

Ohio County Profiles

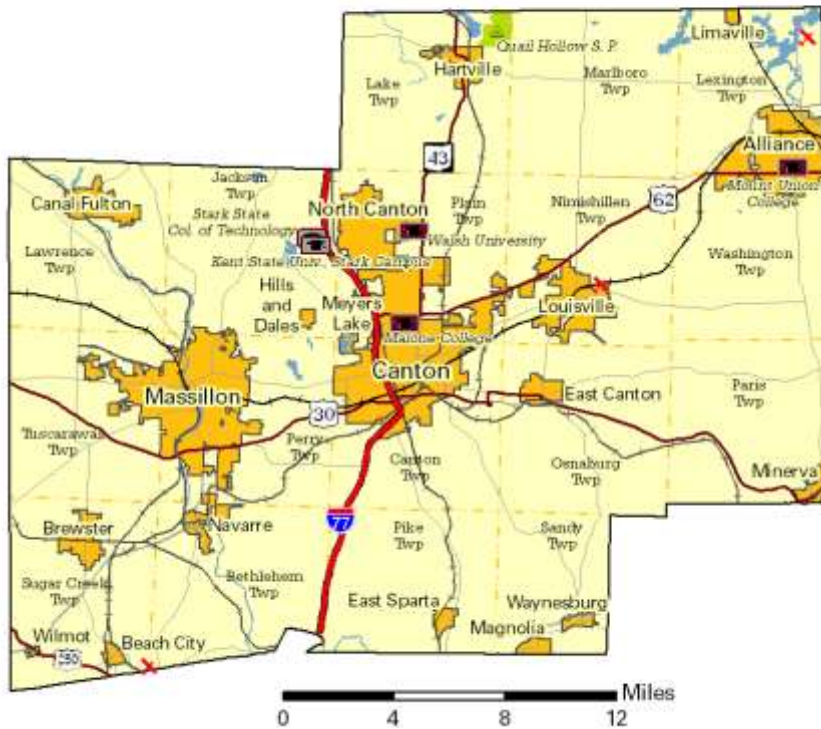


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2021 Edition

Stark County

Established: Act - February 13, 1808
 2020 Population: 374,853
 Land Area: 576.2 square miles
 County Seat: Canton City
 Named for: General John Stark, Revolutionary War



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$7,823,792,040
Residential	\$5,835,373,190
Agriculture	\$285,410,290
Industrial	\$307,635,470
Commercial	\$1,390,927,410
Mineral	\$4,445,680
Ohio income tax liability	\$221,481,486
Average per return	\$1,238.18

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	24.20%
Developed, Higher Intensity	6.30%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.39%
Forest	24.73%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.20%
Pasture/Hay	23.35%
Cultivated Crops	16.85%
Wetlands	2.02%
Open Water	0.97%

Largest Places

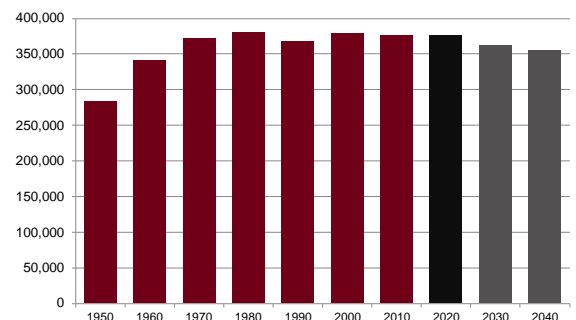
	Census 2020	Census 2010
Canton city	70,872	73,007
Jackson twp UB	42,817	40,152
Plain twp UB	35,482	34,900
Massillon city	32,146	32,149
Perry twp UB	28,337	28,303
Lake twp UB	26,995	27,017
Alliance city (part)	21,622	22,282
North Canton city	17,842	17,488
Canton twp UB	11,906	12,685
Louisville city	9,521	9,186

