

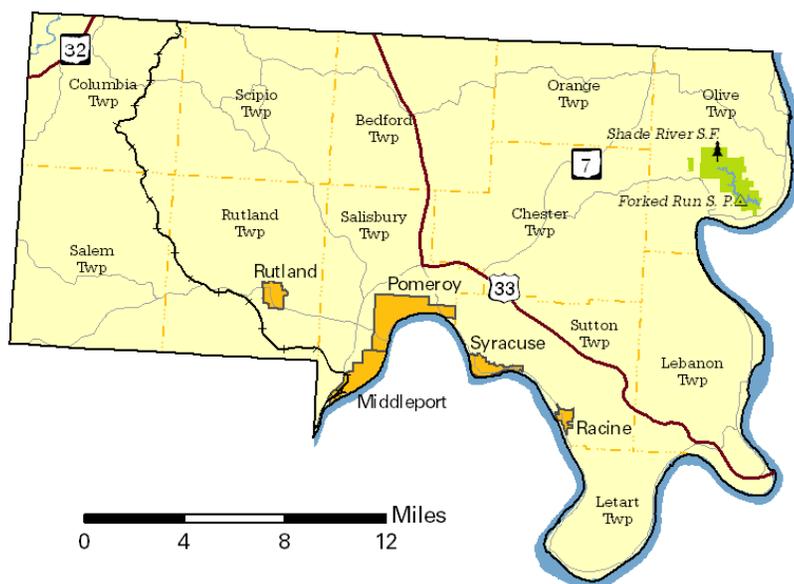
Ohio County Profiles



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Meigs County

Established: Act - April 1, 1819
2015 Population: 23,257
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	\$304,547,940
Residential	\$159,454,970
Agriculture	\$95,999,230
Industrial	\$21,007,820
Commercial	\$21,152,550
Mineral	\$6,933,370
Ohio income tax liability	\$6,952,558
Average per return	\$855.07

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	7.06%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.33%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.27%
Forest	67.54%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	1.60%
Pasture/Hay	18.44%
Cultivated Crops	3.74%
Wetlands	0.05%
Open Water	0.96%

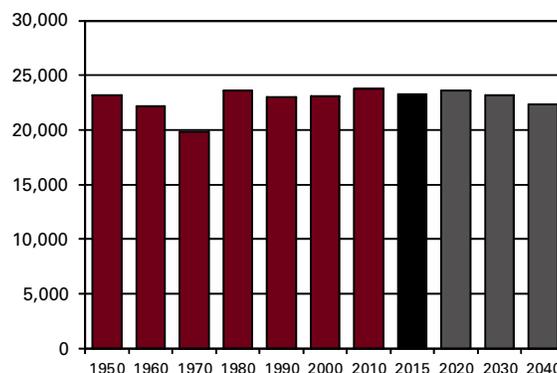
Largest Places

	Est. 2015	Census 2010
Middleport vlg	2,474	2,529
Chester twp	2,453	2,496
Salisbury twp UB	1,930	1,975
Rutland twp UB	1,913	1,960
Pomeroy vlg	1,821	1,852
Olive twp	1,758	1,800
Sutton twp UB	1,601	1,639
Bedford twp	1,324	1,355
Scipio twp	1,286	1,318
Columbia twp	1,171	1,189

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census			Estimated	
1800		25,594	2011	23,704
1810		26,189	2012	23,605
1820	4,480	23,961	2013	23,475
1830	6,158	24,104	2014	23,326
1840	11,452	23,227	2015	23,257
1850	17,971	22,159		
1860	26,534	19,799		
1870	31,465	23,641		
1880	32,325	22,987		
1890	29,813	23,072		
1900	28,620	23,770		
			Projected	
			2020	23,630
			2030	23,170
			2040	22,340



