

Ohio County Profiles



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Union County

Established: Act - April 1, 1820
2006 Population: 46,702
Land Area: 436.7 square mile
County Seat: Marysville City
Named for: The Union of parts of surrounding counties



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$1,022,512,100
Residential	\$679,898,750
Agriculture	\$124,195,170
Industrial	\$99,573,480
Commercial	\$118,844,700
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$38,843,298
Average per return	\$1,861.65

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/ Transportation and Urban Grasses)	5.32%
Cropland	69.27%
Pasture	4.30%
Forest	18.90%
Open Water	0.51%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	1.60%
Bare/Mines	0.10%

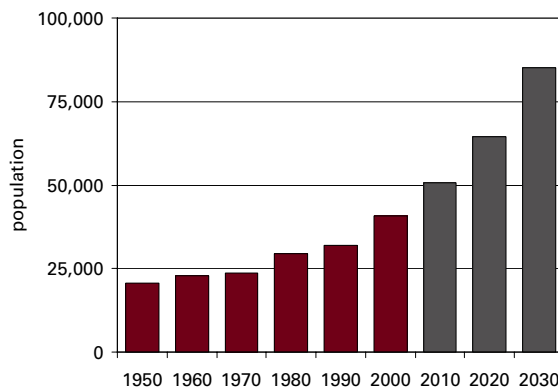
Largest Areas

	Census 2000	Est. 2006
Marysville city	15,942	17,621
Jerome twp UB	3,033	3,458
Dover twp UB	2,331	2,575
Richwood village	2,156	2,150
Liberty twp	1,705	2,007
Darby twp UB	1,634	1,930
Allen twp	1,518	1,876
Taylor twp	1,444	1,678
Paris twp UB	1,617	1,601
Claibourne twp UB	1,265	1,562

UB: Unincorporated Balance

Total Population

Census	Estimated
1800	2001 42,470
1810	2002 42,950
1820 1,996	2003 43,734
1830 3,192	2004 44,689
1840 8,422	2005 45,600
1850 12,204	2006 46,702
1860 16,507	1950 20,687
1870 18,730	1960 22,853
1880 22,375	1970 23,786
1890 22,860	1980 29,536
	1990 31,969
	2000 40,909
	Projected
	2010 50,740
	2020 64,570
	2030 85,190



Population by Race	Number	Percent
Total Population	40,909	100.0%
White	39,065	95.5%
African-American	973	2.4%
Native American	79	0.2%
Asian	198	0.5%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	112	0.3%
Two or More Races	482	1.2%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	306	0.7%
Total Minority	1,981	4.8%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	26,534	100.0%
No high school diploma	3,705	14.0%
High school graduate	11,654	43.9%
Some college, no degree	5,454	20.6%
Associate degree	1,495	5.6%
Bachelor's degree	3,131	11.8%
Master's degree or higher	1,095	4.1%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	10,886	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	6,095	56.0%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,730	15.9%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	496	4.6%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,055	9.7%
Male householder, in labor force	350	3.2%
Male householder, not in labor force	103	0.9%
Female householder, in labor force	785	7.2%
Female householder, not in labor force	272	2.5%

Household Income in 1999	Number	Percent
Total Households	14,342	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	712	5.0%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,317	9.2%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,564	10.9%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,455	10.1%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,718	12.0%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,729	12.1%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	2,110	14.7%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,181	15.2%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,252	8.7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	220	1.5%
\$200,000 or more	84	0.6%
Median household income	\$51,743	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
Total Population	40,909	100.0%
Under 6 years	3,679	9.0%
6 to 17 years	7,586	18.5%
18 to 24 years	3,110	7.6%
25 to 44 years	13,885	33.9%
45 to 64 years	8,667	21.2%
65 years and more	3,982	9.7%
Median Age	34.5	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	10,886	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	4,687	43.1%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	313	2.9%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	682	6.3%
Families with no own children	5,204	47.8%

Poverty Status in 1999 of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	10,886	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	10,489	96.4%
Family income below poverty level	397	3.6%
Married couple, with related children	71	17.9%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	36	9.1%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	162	40.8%
Families with no related children	128	32.2%

Ratio of Income in 1999 To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	38,511	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	779	2.0%
50% to 99% of poverty level	984	2.6%
100% to 149% of poverty level	1,942	5.0%
150% to 199% of poverty level	2,654	6.9%
200% of poverty level or more	32,152	83.5%

