

Ohio County Profiles

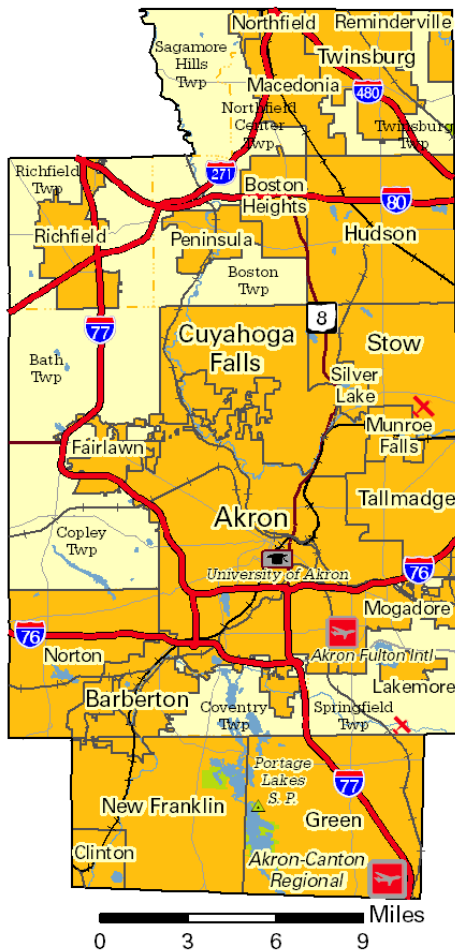


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Summit County

Established: Act - March 3, 1840
2010 Population: 541,781
Land Area: 412.8 square miles
County Seat: Akron City
Named for: Highest point along the Erie-Ohio Canal



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$12,237,460,580
Residential	\$9,324,769,970
Agriculture	\$103,447,810
Industrial	\$394,892,630
Commercial	\$2,410,912,150
Mineral	\$3,438,020
Ohio income tax liability	\$435,605,431
Average per return	\$1,725.86

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/Transportation and Urban Grasses)	46.93%
Cropland	4.81%
Pasture	1.97%
Forest	41.13%
Open Water	1.77%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	3.01%
Bare/Mines	0.38%

Largest Places

	Census 2010	Census 2000
Akron city	199,110	217,074
Cuyahoga Falls city	49,652	49,374
Stow city	34,837	32,139
Barberton city	26,550	27,899
Green city	25,699	22,817
Hudson city	22,262	22,439
Twinsburg city	18,795	17,006
Tallmadge city (pt.)	17,257	16,180
New Franklin city	14,227	2,191
Norton city (pt.)	12,081	11,512

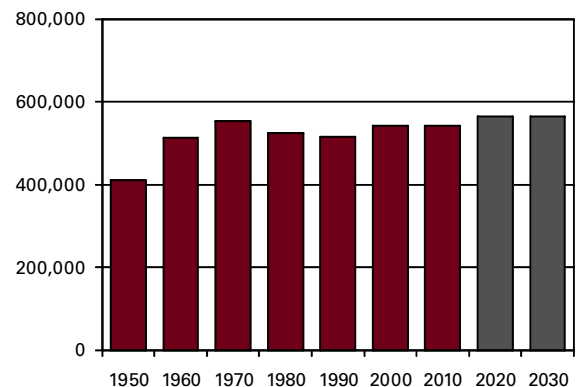
Total Population

Census

1800	1880	43,788	1950	410,032
1810	1890	54,089	1960	513,569
1820	1900	71,715	1970	553,371
1830	1910	108,253	1980	524,472
1840	22,560	286,065	1990	514,990
1850	27,485	344,131	2000	542,899
1860	27,344	339,405	2010	541,781
1870	34,674			