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census

1800		1910	122,987	2020	374,853
1810	2,734	1920	177,218		
1820	12,406	1930	221,784	Projected	
1830	26,588	1940	234,887		
1840	34,603	1950	283,194	2030	361,130
1850	39,878	1960	340,345	2040	355,500
1860	42,978	1970	372,210		
1870	52,508	1980	378,823		
1880	64,031	1990	367,585		
1890	84,170	2000	378,098		
1900	94,747	2010	375,586		



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	372,404	100.0%
White	326,746	87.7%
African-American	27,880	7.5%
Native American	473	0.1%
Asian	3,432	0.9%
Pacific Islander	21	0.0%
Other	2,339	0.6%
Two or More Races	11,513	3.1%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	7,732	2.1%
Total Minority	50,711	13.6%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	259,766	100.0%
No high school diploma	21,769	8.4%
High school graduate	99,295	38.2%
Some college, no degree	57,002	21.9%
Associate degree	22,467	8.6%
Bachelor's degree	37,597	14.5%
Master's degree or higher	21,636	8.3%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	98,303	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	35,715	36.3%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	14,029	14.3%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	5,589	5.7%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	15,625	15.9%
Male householder, in labor force	6,270	6.4%
Male householder, not in labor force	1,411	1.4%
Female householder, in labor force	13,552	13.8%
Female householder, not in labor force	6,112	6.2%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	153,460	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	9,667	6.3%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	14,874	9.7%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	16,574	10.8%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	15,682	10.2%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14,685	9.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	12,693	8.3%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	16,342	10.6%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	19,818	12.9%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	20,877	13.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7,216	4.7%
\$200,000 or more	5,032	3.3%
Median household income	\$53,860	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	372,404	100.0%
Under 5 years	20,940	5.6%
5 to 17 years	59,481	16.0%
18 to 24 years	32,217	8.7%
25 to 44 years	86,217	23.2%
45 to 64 years	102,810	27.6%
65 years and more	70,739	19.0%
Median Age	42.1	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	98,786	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	23,820	24.1%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	3,874	3.9%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	11,226	11.4%
Families with no own children	59,866	60.6%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	98,786	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	88,943	90.0%
Family income below poverty level	9,843	10.0%
Married couple, with related children	999	1.0%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	814	0.8%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	6,072	6.1%
Families with no related children	1,958	2.0%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	362,630	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	21,511	5.9%
50% to 99% of poverty level	27,654	7.6%
100% to 124% of poverty level	14,996	4.1%
125% to 149% of poverty level	14,020	3.9%
150% to 184% of poverty level	24,113	6.6%
185% to 199% of poverty level	11,227	3.1%
200% of poverty level or more	249,109	68.7%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	368,549	100.0%
Same house as previous year	321,391	87.2%
Different house, same county	33,869	9.2%
Different county, same state	8,830	2.4%
Different state	3,826	1.0%
Abroad	633	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	167,622	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	55,925	33.4%
15 to 29 minutes	66,740	39.8%
30 to 44 minutes	28,108	16.8%
45 to 59 minutes	8,392	5.0%
60 minutes or more	8,457	5.0%

Mean travel time 22.1 minutes

Housing Units	Number	Percent
Total housing units	166,725	100.0%
Occupied housing units	153,460	92.0%
Owner occupied	104,660	68.2%
Renter occupied	48,800	31.8%
Vacant housing units	13,265	8.0%

Year Structure Built	Number	Percent
Total housing units	166,725	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	1,699	1.0%
Built 2010 to 2013	1,944	1.2%
Built 2000 to 2009	12,593	7.6%
Built 1990 to 1999	15,107	9.1%
Built 1980 to 1989	12,482	7.5%
Built 1970 to 1979	27,765	16.7%
Built 1960 to 1969	20,698	12.4%
Built 1950 to 1959	26,356	15.8%
Built 1940 to 1949	12,628	7.6%
Built 1939 or earlier	35,453	21.3%