Residence in 1995	Number	Percent
Population 5 years and over	37,821	100.0%
Same house in 1995	19,608	51.8%
Different house, same county	7,508	19.9%
Different county, same state	7,997	21.1%
Different state	2,550	6.7%
Puerto Rico or U.S. islands	0	0.0%
Foreign country	158	0.4%

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	20,416	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	6,311	30.9%
15 to 29 minutes	7,406	36.3%
30 to 44 minutes	3,748	18.4%
45 to 59 minutes	1,425	7.0%
60 minutes or more	849	4.2%
Worked at home	677	3.3%
Mean travel time	23.0 minutes	

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	15,217	100.0%
Occupied housing units	14,346	94.3%
Owner occupied	11,118	73.1%
Renter occupied	3,228	21.2%
Vacant housing units	871	5.7%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	15,217	100.0%
Built 1995 to March 2000	2,901	19.1%
Built 1990 to 1994	1,247	8.2%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,657	10.9%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,647	17.4%
Built 1960 to 1969	1,155	7.6%
Built 1950 to 1959	1,098	7.2%
Built 1940 to 1949	550	3.6%
Built 1939 or earlier	3,962	26.0%
Median year built	1973	

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	8,544	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	28	0.3%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	89	1.0%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	249	2.9%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	733	8.6%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,497	17.5%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,404	16.4%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	1,807	21.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,692	19.8%
\$200,000 to \$249,999	638	7.5%
\$250,000 to \$499,999	383	4.5%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	14	0.2%
\$1,000,000 or more	10	0.1%
Median value	\$128,800	

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	14,346	100.0%
Utility gas	6,384	44.5%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	3,711	25.9%
Electricity	2,711	18.9%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	987	6.9%
Coal, coke or wood	394	2.7%
Solar energy or other fuel	138	1.0%
No fuel used	21	0.1%

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	3,101	100.0%
Less than \$100	49	1.6%
\$100 to \$199	179	5.8%
\$200 to \$299	111	3.6%
\$300 to \$399	283	9.1%
\$400 to \$499	433	14.0%
\$500 to \$599	580	18.7%
\$600 to \$699	560	18.1%
\$700 to \$799	326	10.5%
\$800 to \$899	185	6.0%
\$900 to \$999	71	2.3%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	145	4.7%
\$1,500 or more	0	0.0%
No cash rent	179	5.8%
Median gross rent	\$574	
Median gross rent as a percentage of household income in 1999	22.7	

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

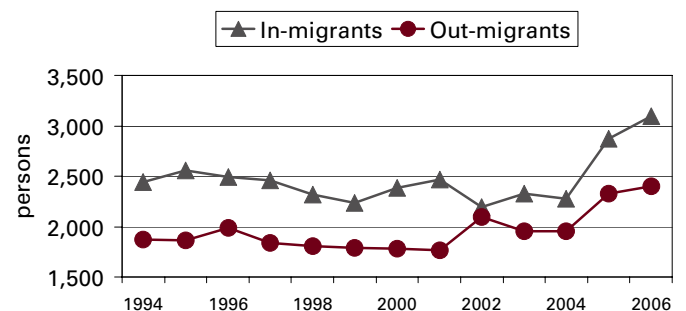
	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	6,795	100.0%
Less than \$400	132	1.9%
\$400 to \$599	351	5.2%
\$600 to \$799	955	14.1%
\$800 to \$999	1,325	19.5%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,706	25.1%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	1,196	17.6%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	816	12.0%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	264	3.9%
\$3,000 or more	50	0.7%
Median monthly owners cost	\$1,093	

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 20.8

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15-44	731	67.1
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-17	11	11.3
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	317	692.9
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	300	6.6
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	158	3.5

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	242,000
Number of farms	1,000
Average size (acres)	242
Total cash receipts	\$85,547,000
Per farm	\$85,547

Education

Public schools	16
Students (Average Daily Membership)	7,442
Expenditures per student	\$8,883
Student-teacher ratio	18.4
Graduation rate	95.2
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	452.7
Non-public schools	3
Students	375
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	2 / 1

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	64,690
Passenger cars	40,863
Noncommercial trucks	9,889
Total license revenue	\$1,774,658.57
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	50.76
State highway miles	145.66
Commercial airports	1

Voting

Number of precincts	45
Number of registered voters	29,906
Voted in 2006 election	17,379
Percent turnout	58.1%

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	48
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	92
Licensed nursing homes	2
Number of beds	150
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	70
Adults with employer-based insurance	76.7%
Children with employer-based insurance	87.0%