Projected

2020	564,810
2030	564,210



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	544,221	100.0%
White	446,934	82.1%
African-American	75,887	13.9%
Native American	903	0.2%
Asian	10,327	1.9%
Pacific Islander	80	0.0%
Other	2,820	0.5%
Two or More Races	7,270	1.3%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	6,776	1.2%
Total Minority	101,631	18.7%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	370,945	100.0%
No high school diploma	39,590	10.7%
High school graduate	122,670	33.1%
Some college, no degree	74,469	20.1%
Associate degree	27,785	7.5%
Bachelor's degree	69,781	18.8%
Master's degree or higher	36,650	9.9%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	142,445	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	59,593	41.8%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	21,053	14.8%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	6,527	4.6%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	17,918	12.6%
Male householder, in labor force	6,542	4.6%
Male householder, not in labor force	1,927	1.4%
Female householder, in labor force	20,619	14.5%
Female householder, not in labor force	8,266	5.8%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	221,765	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	18,572	8.4%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	25,177	11.4%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	24,517	11.1%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	24,697	11.1%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	22,553	10.2%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	18,657	8.4%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	23,412	10.6%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	26,567	12.0%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	23,454	10.6%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7,638	3.4%
\$200,000 or more	6,521	2.9%
Median household income	\$47,776	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	544,221	100.0%
Under 5 years	32,875	6.0%
5 to 17 years	94,534	17.4%
18 to 24 years	45,867	8.4%
25 to 44 years	145,463	26.7%
45 to 64 years	149,062	27.4%
65 years and more	76,420	14.0%
Median Age	39.1	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	142,445	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	41,910	29.4%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	3,807	2.7%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	16,741	11.8%
Families with no own children	79,987	56.2%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	142,445	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	128,894	90.5%
Family income below poverty level	13,551	9.5%
Married couple, with related children	1,869	13.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	765	5.6%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	8,162	60.2%
Families with no related children	2,755	20.3%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	536,535	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	33,834	6.3%
50% to 99% of poverty level	35,839	6.7%
100% to 149% of poverty level	42,083	7.8%
150% to 199% of poverty level	45,952	8.6%
200% of poverty level or more	378,827	70.6%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	538,403	100.0%
Same house as previous year	477,397	88.7%
Different house, same county	40,966	7.6%
Different county, same state	13,936	2.6%
Different state	4,791	0.9%
Abroad	1,313	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	252,003	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	78,231	31.0%
15 to 29 minutes	104,313	41.4%
30 to 44 minutes	42,826	17.0%
45 to 59 minutes	15,604	6.2%
60 minutes or more	11,029	4.4%

Mean travel time 22.3 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	242,563	100.0%
Occupied housing units	221,765	91.4%
Owner occupied	155,308	70.0%
Renter occupied	66,457	30.0%
Vacant housing units	20,798	8.6%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	242,563	100.0%
Built 2005 or later	3,670	1.5%
Built 2000 to 2004	13,931	5.7%
Built 1990 to 1999	26,485	10.9%
Built 1980 to 1989	19,359	8.0%
Built 1970 to 1979	31,260	12.9%
Built 1960 to 1969	31,853	13.1%
Built 1950 to 1959	41,843	17.3%
Built 1940 to 1949	21,046	8.7%
Built 1939 or earlier	53,116	21.9%

Median year built 1962

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	155,308	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	2,003	1.3%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	2,440	1.6%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	5,188	3.3%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	14,395	9.3%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	19,839	12.8%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	22,219	14.3%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	19,828	12.8%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	29,556	19.0%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	24,089	15.5%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	11,969	7.7%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	3,330	2.1%
\$1,000,000 or more	452	0.3%

Median value \$139,600

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	221,765	100.0%
Utility gas	199,458	89.9%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	1,949	0.9%
Electricity	15,526	7.0%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	2,492	1.1%
Coal, coke or wood	946	0.4%
Solar energy or other fuel	842	0.4%
No fuel used	552	0.2%

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Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	66,457	100.0%
Less than \$100	645	1.0%
\$100 to \$199	2,598	3.9%
\$200 to \$299	2,519	3.8%
\$300 to \$399	2,660	4.0%
\$400 to \$499	4,735	7.1%
\$500 to \$599	8,480	12.8%
\$600 to \$699	8,701	13.1%
\$700 to \$799	8,500	12.8%
\$800 to \$899	9,071	13.6%
\$900 to \$999	5,929	8.9%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	8,056	12.1%
\$1,500 or more	1,392	2.1%
No cash rent	3,171	4.8%

