

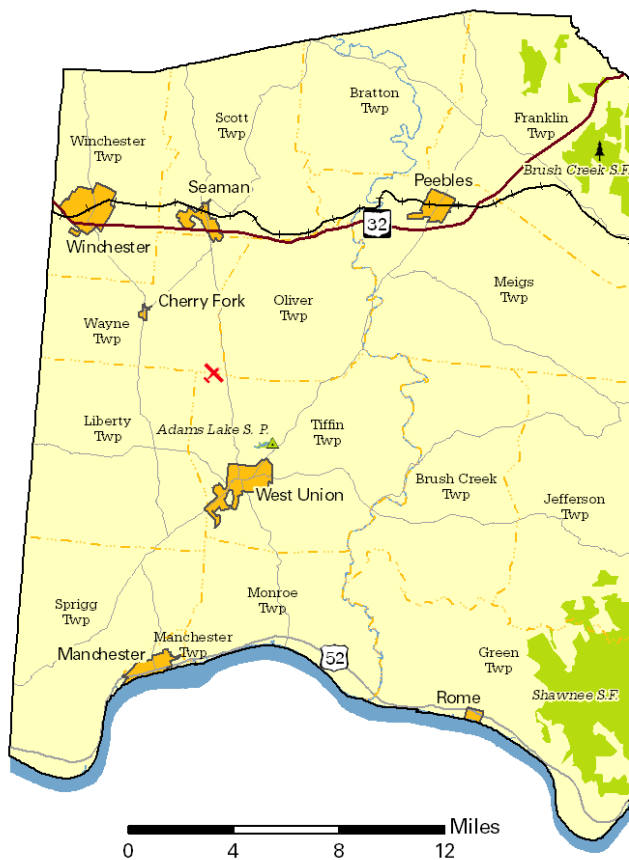
# Ohio County Profiles



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## Adams County

**Established:** Proclamation - July 10, 1797  
**2014 Population:** 28,129  
**Land Area:** 584.0 square miles  
**County Seat:** West Union Village  
**Named for:** John Adams, Second U.S. President



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$424,140,690
Residential	\$201,499,990
Agriculture	\$125,319,680
Industrial	\$63,410,720
Commercial	\$33,910,300
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$10,668,506
Average per return	\$997.24

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/Transportation and Urban Grasses)	0.81%
Cropland	27.81%
Pasture	7.39%
Forest	63.18%
Open Water	0.55%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	0.00%
Bare/Mines	0.26%

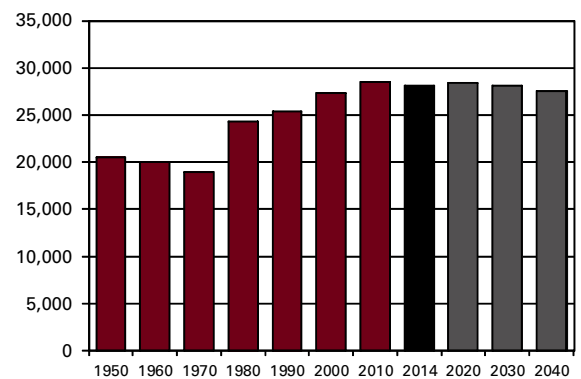
### Largest Places

	Est. 2014	Census 2010
West Union vlg	3,196	3,241
Tiffin twp UB	2,283	2,319
Meigs twp UB	2,090	2,114
Manchester vlg	1,984	2,023
Liberty twp UB	1,931	1,965
Sprigg twp UB	1,833	1,864
Peebles vlg	1,770	1,791
Bratton twp	1,434	1,461
Oliver twp	1,308	1,322
Scott twp UB	1,232	1,245

UB: Unincorporated balance.

### Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800	3,432	1910	24,755
1810	9,434	1920	22,403
1820	10,406	1930	20,381
1830	12,281	1940	21,705
1840	13,183	1950	20,499
1850	18,883	1960	19,982
1860	20,309	1970	18,957
1870	20,750	1980	24,328
1880	24,005	1990	25,371
1890	26,093	2000	27,330
1900	26,328	2010	28,550
		2011	28,523
		2012	28,366
		2013	28,126
		2014	28,129
		Projected	
		2020	28,380
		2030	28,100
		2040	27,520



## Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	28,406	100.0%
White	27,746	97.7%
African-American	87	0.3%
Native American	47	0.2%
Asian	9	0.0%
Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
Other	25	0.1%
Two or More Races	492	1.7%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	246	0.9%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>3.0%</b>

## Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	19,141	100.0%
No high school diploma	4,457	23.3%
High school graduate	8,438	44.1%
Some college, no degree	3,032	15.8%
Associate degree	1,189	6.2%
Bachelor's degree	1,052	5.5%
Master's degree or higher	973	5.1%

## Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,729	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	2,606	33.7%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,221	15.8%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	589	7.6%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	1,463	18.9%
Male householder, in labor force	312	4.0%
Male householder, not in labor force	201	2.6%
Female householder, in labor force	784	10.1%
Female householder, not in labor force	553	7.2%

## Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	10,816	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,433	13.2%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,861	17.2%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,391	12.9%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,269	11.7%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,024	9.5%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	805	7.4%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	971	9.0%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	966	8.9%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	901	8.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	157	1.5%
\$200,000 or more	38	0.4%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$35,678</b>	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	28,406	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,865	6.6%
5 to 17 years	5,205	18.3%
18 to 24 years	2,195	7.7%
25 to 44 years	6,896	24.3%
45 to 64 years	7,857	27.7%
65 years and more	4,388	15.4%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>40.4</b>	

## Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,729	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	2,255	29.2%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	293	3.8%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	860	11.1%
Families with no own children	4,321	55.9%

## Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children

	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,729	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	6,353	82.2%
Family income below poverty level	1,376	17.8%
Married couple, with related children	381	27.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	119	8.6%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	471	34.2%
Families with no related children	405	29.4%

## Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	28,026	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	2,851	10.2%
50% to 99% of poverty level	3,521	12.6%
100% to 124% of poverty level	2,180	7.8%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,816	6.5%
150% to 184% of poverty level	1,905	6.8%
185% to 199% of poverty level	1,413	5.0%
200% of poverty level or more	14,340	51.2%

## Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	28,129	100.0%
Same house as previous year	24,827	88.3%
Different house, same county	2,319	8.2%
Different county, same state	691	2.5%
Different state	270	1.0%
Abroad	22	0.1%

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	9,482	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	2,391	25.2%
15 to 29 minutes	3,024	31.9%
30 to 44 minutes	1,567	16.5%
45 to 59 minutes	729	7.7%
60 minutes or more	1,771	18.7%

Mean travel time **32.3 minutes**

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	12,867	100.0%
Occupied housing units	10,816	84.1%
Owner occupied	7,914	73.2%
Renter occupied	2,902	26.8%
Vacant housing units	2,051	15.9%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	12,867	100.0%
Built 2010 or later	46	0.4%
Built 2000 to 2009	1,336	10.4%
Built 1990 to 1999	2,691	20.9%
Built 1980 to 1989	2,007	15.6%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,254	17.5%
Built 1960 to 1969	962	7.5%
Built 1950 to 1959	963	7.5%
Built 1940 to 1949	487	3.8%
Built 1939 or earlier	2,121	16.5%

Median year built **1978**

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	7,914	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	821	10.4%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	637	8.0%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	875	11.1%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	945	11.9%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,001	12.6%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	957	12.1%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	675	8.5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	906	11.4%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	619	7.8%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	328	4.1%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	116	1.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	34	0.4%

Median value **\$92,900**

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	10,816	100.0%
Utility gas	1,077	10.0%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,360	21.8%
Electricity	5,501	50.9%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	754	7.0%
Coal, coke or wood	995	9.2%
Solar energy or other fuel	67	0.6%
No fuel used	62	0.6%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	2,902	100.0%
Less than \$100	6	0.2%
\$100 to \$199	116	4.0%
\$200 to \$299	281	9.7%
\$300 to \$399	270	9.3%
\$400 to \$499	355	12.2%
\$500 to \$599	562	19.4%
\$600 to \$699	208	7.2%
\$700 to \$799	230	7.9%
\$800 to \$899	254	8.8%
\$900 to \$999	115	4.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	94	3.2%
\$1,500 or more	10	0.3%
No cash rent	401	13.8%

Median gross rent **\$531**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **32.9**

## Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	4,444	100.0%
Less than \$400	65	1.5%
\$400 to \$599	439	9.9%
\$600 to \$799	910	20.5%
\$800 to \$999	917	20.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	801	18.0%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	648	14.6%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	391	8.8%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	260	5.9%
\$3,000 or more	13	0.3%

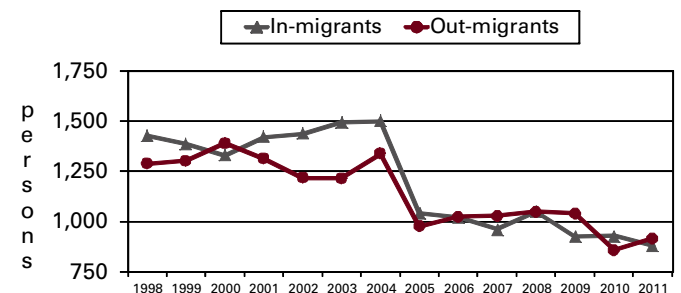
Median monthly owners cost **\$979**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **24.0**

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	339	66.2
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	33	36.7
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	314	1,107.0
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	177	6.3
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	131	4.7

## Migration



**Agriculture**

Land in farms (acres)	172,408
Number of farms	1,351
Average size (acres)	128
Total cash receipts	\$38,906,000
Per farm	\$28,798
Receipts for crops	\$26,693,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$12,213,000

