%	-17.0%	-5.1%	14.4%
Natural Resources and Mining	0.0%	-21.3%	-24.4%	-3.9%
Construction	-12.4%	-21.8%	8.1%	38.2%
Manufacturing	-5.1%	-16.4%	-6.1%	12.3%
Service-Producing	-4.9%	5.3%	20.1%	14.2%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-7.5%	-3.2%	11.6%	15.3%
Information	-21.1%	-6.3%	-13.7%	-8.1%
Financial Services	-11.9%	-22.8%	-16.1%	8.6%
Professional and Business Services	-3.6%	32.8%	33.1%	0.2%
Education and Health Services	11.7%	20.1%	53.3%	27.8%
Leisure and Hospitality	-2.3%	3.4%	15.9%	11.9%
Other Services	-5.4%	-0.3%	2.5%	2.9%
Federal Government		-5.8%	13.8%	20.0%
State Government		0.7%	14.5%	13.4%
Local Government		17.4%	24.3%	5.8%

Business Numbers

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Business starts	80	96	103	73	84
Active businesses	1,226	1,226	1,222	1,167	1,145

Major Employers

Dana Corp	Mfg
Fulton County Government	Govt
Fulton County Health Center	Serv
International Automotive Components	Mfg
North Star BlueScope Steel LLC	Mfg
Sauder Woodworking Co	Mfg
TRW Automotive	Mfg

Residential

Construction

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total units	171	91	97	46	112
Total valuation (000)	\$23,088	\$17,289	\$12,591	\$6,850	\$11,970
Total single-unit bldgs	163	87	69	44	24
Average cost per unit	\$138,425	\$194,813	\$155,949	\$147,946	\$202,741
Total multi-unit bldg units	8	4	28	2	88
Average cost per unit	\$65,625	\$85,000	\$65,357	\$170,000	\$80,729