

Ohio County Profiles

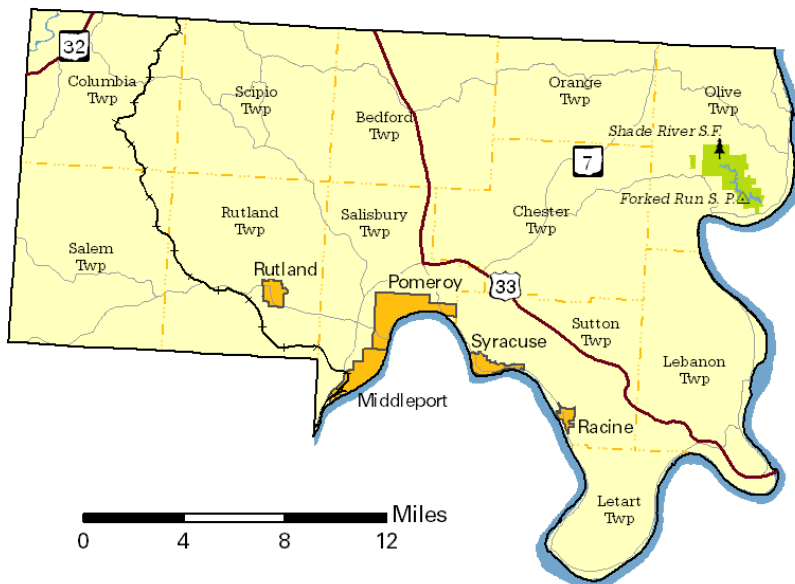


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Meigs County

Established: Act - April 1, 1819
2010 Population: 23,770
Land Area: 429.5 square miles
County Seat: Pomeroy City
Named for: Return Jonathan Meigs, Ohio Governor 1810-1814



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$250,392,540
Residential	\$140,051,580
Agriculture	\$68,653,390
Industrial	\$18,714,750
Commercial	\$20,131,750
Mineral	\$2,841,070
Ohio income tax liability	\$8,050,408
Average per return	\$898.28

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/Transportation and Urban Grasses)	1.45%
Cropland	7.38%
Pasture	9.74%
Forest	80.48%
Open Water	0.84%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	0.00%
Bare/Mines	0.10%

Largest Places

	Census 2010	Census 2000
Middleport village	2,530	2,525
Pomeroy village	1,852	1,966
Syracuse village	826	879
Racine village	675	746
Rutland village	393	401

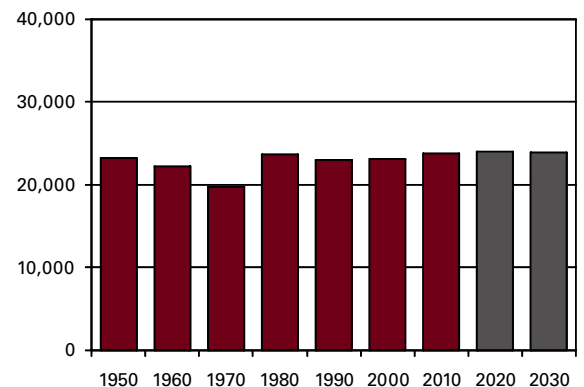
Total Population

Census

1800	1880	32,325	1950	23,227
1810	1890	29,813	1960	22,159
1820	1900	28,620	1970	19,799
1830	1910	25,594	1980	23,641
1840	1920	26,189	1990	22,987
1850	1930	23,961	2000	23,072
1860	1940	24,104	2010	23,770

