

Ohio County Profiles

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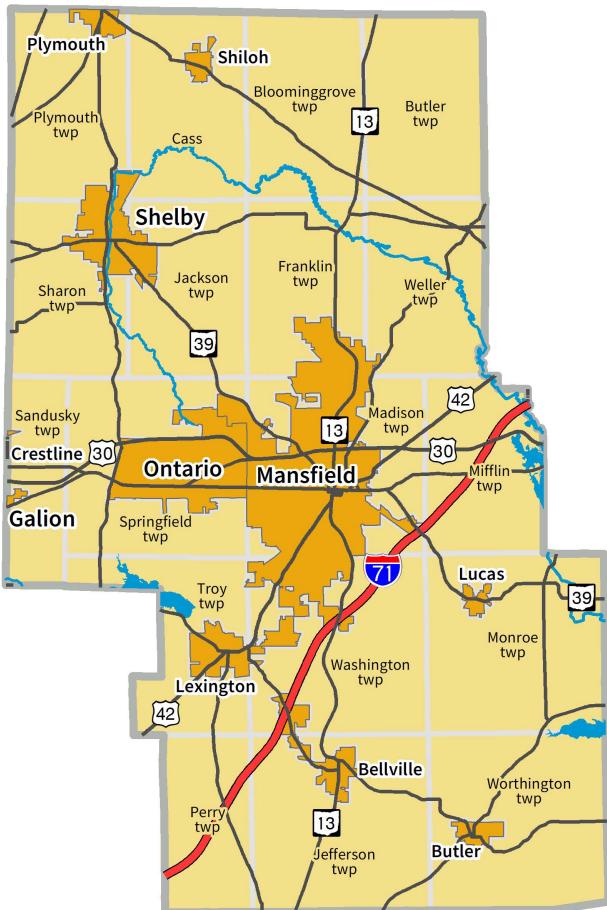
2025 Edition



Department of
Development

Richland County

Established: Act - March 1, 1808
2024 Population: 124,853
Land Area: 497.0 square miles
County Seat: Mansfield City
Named for: The fertility of its lands



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$2,774,527,090
Residential	\$2,087,462,880
Agriculture	\$282,694,210
Industrial	\$74,184,330
Commercial	\$329,977,560
Mineral	\$208,110
Ohio income tax liability	\$61,577,494
Average per return	\$1,100.64

Land Use/Land Cover

Percent	
Developed, Lower Intensity	15.40%
Developed, Higher Intensity	3.09%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.11%
Forest	27.21%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	0.20%
Pasture/Hay	16.13%
Cultivated Crops	35.52%
Wetlands	1.54%
Open Water	0.79%

Largest Places

	2024	2020
Mansfield city	47,593	47,525
Madison twp	11,083	11,102
Shelby city	9,238	9,289
Ontario city	6,648	6,668
Washington twp UB	6,282	6,309
Mifflin twp	6,092	6,110
Lexington village	4,832	4,848
Springfield twp UB	4,426	4,433
Jefferson twp UB	2,970	2,965
Troy twp UB	2,544	2,552

UB: Unincorporated balance

Total Population

Census

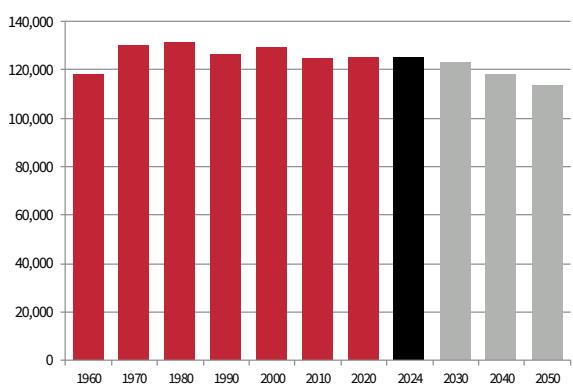
1800	1910	47,667	2020	124,936
1810	1920	55,178		
1820	1930	65,902		
1830	1940	73,853		
1840	1950	91,305		
1850	1960	117,761		
1860	1970	129,997		
1870	1980	131,205		
1880	1990	126,137		
1890	2000	128,852		
1900	2010	124,475		
			2024	124,853
			2030	122,648
			2040	117,728
			2050	113,496