Median year built 1964

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	104,660	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	3,069	2.9%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	3,608	3.4%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	6,288	6.0%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	9,430	9.0%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	10,732	10.3%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	14,189	13.6%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	13,470	12.9%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	20,747	19.8%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	15,187	14.5%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	5,891	5.6%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,707	1.6%
\$1,000,000 or more	342	0.3%

Median value \$134,300

House Heating Fuel	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	153,460	100.0%
Utility gas	122,280	79.7%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,541	1.7%
Electricity	21,777	14.2%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	3,999	2.6%
Coal, coke or wood	1,479	1.0%
Solar energy or other fuel	1,062	0.7%
No fuel used	322	0.2%

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Gross Rent	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	48,800	100.0%
Less than \$100	772	1.6%
\$100 to \$199	602	1.2%
\$200 to \$299	2,274	4.7%
\$300 to \$399	1,673	3.4%
\$400 to \$499	2,985	6.1%
\$500 to \$599	5,030	10.3%
\$600 to \$699	6,447	13.2%
\$700 to \$799	8,390	17.2%
\$800 to \$899	6,654	13.6%
\$900 to \$999	4,666	9.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	5,920	12.1%
\$1,500 or more	1,034	2.1%
No cash rent	2,353	4.8%

Median gross rent \$741

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 26.8

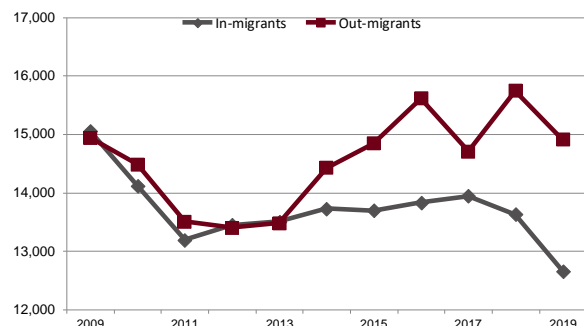
Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	66,209	100.0%
Less than \$400	697	1.1%
\$400 to \$599	3,649	5.5%
\$600 to \$799	8,797	13.3%
\$800 to \$999	11,432	17.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	14,619	22.1%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	9,782	14.8%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	10,663	16.1%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	5,196	7.8%
\$3,000 or more	1,374	2.1%

Median monthly owners cost \$1,146

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 18.4

Vital Statistics	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	3,914	59.3
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	230	58.8
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	4,490	1,211.5

Domestic Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	132,896
Number of farms	1,547
Average size (acres)	86
Total cash receipts	\$95,843,000
Per farm	\$61,954
Receipts for crops	\$40,606,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$55,237,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	95
Students	53,273
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	3,666.4
Expenditures per student	\$9,768
Graduation rate	92.3
Community/charter schools buildings	5
Students	899
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	76.0
Expenditures per student	\$7,662
Graduation rate	81.0
Private schools	22
Students	3,628
4-year public universities	0
Regional campuses	1
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Ohio Technical Centers	2
Private universities and colleges	3
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	7 / 19

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	434,800
Passenger cars	292,546
Noncommercial trucks	60,319
Total license revenue	\$11,644,578.08
Permissive tax revenue	\$7,045,447.50
Interstate highway miles	18.54
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	72.35
State highway miles	232.07
County, township, and municipal road miles	2,741.08
Commercial airports	3

Health Care

Physicians	939
Registered hospitals	6
Number of beds	1,531
Licensed nursing homes	37
Number of beds	3,539
Licensed residential care	33
Number of beds	2,210
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.3%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.0%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.9%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	13
Daily newspapers	3
Circulation	42,589
Average monthly unique visitors	776,986
Weekly newspapers	2
Circulation	3,863
Average monthly unique visitors	0
Online only	0
Average monthly unique visitors	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	9,886
Violent crime	1,176
Property crime	8,710