Projected

2020	23,990
2030	23,830



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	22,898	100.0%
White	22,284	97.3%
African-American	274	1.2%
Native American	105	0.5%
Asian	13	0.1%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	30	0.1%
Two or More Races	192	0.8%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	171	0.7%
Total Minority	736	3.2%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	15,964	100.0%
No high school diploma	2,732	17.1%
High school graduate	7,836	49.1%
Some college, no degree	2,429	15.2%
Associate degree	1,374	8.6%
Bachelor's degree	970	6.1%
Master's degree or higher	623	3.9%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,418	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	1,861	29.0%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,275	19.9%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	726	11.3%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,113	17.3%
Male householder, in labor force	223	3.5%
Male householder, not in labor force	146	2.3%
Female householder, in labor force	670	10.4%
Female householder, not in labor force	404	6.3%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	9,539	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	823	8.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,956	20.5%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,455	15.3%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,246	13.1%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	925	9.7%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	782	8.2%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	949	9.9%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	697	7.3%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	575	6.0%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	79	0.8%
\$200,000 or more	52	0.5%
Median household income	\$33,928	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	22,898	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,313	5.7%
5 to 17 years	3,811	16.6%
18 to 24 years	1,810	7.9%
25 to 44 years	5,934	25.9%
45 to 64 years	6,550	28.6%
65 years and more	3,480	15.2%
Median Age	40.7	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,418	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	1,842	28.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	160	2.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	493	7.7%
Families with no own children	3,923	61.1%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,418	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	5,453	85.0%
Family income below poverty level	965	15.0%
Married couple, with related children	277	28.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	92	9.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	340	35.2%
Families with no related children	256	26.5%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	22,782	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	1,520	6.7%
50% to 99% of poverty level	2,693	11.8%
100% to 149% of poverty level	3,318	14.6%
150% to 199% of poverty level	3,334	14.6%
200% of poverty level or more	11,917	52.3%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	22,709	100.0%
Same house as previous year	19,983	88.0%
Different house, same county	1,494	6.6%
Different county, same state	1,015	4.5%
Different state	207	0.9%
Abroad	10	0.0%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	8,771	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	1,984	22.6%
15 to 29 minutes	2,957	33.7%
30 to 44 minutes	2,101	24.0%
45 to 59 minutes	835	9.5%
60 minutes or more	894	10.2%

Mean travel time 29.9 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	10,905	100.0%
Occupied housing units	9,539	87.5%
Owner occupied	7,540	79.0%
Renter occupied	1,999	21.0%
Vacant housing units	1,366	12.5%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	10,905	100.0%
Built 2005 or later	230	2.1%
Built 2000 to 2004	580	5.3%
Built 1990 to 1999	1,785	16.4%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,225	11.2%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,836	16.8%
Built 1960 to 1969	932	8.5%
Built 1950 to 1959	809	7.4%
Built 1940 to 1949	657	6.0%
Built 1939 or earlier	2,851	26.1%

Median year built 1971

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	7,540	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	772	10.2%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	805	10.7%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,103	14.6%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,090	14.5%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	998	13.2%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	786	10.4%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	701	9.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	644	8.5%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	360	4.8%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	222	2.9%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	59	0.8%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	0.0%

Median value \$80,000

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	9,539	100.0%
Utility gas	3,000	31.4%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,449	15.2%
Electricity	4,039	42.3%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	349	3.7%
Coal, coke or wood	587	6.2%
Solar energy or other fuel	115	1.2%
No fuel used	0	0.0%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	1,999	100.0%
Less than \$100	8	0.4%
\$100 to \$199	88	4.4%
\$200 to \$299	185	9.3%
\$300 to \$399	208	10.4%
\$400 to \$499	342	17.1%
\$500 to \$599	145	7.3%
\$600 to \$699	286	14.3%
\$700 to \$799	139	7.0%
\$800 to \$899	65	3.3%
\$900 to \$999	33	1.7%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	12	0.6%
\$1,500 or more	0	0.0%
No cash rent	488	24.4%

Median gross rent \$475

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 29.8

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	3,717	100.0%
Less than \$400	26	0.7%
\$400 to \$599	763	20.5%
\$600 to \$799	710	19.1%
\$800 to \$999	937	25.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	665	17.9%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	311	8.4%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	225	6.1%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	63	1.7%
\$3,000 or more	17	0.5%

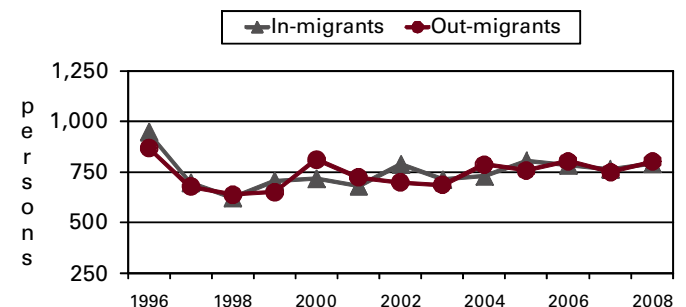
Median monthly owners cost \$869

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 22.2

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	270	61.3
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	41	54.7
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	263	1,148.7
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	142	6.1
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	94	4.1

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	76,000
Number of farms	550
Average size (acres)	138
Total cash receipts	\$21,443,000
Per farm	\$39,708

Education

Public schools	8
Students (Average Daily Membership)	3,491
Expenditures per student	\$9,753
Student-teacher ratio	17.9
Graduation rate	92.2
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	240.0
Non-public schools	0
Students	0
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	1 / 3

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	30,279
Passenger cars	16,107
Noncommercial trucks	7,530
Total license revenue	\$748,395.64
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	29.10
State highway miles	165.21
County, township, and municipal road miles	817.64
Commercial airports	0