**Education**

Public schools buildings	9
Students (Average Daily Membership)	4,700
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	323.6
Expenditures per student	\$8,919
Graduation rate	91.0
Non-public schools	1
Students	131
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	0
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	1 / 4

**Transportation**

Registered motor vehicles	34,142
Passenger cars	18,591
Noncommercial trucks	8,251
Total license revenue	\$910,213.48
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	29.26
State highway miles	186.00
County, township, and municipal road miles	828.26
Commercial airports	1

**Health Care**

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	19
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	25
Licensed nursing homes	3
Number of beds	224
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	42
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	84.9%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	81.4%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	93.4%

**Voting**

Number of registered voters	17,538
Voted in 2014 election	6,243
Percent turnout	35.6%

**Communications**

Television stations	0
Radio stations	1
Daily newspapers	0
Circulation	0
Weekly newspapers	1
Circulation	6,700

**Crime**

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	493
Violent crime	15
Property crime	476
Arson	2

**Finance**

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	3
Assets (000)	\$427,237
Branch offices	12
Institutions represented	5

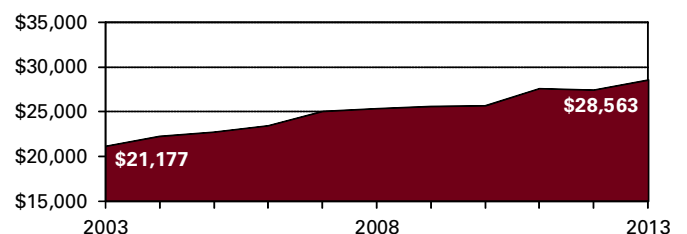
**Transfer Payments**

Total transfer payments	\$280,323,000
Payments to individuals	\$274,431,000
Retirement and disability	\$82,192,000
Medical payments	\$138,502,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$37,828,000
Unemployment benefits	\$5,494,000
Veterans benefits	\$7,647,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$2,592,000
Other payments to individuals	\$176,000
Total personal income	\$802,759,000
Dependency ratio	34.9%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

**State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, And Wildlife Areas**

Areas/Facilities	10
Acreage	21,431.50

**Per Capita Personal Income**



## Civilian Labor Force

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Civilian labor force	11,900	11,500	10,800	10,700	10,500
Employed	10,000	9,900	9,400	9,400	9,500
Unemployed	1,900	1,700	1,400	1,400	1,000
Unemployment rate	15.9	14.4	12.6	12.7	9.1

## Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2013

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	427	3,985	\$136,186,613	\$657
Goods-Producing	76	823	\$48,367,773	\$1,130
Natural Resources and Mining	7	57	\$2,069,819	\$700
Constuction	40	138	\$5,401,302	\$755
Manufacturing	29	629	\$40,896,652	\$1,251
Service-Providing	351	3,162	\$87,818,840	\$534
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	118	1,270	\$42,516,019	\$644
Information	8	35	\$1,687,960	\$932
Financial Services	38	180	\$6,169,438	\$659
Professional and Business Services	44	131	\$5,742,648	\$841
Education and Health Services	55	839	\$21,065,395	\$483
Leisure and Hospitality	44	595	\$8,119,473	\$262
Other Services	45	111	\$2,517,907	\$435
Federal Government		68	\$2,819,576	\$794
State Government		37	\$1,449,732	\$757
Local Government		1,405	\$46,786,427	\$640

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2008

Private Sector	-3.6%	-16.5%	-1.5%	18.0%
Goods-Producing	-26.9%	-33.9%	-11.3%	34.2%
Natural Resources and Mining	-41.7%	-18.6%	-0.1%	23.0%
Construction	-29.8%	-57.7%	-63.1%	-12.6%
Manufacturing	-17.1%	-26.0%	8.1%	46.0%
Service-Producing	3.2%	-10.3%	4.9%	17.1%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	2.6%	-19.7%	-2.7%	21.3%
Information	14.3%	-2.8%	27.7%	31.5%
Financial Services	2.7%	-10.0%	10.0%	21.8%
Professional and Business Services	2.3%	-20.6%	66.4%	108.7%
Education and Health Services	1.9%	3.1%	6.6%	3.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	2.3%	-5.3%	3.9%	9.6%
Other Services	9.8%	8.8%	23.2%	13.3%
Federal Government		-10.5%	-0.1%	10.7%
State Government		-22.9%	-27.5%	-5.7%
Local Government		-9.6%	-4.1%	6.1%

## Business Numbers

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Business starts	28	37	57	51	33
Active businesses	648	629	629	641	620

## Major Employers

Adams County Government	Serv
Adams County Reg. Med. Center	Serv
Adams Co/Ohio Valley Local Schools	Govt
AES Corp/Dayton Power & Light	Utility
Eagle Creek Nursing Center	Serv
General Electric Co	R&D
Maca Plastics Inc	Mfg
Wal-Mart Stores Inc	Trade

## Residential

### Construction

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Total units	0	0	0	0	2
Total valuation (000)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$224
Total single-unit bldgs	0	0	0	0	2
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$112,000
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0