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, And Wildlife Areas

Facilities	4
Acreage	154.07

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	1
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	6,495

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	962
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Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	1
Assets	\$190,879,000
Branch offices	11
Institutions represented	8

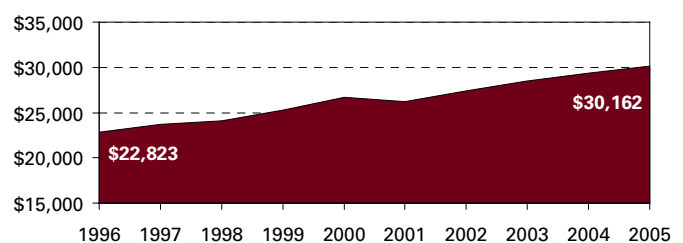
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$167,048,000
Payments to individuals	\$154,711,000
Retirement and disability	\$72,466,000
Medical payments	\$62,252,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$12,718,000
Unemployment benefits	\$3,868,000
Veterans benefits	\$2,856,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$467,000
Other payments to individuals	\$84,000
Total personal income	\$1,375,373,000
Dependency ratio	12.1%

Federal Expenditures

Direct expenditures or obligations	\$125,997,613
Retirement and disability	\$59,449,651
Other direct payments	\$35,347,758
Grant awards	\$24,889,890
Highway planning and construction	\$1,297,288
Temporary assistance to needy families	\$2,724,411
Medical assistance program	\$13,292,800
Procurement contract awards	\$1,557,929
Dept. of Defense	\$255,534
Salary and wages	\$4,752,385
Dept. of Defense	\$65,000
Other federal assistance	\$87,013,419
Direct loans	\$1,478,587
Guaranteed loans	\$52,256,811
Insurance	\$33,278,021

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Civilian labor force	23,000	23,400	23,700	24,400	24,900
Employed	22,100	22,300	22,500	23,200	23,700
Unemployed	1,000	1,100	1,200	1,200	1,100
Unemployment rate	4.2	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.6

Employment and Wages by Sector

NAICS Industrial Sector	Average Annual Employment		Total Wages (in thousands of dollars)	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
Total covered under Ohio UC Law	26,008	25,948	\$1,286,834	\$1,311,905
Private Sector	22,694	22,700	\$1,174,595	\$1,196,515
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	-1	-1	\$0	\$0
Mining	-1	-1	\$0	\$0
Utilities	68	76	\$3,757	\$4,502
Construction	827	767	\$28,168	\$31,533
Manufacturing	10,508	10,089	\$757,821	\$757,507
Wholesale trade	683	783	\$32,770	\$37,554
Retail trade	1,581	1,591	\$33,615	\$36,235
Transportation and warehousing	885	760	\$35,419	\$30,511
Information	93	90	\$3,553	\$3,157
Finance and insurance	548	591	\$17,818	\$16,233
Real estate and rental and leasing	119	128	\$2,370	\$2,585
Professional and technical services	-1	2,195	\$0	\$154,958
Management of companies and enterprises	-1	-1	\$0	\$0
Administrative and waste services	2,309	2,481	\$45,898	\$51,442
Educational services	13	22	\$158	\$325
Health care and social assistance	721	745	\$25,385	\$25,531
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	120	115	\$1,630	\$1,637
Accommodation and food services	1,260	1,275	\$14,583	\$14,904
Other services, except public administration	528	536	\$13,723	\$12,235
State and Local Government	3,315	3,249	\$112,239	\$115,390
State government	-1	572	\$0	\$25,172
Local government	-1	2,677	\$0	\$90,219
Federal Government	76	79	\$3,237	\$3,267

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Business Numbers	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Business starts	102	124	89	106	88
Active businesses	739	756	765	806	796

Major Employers	
EDP Inc/Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co	Mfg
Honda Motor Co Ltd	Mfg
Marysville Exempted Village Bd of Ed	Govt
Memorial Hospital of Union County	Serv
Nestle R&D	R&D
Parker Hannifin Corp	Mfg
Scotts Miracle-Gro Co	Mfg
State of Ohio	Govt
Union County Government	Govt

Residential Construction	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total units	529	579	517	440	271
Total valuation (000)	\$86,481	\$104,639	\$92,245	\$80,574	\$47,775
Total single-unit bldgs	529	579	517	440	271
Average cost per unit	\$163,480	\$180,724	\$178,424	\$183,123	\$176,291
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0