Median gross rent \$715

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 30.1

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	109,565	100.0%
Less than \$400	1,089	1.0%
\$400 to \$599	3,834	3.5%
\$600 to \$799	9,204	8.4%
\$800 to \$999	15,025	13.7%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	21,849	19.9%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	18,724	17.1%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	21,130	19.3%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	14,274	13.0%
\$3,000 or more	4,436	4.0%

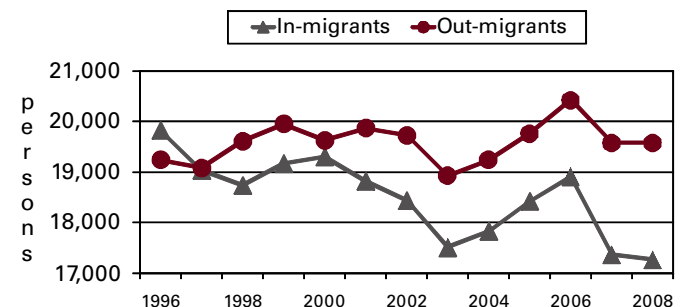
Median monthly owners cost \$1,300

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 23.9

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	6,279	59.1
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	649	35.6
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	5,251	966.2
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	3,116	5.7
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	1,821	3.3

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	15,000
Number of farms	320
Average size (acres)	47
Total cash receipts	\$13,234,000
Per farm	\$41,355

Education

Public schools	162
Students (Average Daily Membership)	78,268
Expenditures per student	\$10,886
Student-teacher ratio	18.3
Graduation rate	78.9
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	5,210.6
Non-public schools	42
Students	11,630
4-year public universities	1
Branches	0
2-year public colleges	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	7 / 20

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	509,597
Passenger cars	379,965
Noncommercial trucks	49,580
Total license revenue	\$12,659,316.99
Interstate highway miles	90.34
Turnpike miles	13.61
U.S. highway miles	5.85
State highway miles	184.77
County, township, and municipal road miles	2,768.01
Commercial airports	4

Voting

Number of precincts	475
Number of registered voters	371,028
Voted in 2010 election	197,000
Percent turnout	53.1%

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	1,707
Registered hospitals	6
Number of beds	2,434
Licensed nursing homes	41
Number of beds	3,938
Licensed residential care	33
Number of beds	2,644
Adults with employer-based insurance	64.7%
Children with employer-based insurance	65.4%

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	8
Acreage	2,674.93

Communications

Television stations	2
Radio stations	6
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	122,388

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	20,548
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Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	5
Assets (000)	\$15,288,878
Branch offices	164
Institutions represented	18

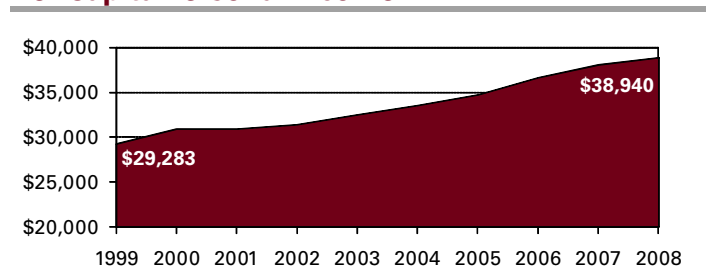
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$3,720,043,000
Payments to individuals	\$3,628,385,000
Retirement and disability	\$1,362,710,000
Medical payments	\$1,627,556,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$329,552,000
Unemployment benefits	\$84,950,000
Veterans benefits	\$57,991,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$116,244,000
Other payments to individuals	\$49,382,000
Total personal income	\$21,156,926,000
Dependency ratio	17.6%