Estimate

2024 124,853

Projection

2030 122,648
 2040 117,728
 2050 113,496



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Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	125,138	100.0%
White	106,341	85.0%
African-American	9,316	7.4%
Native American	131	0.1%
Asian	1,099	0.9%
Pacific Islander	147	0.1%
Other	1,404	1.1%
Two or More Races	6,700	5.4%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	2,757	2.2%
Total Minority	19,828	15.8%

Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	87,633	100.0%
No high school diploma	9,228	10.5%
High school graduate	36,727	41.9%
Some college, no degree	17,682	20.2%
Associate degree	8,326	9.5%
Bachelor's degree	9,853	11.2%
Master's degree or higher	5,817	6.6%

Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	29,895	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	10,879	36.4%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	4,416	14.8%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	1,836	6.1%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	5,245	17.5%
Male householder, in labor force	1,475	4.9%
Male householder, not in labor force	523	1.7%
Female householder, in labor force	3,517	11.8%
Female householder, not in labor force	2,004	6.7%

Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	50,068	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	2,567	5.1%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,695	9.4%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	5,088	10.2%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	4,469	8.9%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	4,820	9.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	4,340	8.7%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	5,341	10.7%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	6,541	13.1%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	8,125	16.2%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,342	4.7%
\$200,000 or more	1,740	3.5%
Median household income	\$57,649	

Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	125,138	100.0%
Under 5 years	7,185	5.7%
5 to 17 years	20,167	16.1%
18 to 24 years	10,153	8.1%
25 to 44 years	31,574	25.2%
45 to 64 years	31,296	25.0%
65 years and more	24,763	19.8%
Median Age	40.9	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	30,154	100.0%
Married-couple families		
with own children	7,175	23.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	878	2.9%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	2,845	9.4%
Families with no own children	19,256	63.9%

Poverty Status of Families

By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children

	Number	Percent
Total Families	30,154	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	27,102	89.9%
Family income below poverty level	3,052	10.1%
Married couple, with related children	322	1.1%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	157	0.5%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	1,795	6.0%
Families with no related children	778	2.6%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	117,888	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	7,642	6.5%
50% to 99% of poverty level	8,792	7.5%
100% to 124% of poverty level	5,218	4.4%
125% to 149% of poverty level	7,469	6.3%
150% to 184% of poverty level	8,524	7.2%
185% to 199% of poverty level	3,633	3.1%
200% of poverty level or more	76,610	65.0%

Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	123,953	100.0%
Same house as previous year	107,904	87.1%
Different house, same county	7,709	6.2%
Different county, same state	6,275	5.1%
Different state	1,880	1.5%
Abroad	185	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

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Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	50,644	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	18,206	35.9%
15 to 29 minutes	21,175	41.8%
30 to 44 minutes	5,768	11.4%
45 to 59 minutes	1,556	3.1%
60 minutes or more	3,939	7.8%
Mean travel time	22.2 minutes	

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	54,616	100.0%
Occupied housing units	50,068	91.7%
Owner occupied	34,280	68.5%
Renter occupied	15,788	31.5%
Vacant housing units	4,548	8.3%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	54,616	100.0%
Built 2020 or later	212	0.4%
Built 2010 to 2019	1,180	2.2%
Built 2000 to 2009	3,826	7.0%
Built 1990 to 1999	4,980	9.1%
Built 1980 to 1989	3,819	7.0%
Built 1970 to 1979	9,134	16.7%
Built 1960 to 1969	7,543	13.8%
Built 1950 to 1959	9,783	17.9%
Built 1940 to 1949	3,845	7.0%
Built 1939 or earlier	10,294	18.8%
Median year built	1964	

