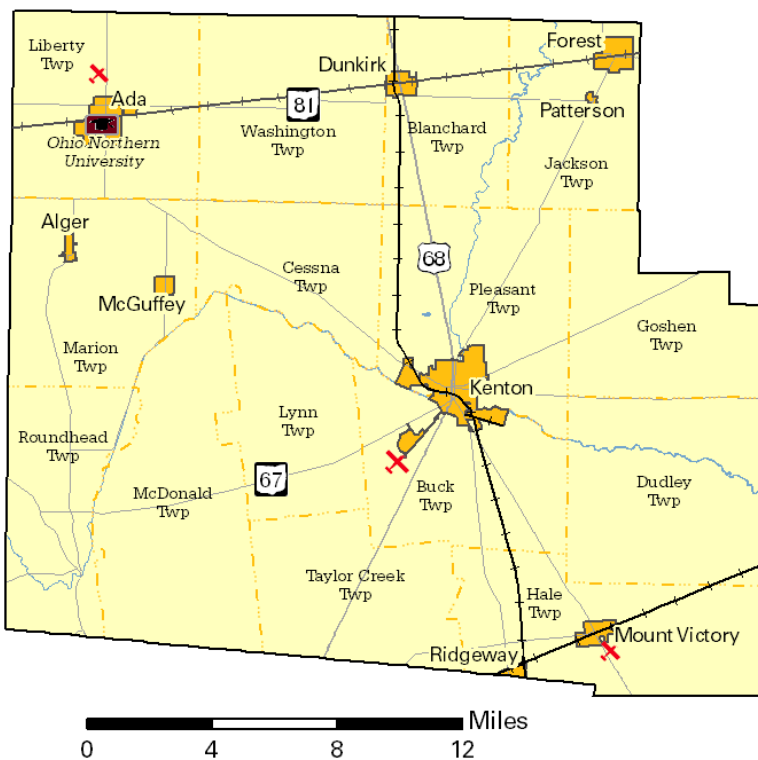


# Ohio County Profiles

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## Hardin County

**Established:** Act - April 1, 1820  
**2010 Population:** 32,058  
**Land Area:** 470.3 square miles  
**County Seat:** Kenton City  
**Named for:** Colonel John Hardin Revolutionary War



### Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$435,384,060
Residential	\$272,984,590
Agriculture	\$104,877,590
Industrial	\$18,850,000
Commercial	\$38,671,880
Mineral	\$0
Ohio income tax liability	\$13,039,048
Average per return	\$993.83

### Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Urban (Residential/Commercial/Industrial/Transportation and Urban Grasses)	4.32%
Cropland	80.00%
Pasture	6.92%
Forest	6.89%
Open Water	0.26%
Wetlands (Wooded/Herbaceous)	1.59%
Bare/Mines	0.02%

### Largest Places

	Census 2010	Census 2000
Kenton city	8,262	8,336
Ada village	5,952	5,582
Forest village (pt.)	1,461	1,488
Dunkirk village	875	952
Alger village	860	888
Mount Victory village	627	600
McGuffey village	501	522
Ridgeway village (pt.)	226	254
Patterson village	139	138

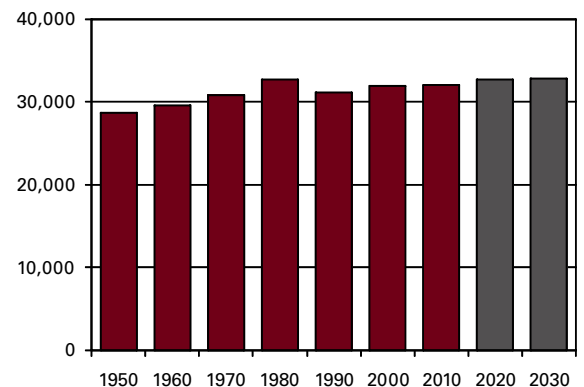
### Total Population

#### Census

1800	1880	27,023	1950	28,673
1810	1890	28,939	1960	29,633
1820	1900	31,187	1970	30,813
1830	1910	30,407	1980	32,719
1840	1920	29,167	1990	31,111
1850	1930	27,635	2000	31,945
1860	1940	27,061	2010	32,058
1870	18,714			