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	23,564	100.0%
White	22,983	97.5%
African-American	248	1.1%
Native American	44	0.2%
Asian	44	0.2%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	6	0.0%
Two or More Races	239	1.0%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	116	0.5%
Total Minority	691	2.9%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	16,522	100.0%
No high school diploma	2,900	17.6%
High school graduate	7,223	43.7%
Some college, no degree	2,690	16.3%
Associate degree	1,737	10.5%
Bachelor's degree	1,294	7.8%
Master's degree or higher	678	4.1%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,549	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	1,966	30.0%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,013	15.5%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	524	8.0%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,439	22.0%
Male householder, in labor force	351	5.4%
Male householder, not in labor force	219	3.3%
Female householder, in labor force	621	9.5%
Female householder, not in labor force	416	6.4%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	9,486	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,003	10.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,564	16.5%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,329	14.0%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,329	14.0%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	806	8.5%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	598	6.3%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	873	9.2%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,100	11.6%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	718	7.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	125	1.3%
\$200,000 or more	41	0.4%
Median household income	\$35,970	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	23,564	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,305	5.5%
5 to 17 years	3,941	16.7%
18 to 24 years	1,796	7.6%
25 to 44 years	5,629	23.9%
45 to 64 years	6,999	29.7%
65 years and more	3,894	16.5%
Median Age	42.1	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,549	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	1,558	23.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	316	4.8%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	540	8.2%
Families with no own children	4,135	63.1%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	6,549	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	5,348	81.7%
Family income below poverty level	1,201	18.3%
Married couple, with related children	280	4.3%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	146	2.2%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	394	6.0%
Families with no related children	381	5.8%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	23,237	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	2,170	9.3%
50% to 99% of poverty level	3,176	13.7%
100% to 124% of poverty level	1,220	5.3%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,273	5.5%
150% to 184% of poverty level	2,204	9.5%
185% to 199% of poverty level	747	3.2%
200% of poverty level or more	12,447	53.6%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	23,338	100.0%
Same house as previous year	20,923	89.7%
Different house, same county	1,341	5.7%
Different county, same state	830	3.6%
Different state	244	1.0%
Abroad	0	0.0%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	8,159	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	1,744	21.4%
15 to 29 minutes	2,950	36.2%
30 to 44 minutes	1,830	22.4%
45 to 59 minutes	822	10.1%
60 minutes or more	813	10.0%

Mean travel time **29.2 minutes**

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	11,101	100.0%
Occupied housing units	9,486	85.5%
Owner occupied	7,559	79.7%
Renter occupied	1,927	20.3%
Vacant housing units	1,615	14.5%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	11,101	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	12	0.1%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,489	13.4%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,093	18.9%
Built 1980 to 1989	1,357	12.2%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,671	15.1%
Built 1960 to 1969	707	6.4%
Built 1950 to 1959	669	6.0%
Built 1940 to 1949	503	4.5%
Built 1939 or earlier	2,600	23.4%

Median year built **1976**

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	7,559	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	966	12.8%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	867	11.5%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	922	12.2%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	873	11.5%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	913	12.1%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	771	10.2%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	492	6.5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	898	11.9%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	595	7.9%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	246	3.3%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	16	0.2%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	0.0%

Median value **\$83,100**

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	9,486	100.0%
Utility gas	2,562	27.0%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,699	17.9%
Electricity	4,220	44.5%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	155	1.6%
Coal, coke or wood	726	7.7%
Solar energy or other fuel	110	1.2%
No fuel used	14	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	1,927	100.0%
Less than \$100	15	0.8%
\$100 to \$199	17	0.9%
\$200 to \$299	163	8.5%
\$300 to \$399	155	8.0%
\$400 to \$499	164	8.5%
\$500 to \$599	365	18.9%
\$600 to \$699	199	10.3%
\$700 to \$799	164	8.5%
\$800 to \$899	165	8.6%
\$900 to \$999	20	1.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	12	0.6%
\$1,500 or more	38	2.0%
No cash rent	450	23.4%

Median gross rent **\$567**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **31.3**

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	3,448	100.0%
Less than \$400	83	2.4%
\$400 to \$599	431	12.5%
\$600 to \$799	687	19.9%
\$800 to \$999	661	19.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	651	18.9%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	500	14.5%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	278	8.1%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	145	4.2%
\$3,000 or more	12	0.3%

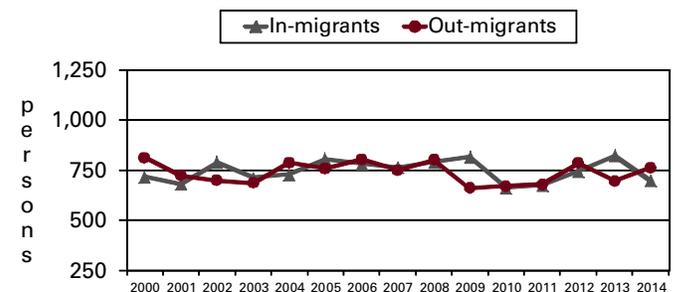
Median monthly owners cost **\$964**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **22.4**

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	215	53.2
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	20	30.9
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	280	1,200.1
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	152	6.7
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	103	4.5

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	75,801
Number of farms	588
Average size (acres)	129
Total cash receipts	\$14,478,000
Per farm	\$24,622
Receipts for crops	\$9,671,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$4,807,000

Education

Public schools buildings	8
Students (Average Daily Membership)	3,322
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	238.5
Expenditures per student	\$9,914
Graduation rate	91.6
Non-public schools	0
Students	0
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	1 / 3