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	34,280	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	1,426	4.2%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	1,021	3.0%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	1,567	4.6%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	2,091	6.1%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	2,601	7.6%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	4,145	12.1%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	3,777	11.0%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	6,768	19.7%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	6,947	20.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	2,950	8.6%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	812	2.4%
\$1,000,000 or more	175	0.5%
Median value	\$154,000	

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	50,068	100.0%
Utility gas	31,042	62.0%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	4,234	8.5%
Electricity	10,939	21.8%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	1,590	3.2%
Coal, coke or wood	1,762	3.5%
Solar energy or other fuel	210	0.4%
No fuel used	291	0.6%

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Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	15,788	100.0%
Less than \$100	93	0.6%
\$100 to \$199	0	0.0%
\$200 to \$299	357	2.3%
\$300 to \$399	602	3.8%
\$400 to \$499	897	5.7%
\$500 to \$599	1,097	6.9%
\$600 to \$699	2,679	17.0%
\$700 to \$799	1,945	12.3%
\$800 to \$899	2,048	13.0%
\$900 to \$999	1,521	9.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	2,998	19.0%
\$1,500 or more	710	4.5%
No cash rent	841	5.3%
Median gross rent	\$791	

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	19,095	100.0%
Less than \$400	102	0.5%
\$400 to \$599	690	3.6%
\$600 to \$799	1,957	10.2%
\$800 to \$999	3,475	18.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	4,270	22.4%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	3,151	16.5%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	3,271	17.1%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	1,811	9.5%
\$3,000 or more	368	1.9%
Median monthly owners cost	\$1,195	

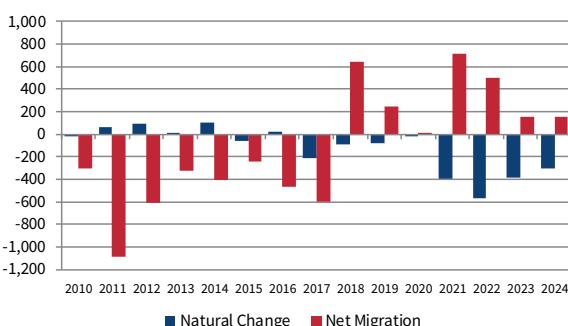
Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income

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Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	1,307	62.2
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	66	18.1
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	1,443	1,153.8

Components of Population Change



■ Natural Change ■ Net Migration

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Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	159,053
Number of farms	1,078
Average size (acres)	148
Total cash receipts	\$214,188,000
Per farm	\$198,690
Receipts for crops	\$100,863,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$113,324,000

Education

Traditional public schools buildings	37
Students	15,061
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	1,309.9
Expenditures per student	\$12,017
Graduation rate	94.4
Community/charter schools buildings	2
Students	763
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	63.0
Expenditures per student	\$9,568
Graduation rate	
Private schools	7
Students	1,257
Public universities, 4-year	2
Public universities/colleges, 2-year	1
Public learning centers, less-than 2-year	1
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	2 / 10

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	151,265
Passenger cars	95,378
Noncommercial trucks	23,954
Total license revenue	\$4,135,424.82
Permissive tax revenue	\$1,982,752.50
Interstate highway miles	20.64
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	37.64
State highway miles	204.06
County, township, and municipal road miles	1,317.91
Commercial airports	3

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

Areas/Facilities	4
Acreage	1,305

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	1
Assets (000)	\$820,510
Branch offices	39
Institutions represented	12

Sources of Income

Total personal income	\$6,017,580,000
Net earnings	\$3,320,454,000
Personal current transfer receipts	\$1,778,522,000
Income maintenance benefits	\$136,752,000
Unemployment insurance compensation	\$8,018,000
Retirement and other	\$1,633,752,000
Dividends, interest, and rent	\$918,604,000
Dependency ratio	29.6%
(Percent of total personal income from transfer receipts)	