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$832,073
Branch offices	103
Institutions represented	16

Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$3,892,545,000
Payments to individuals	\$3,810,897,000
Retirement and disability	\$1,475,284,000
Medical payments	\$1,781,562,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$295,272,000
Unemployment benefits	\$29,331,000
Veterans benefits	\$127,329,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$71,284,000
Other payments to individuals	\$30,835,000
Total personal income	\$17,211,386,000
Dependency ratio	22.6%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

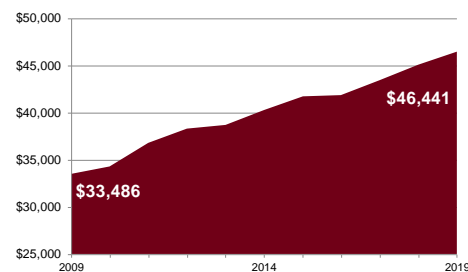
Voting

Number of registered voters	252,972
Voted in 2020 election	191,252
Percent turnout	75.6%

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

Areas/Facilities	5
Acreage	4,391

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Civilian labor force	184,100	186,700	186,500	187,900	187,200
Employed	169,300	178,200	177,400	178,100	176,900
Unemployed	14,900	8,500	9,100	9,800	10,300
Unemployment rate	8.1	4.6	4.9	5.2	5.5

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2019

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	8,361	140,660	\$6,047,905,891	\$827
Goods-Producing	1,408	33,691	\$1,973,229,105	\$1,126
Natural Resources and Mining	79	621	\$29,369,462	\$909
Construction	804	7,606	\$456,721,567	\$1,155
Manufacturing	525	25,464	\$1,487,138,076	\$1,123
Service-Providing	6,953	106,969	\$4,074,676,786	\$733
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	1,908	28,587	\$1,049,296,199	\$706
Information	88	1,348	\$59,938,786	\$855
Financial Services	858	6,689	\$385,289,104	\$1,108
Professional and Business Services	1,353	15,143	\$778,346,576	\$988
Education and Health Services	1,106	30,984	\$1,331,380,621	\$826
Leisure and Hospitality	891	18,460	\$308,424,642	\$321
Other Services	743	5,754	\$161,724,772	\$541
Federal Government		949	\$62,059,727	\$1,257
State Government		1,299	\$82,298,254	\$1,219
Local Government		16,386	\$706,652,613	\$829

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2013

Private Sector	-0.5%	0.6%	11.4%	10.9%
Goods-Producing	-3.1%	-3.0%	4.2%	7.3%
Natural Resources and Mining	-8.1%	-48.0%	-63.1%	-29.1%
Construction	-1.0%	10.6%	27.3%	15.0%
Manufacturing	-5.4%	-4.4%	2.2%	7.0%
Service-Producing	0.1%	1.8%	15.3%	13.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-0.5%	-1.6%	10.0%	11.9%
Information	10.0%	-15.6%	-8.2%	8.8%
Financial Services	2.5%	-6.5%	14.2%	22.2%
Professional and Business Services	2.6%	10.4%	25.4%	13.6%
Education and Health Services	3.9%	0.4%	13.0%	12.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	-0.1%	7.2%	24.4%	15.9%
Other Services	-9.8%	5.5%	26.0%	19.7%
Federal Government		4.1%	12.8%	8.4%
State Government		-1.5%	15.1%	17.0%
Local Government		0.6%	10.9%	10.1%

Residential

Construction

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total units	683	624	527	525	553
Total valuation (000)	\$143,588	\$131,070	\$115,707	\$108,513	\$108,088
Total single-unit bldgs	511	478	412	445	457
Average cost per unit	\$250,370	\$250,040	\$256,554	\$230,599	\$220,792
Total multi-unit bldg units	172	146	115	80	96
Average cost per unit	\$90,981	\$79,114	\$87,011	\$73,708	\$74,852