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	29,970
Passenger cars	16,136
Noncommercial trucks	7,173
Total license revenue	\$763,792.44
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	29.10
State highway miles	165.25
County, township, and municipal road miles	809.73
Commercial airports	0

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	3
Registered hospitals	0
Number of beds	0
Licensed nursing homes	2
Number of beds	199
Licensed residential care	0
Number of beds	0
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	88.3%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	86.3%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	93.9%

Voting

Number of registered voters	15,188
Voted in 2014 election	5,962
Percent turnout	39.3%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	3,818
Weekly newspapers	0
Circulation	0

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	323
Violent crime	17
Property crime	306
Arson	0

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	2
Assets (000)	\$322,839
Branch offices	8
Institutions represented	4

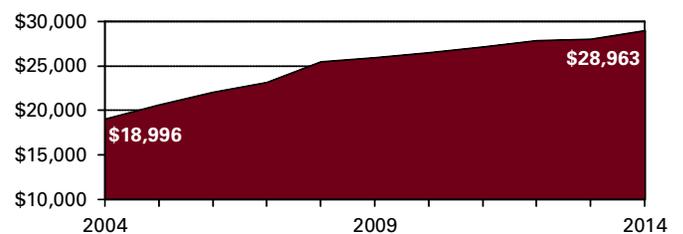
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$232,000,000
Payments to individuals	\$227,167,000
Retirement and disability	\$73,895,000
Medical payments	\$111,338,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$30,108,000
Unemployment benefits	\$2,499,000
Veterans benefits	\$5,770,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$2,308,000
Other payments to individuals	\$1,249,000
Total personal income	\$675,738,000
Dependency ratio	34.3%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

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

Areas/Facilities	10
Acreage	4,066.23

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Civilian labor force	9,800	9,500	9,400	9,200	9,100
Employed	8,500	8,400	8,300	8,400	8,300
Unemployed	1,300	1,100	1,100	800	800
Unemployment rate	13.1	11.6	11.9	9.0	8.3

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2014

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	269	2,436	\$68,460,875	\$540
Goods-Producing	59	573	\$21,735,842	\$730
Natural Resources and Mining	17	186	\$7,169,125	\$743
Constuction	30	229	\$9,620,841	\$807
Manufacturing	12	158	\$4,945,876	\$604
Service-Providing	211	1,864	\$46,725,033	\$482
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	78	670	\$16,406,401	\$471
Information	3	8	\$401,480	\$917
Financial Services	21	135	\$4,459,518	\$634
Professional and Business Services	27	140	\$3,655,231	\$502
Education and Health Services	32	471	\$15,552,090	\$635
Leisure and Hospitality	24	366	\$4,582,915	\$241
Other Services	26	73	\$1,667,398	\$437
Federal Government		64	\$3,072,397	\$917
State Government		38	\$1,556,801	\$795
Local Government		1,009	\$31,108,308	\$593

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2009

Private Sector	-6.6%	3.5%	14.1%	10.2%
Goods-Producing	-16.9%	1.4%	6.2%	4.9%
Natural Resources and Mining	-22.7%	-5.1%	-10.6%	-5.5%
Construction	-21.1%	-17.0%	-1.3%	18.5%
Manufacturing	0.0%	69.9%	83.9%	9.0%
Service-Producing	-2.8%	4.2%	18.1%	13.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-9.3%	2.4%	23.1%	20.2%
Information	50.0%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Financial Services	10.5%	-4.9%	14.3%	20.1%
Professional and Business Services	-18.2%	4.5%	-15.1%	-18.9%
Education and Health Services	6.7%	5.6%	26.4%	19.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	-11.1%	6.1%	10.6%	4.3%
Other Services	23.8%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Federal Government		-20.0%	-14.1%	7.1%
State Government		-7.3%	-11.6%	-4.3%
Local Government		0.5%	6.2%	5.7%

Business Numbers	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Business starts	17	20	13	14	27
Active businesses	284	274	273	256	263

Major & Notable Employers

Eastern Local Schools	Govt
Extendicare/Rocksprings Rehab Ctr	Serv
Gatling Ohio LLC	Mining
Meigs County Govt	Govt
Meigs Local Schools	Govt
Overbrook Rehab Center	Serv
Southern Local Schools	Govt

Residential

Construction	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total units	7	5	5	9	4
Total valuation (000)	\$660	\$431	\$578	\$1,635	\$427
Total single-unit bldgs	7	5	5	9	4
Average cost per unit	\$94,286	\$86,200	\$115,668	\$181,677	\$106,750
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0