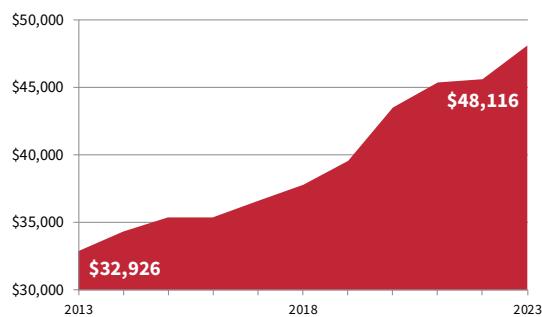
Voting

Number of registered voters	80,649
Voted in 2024 election	59,092
Percent turnout	73.3%

Health Care

Physicians	253
Registered hospitals	3
Number of beds	455
Licensed nursing homes	13
Number of beds	765
Licensed residential care	8
Number of beds	663
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.8%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.5%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.7%

Per Capita Personal Income



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Civilian Labor Force

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Civilian labor force	53,600	52,700	52,200	52,800	53,200
Employed	51,000	50,400	49,900	49,800	48,600
Unemployed	2,700	2,200	2,300	3,000	4,700
Unemployment rate	5.0	4.3	4.5	5.7	8.8

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2024

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	2,732	41,723	\$2,061,446,035	\$950
Goods-Producing	487	11,706	\$749,741,541	\$1,232
Natural Resources and Mining	18	149	\$4,199,449	\$541
Construction	283	2,129	\$146,953,226	\$1,327
Manufacturing	185	9,428	\$598,588,866	\$1,221
Service-Providing	2,245	30,017	\$1,311,704,494	\$840
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	640	9,377	\$423,977,220	\$870
Information	33	307	\$19,598,510	\$1,228
Financial Services	287	1,341	\$86,009,338	\$1,234
Professional and Business Services	377	3,509	\$159,136,372	\$872
Education and Health Services	380	8,558	\$470,196,766	\$1,057
Leisure and Hospitality	292	5,596	\$110,020,945	\$378
Other Services	233	1,325	\$42,660,205	\$619
Federal Government		543	\$44,135,323	\$1,563
State Government		1,313	\$105,426,246	\$1,544
Local Government		5,330	\$276,028,881	\$996

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2017

Private Sector	4.5%	-2.1%	23.8%	26.5%
Goods-Producing	9.9%	-2.8%	16.1%	19.5%
Natural Resources and Mining	5.9%	25.2%	63.6%	30.4%
Construction	16.9%	5.0%	25.8%	19.8%
Manufacturing	0.0%	-4.7%	13.7%	19.4%
Service-Producing	3.4%	-1.9%	28.7%	31.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-3.5%	-1.7%	26.4%	28.7%
Information	-8.3%	-32.4%	-13.0%	28.7%
Financial Services	5.5%	2.8%	37.2%	33.5%
Professional and Business Services	12.5%	-22.8%	11.1%	43.9%
Education and Health Services	3.5%	8.5%	38.0%	27.3%
Leisure and Hospitality	4.7%	2.1%	32.7%	29.9%
Other Services	6.4%	-3.1%	33.4%	37.6%
Federal Government		-13.1%	9.7%	26.3%
State Government		-8.8%	18.8%	30.3%
Local Government		-0.9%	20.0%	21.2%

Major & Notable Employers

ArcelorMittal	Mfg
Cleveland Cliffs	Mfg
Gorman-Rupp Co	Mfg
Jay Industries	Mfg
Mansfield City Schools	Govt
Newman Technology/Sankei Giken	Mfg
Ohio Health	Serv
Richland County Government	Govt
Sensience/Therm-O-Disc	Mfg
State of Ohio	Govt
Stoneridge Inc	Mfg
Techniplas/Nanogate	Mfg
Vitro Automotive	Mfg

Residential Construction

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total units	143	132	247	115	205
Total valuation (000)	\$46,660	\$39,698	\$52,401	\$33,046	\$38,281
Total single-unit bldgs	122	110	115	107	109
Average cost per unit	\$362,105	\$337,344	\$309,204	\$298,589	\$266,529
Total multi-unit bldg units	21	22	132	8	96
Average cost per unit	\$118,240	\$117,747	\$127,596	\$137,087	\$96,138