Voting

Number of precincts	27
Number of registered voters	16,042
Voted in 2010 election	7,210
Percent turnout	44.9%

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	1
Registered hospitals	0
Number of beds	0
Licensed nursing homes	2
Number of beds	200
Licensed residential care	0
Number of beds	0
Adults with employer-based insurance	51.4%
Children with employer-based insurance	44.4%

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	9
Acreage	3,910.76

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	4,700

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	403
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Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$308,768
Branch offices	8
Institutions represented	4

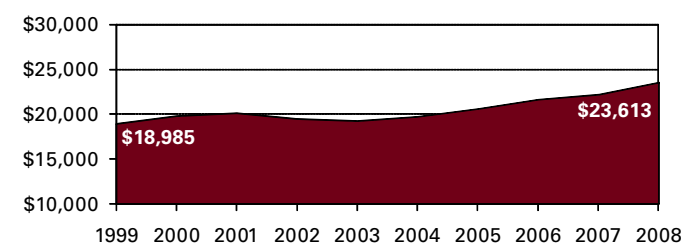
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$179,658,000
Payments to individuals	\$175,819,000
Retirement and disability	\$58,499,000
Medical payments	\$79,218,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$21,671,000
Unemployment benefits	\$5,536,000
Veterans benefits	\$4,655,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$3,398,000
Other payments to individuals	\$2,842,000
Total personal income	\$536,731,000
Dependency ratio	33.5%

Federal Expenditures

Direct expenditures or obligations	\$187,688,736
Retirement and disability	\$69,830,504
Other direct payments	\$46,797,975
Grant awards	\$58,061,457
Highway planning and construction	\$11,033,746
Temporary assistance to needy families	\$1,479,388
Medical assistance program	\$33,597,077
Procurement contract awards	\$1,940,011
Dept. of Defense	\$860,169
Salary and wages	\$11,058,789
Dept. of Defense	\$6,607,000
Other federal assistance	\$37,160,920
Direct loans	\$75,640
Guaranteed loans	\$4,140,512
Insurance	\$32,944,768

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Civilian labor force	9,000	9,200	9,200	9,200	9,400
Employed	8,100	8,400	8,400	8,200	8,000
Unemployed	900	800	800	900	1,400
Unemployment rate	9.8	8.3	8.9	10.0	14.8

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2008

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	305	2,433	\$57,007,599	\$451
Goods-Producing	73	555	\$18,585,441	\$644
Natural Resources and Mining	19	184	\$5,507,323	\$577
Constuction	41	269	\$9,937,436	\$710
Manufacturing	12	102	\$3,140,682	\$592
Service-Providing	232	1,878	\$38,422,158	\$393
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	92	680	\$14,148,085	\$400
Information	2	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Financial Services	22	175	\$4,366,520	\$481
Professional and Business Services	36	142	\$3,897,692	\$528
Education and Health Services	31	426	\$10,054,895	\$454
Leisure and Hospitality	27	378	\$4,240,124	\$216
Other Services	21	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Federal Government		77	\$3,399,616	\$855
State Government		42	\$1,841,037	\$850
Local Government		1,005	\$28,079,503	\$537

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2003

Private Sector	-7.6%	-7.9%	5.0%	14.2%
Goods-Producing		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Natural Resources and Mining	0.0%	-35.9%	-13.8%	34.8%
Construction	-8.9%	-15.7%	4.1%	23.3%
Manufacturing		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Service-Producing		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-14.0%	-10.6%	-7.3%	3.9%
Information		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Financial Services	-15.4%	0.0%	14.8%	15.3%
Professional and Business Services	-5.3%	26.8%	64.4%	29.7%
Education and Health Services	14.8%	-6.6%	17.1%	25.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	-18.2%	15.6%	40.7%	22.0%
Other Services		* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Federal Government		-7.2%	12.4%	22.1%
State Government		-2.3%	18.5%	21.6%
Local Government		-2.6%	11.4%	14.3%

Business Numbers

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Business starts	32	29	36	24	11
Active businesses	354	340	344	321	302

Major Employers

Eastern Local Schools	Govt
Extendicare/Rocksprings Rehab Ctr	Serv
Gatling Coal Co.	Mining
Karr Contracting	Const
Meigs County Govt	Govt
Meigs Local Schools	Govt
Overbrook Rehab Center	Serv
Southern Local Schools	Govt

Residential Construction

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total units	12	19	10	6	2
Total valuation (000)	\$1,032	\$2,040	\$1,290	\$690	\$142
Total single-unit bldgs	12	19	10	6	2
Average cost per unit	\$86,000	\$107,363	\$129,000	\$114,967	\$71,000
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0