Federal Expenditures

Direct expenditures or obligations	\$3,700,695,036
Retirement and disability	\$1,440,424,862
Other direct payments	\$1,135,344,608
Grant awards	\$673,951,115
Highway planning and construction	\$70,257,989
Temporary assistance to needy families	\$34,810,920
Medical assistance program	\$369,212,611
Procurement contract awards	\$288,402,861
Dept. of Defense	\$222,422,970
Salary and wages	\$162,571,590
Dept. of Defense	\$6,956,000
Other federal assistance	\$593,876,381
Direct loans	\$41,194,026
Guaranteed loans	\$363,212,709
Insurance	\$189,469,646

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Civilian labor force	290,200	294,300	296,600	298,600	296,600
Employed	273,600	279,000	280,700	280,400	267,500
Unemployed	16,600	15,400	15,900	18,300	29,100
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.2	5.4	6.1	9.8

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2008

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	14,577	241,364	\$9,848,192,544	\$785
Goods-Producing	2,291	44,066	\$2,207,058,805	\$963
Natural Resources and Mining	28	225	\$10,729,448	\$918
Constuction	1,262	10,494	\$480,826,209	\$881
Manufacturing	1,001	33,347	\$1,715,503,148	\$989
Service-Providing	12,286	197,299	\$7,641,133,739	\$745
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	3,459	56,025	\$2,103,846,048	\$722
Information	217	3,998	\$206,932,753	\$995
Financial Services	1,404	11,797	\$583,888,323	\$952
Professional and Business Services	2,801	48,008	\$2,506,302,325	\$1,004
Education and Health Services	1,662	43,880	\$1,714,726,882	\$751
Leisure and Hospitality	1,386	25,044	\$325,979,666	\$250
Other Services	1,309	8,483	\$197,863,469	\$449
Federal Government		1,987	\$117,365,577	\$1,136
State Government		4,919	\$253,755,284	\$992
Local Government		24,291	\$993,384,833	\$786

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2003

Private Sector	1.7%	5.2%	20.7%	14.8%
Goods-Producing	-8.3%	-9.9%	0.1%	11.1%
Natural Resources and Mining	-26.3%	-32.8%	-12.5%	30.4%
Construction	-8.3%	-4.4%	15.9%	21.2%
Manufacturing	-7.8%	-11.3%	-3.5%	8.8%
Service-Producing	3.9%	9.3%	28.3%	17.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-0.8%	2.1%	14.8%	12.5%
Information	-2.7%	-18.9%	-9.5%	11.5%
Financial Services	1.2%	-7.0%	12.0%	20.4%
Professional and Business Services	6.3%	29.2%	55.6%	20.4%
Education and Health Services	9.5%	16.6%	32.6%	13.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	12.4%	1.7%	12.9%	11.1%
Other Services	1.5%	-0.1%	11.2%	11.4%
Federal Government		-29.5%	-5.7%	33.8%
State Government		16.4%	27.8%	9.9%
Local Government		0.7%	11.0%	10.1%

Business Numbers

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Business starts	1,087	1,103	1,294	1,260	1,055
Active businesses	12,037	12,051	12,119	11,472	11,247

Major Employers

Akron City Schools	Govt
Akron General Health System	Serv
Children's Hospital Medical Center	Serv
Diebold Inc	Mfg
FirstEnergy Corp	Utility
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co	Mfg
Jo-Ann Stores Inc	Trade
McDermott Int'l/Babcock & Wilcox	Mfg
Signet Group plc/Sterling Inc	Trade
Summa Health System	Serv
University of Akron	Govt

Residential

Construction

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total units	1,968	1,628	1,089	731	559
Total valuation (000)	\$350,233	\$275,253	\$199,890	\$127,580	\$82,651
Total single-unit bldgs	1,685	1,229	906	593	488
Average cost per unit	\$199,914	\$209,434	\$212,269	\$206,698	\$162,673
Total multi-unit bldg units	283	399	183	138	71
Average cost per unit	\$47,271	\$44,757	\$41,389	\$36,294	\$46,001