#### Projected

2020	32,720
2030	32,830



## Population by Race

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	31,739	100.0%
White	30,763	96.9%
African-American	219	0.7%
Native American	96	0.3%
Asian	164	0.5%
Pacific Islander	56	0.2%
Other	71	0.2%
Two or More Races	370	1.2%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	321	1.0%
<b>Total Minority</b>	<b>1,176</b>	<b>3.7%</b>

## Educational Attainment

	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	19,945	100.0%
No high school diploma	2,689	13.5%
High school graduate	10,277	51.5%
Some college, no degree	2,792	14.0%
Associate degree	1,236	6.2%
Bachelor's degree	1,692	8.5%
Master's degree or higher	1,259	6.3%

## Family Type by Employment Status

	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,829	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	3,202	40.9%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	1,341	17.1%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	507	6.5%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	987	12.6%
Male householder, in labor force	554	7.1%
Male householder, not in labor force	63	0.8%
Female householder, in labor force	807	10.3%
Female householder, not in labor force	368	4.7%

## Household Income

	Number	Percent
Total Households	11,941	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,472	12.3%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,485	12.4%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,547	13.0%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,331	11.1%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,153	9.7%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,110	9.3%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	1,464	12.3%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,262	10.6%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	897	7.5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	90	0.8%
\$200,000 or more	130	1.1%
<b>Median household income</b>	<b>\$41,423</b>	

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Population by Age

	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	31,739	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,949	6.1%
5 to 17 years	5,149	16.2%
18 to 24 years	4,696	14.8%
25 to 44 years	8,333	26.3%
45 to 64 years	7,513	23.7%
65 years and more	4,099	12.9%
<b>Median Age</b>	<b>34.2</b>	

## Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18

	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,829	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	2,484	31.7%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	324	4.1%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	805	10.3%
Families with no own children	4,216	53.9%

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

	Number	Percent
Total Families	7,829	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	7,130	91.1%
Family income below poverty level	699	8.9%
Married couple, with related children	202	28.9%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	77	11.0%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	319	45.6%
Families with no related children	101	14.4%

## Ratio of Income To Poverty Level

	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	29,397	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	2,370	8.1%
50% to 99% of poverty level	2,178	7.4%
100% to 149% of poverty level	2,804	9.5%
150% to 199% of poverty level	3,149	10.7%
200% of poverty level or more	18,896	64.3%

## Geographical Mobility

	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	31,229	100.0%
Same house as previous year	26,225	84.0%
Different house, same county	2,552	8.2%
Different county, same state	1,979	6.3%
Different state	425	1.4%
Abroad	48	0.2%

## Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	12,953	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	4,909	37.9%
15 to 29 minutes	3,596	27.8%
30 to 44 minutes	2,785	21.5%
45 to 59 minutes	1,042	8.0%
60 minutes or more	621	4.8%

Mean travel time **23.4 minutes**

## Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,184	100.0%
Occupied housing units	11,941	90.6%
Owner occupied	8,420	70.5%
Renter occupied	3,521	29.5%
Vacant housing units	1,243	9.4%

## Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	13,184	100.0%
Built 2005 or later	189	1.4%
Built 2000 to 2004	791	6.0%
Built 1990 to 1999	1,335	10.1%
Built 1980 to 1989	889	6.7%
Built 1970 to 1979	1,642	12.5%
Built 1960 to 1969	1,389	10.5%
Built 1950 to 1959	1,381	10.5%
Built 1940 to 1949	1,012	7.7%
Built 1939 or earlier	4,556	34.6%

Median year built **1957**

## Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	8,420	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	399	4.7%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	407	4.8%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	693	8.2%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,231	14.6%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,301	15.5%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	1,370	16.3%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	865	10.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,175	14.0%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	532	6.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	284	3.4%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	79	0.9%
\$1,000,000 or more	84	1.0%

Median value **\$103,300**

## House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	11,941	100.0%
Utility gas	5,558	46.5%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,517	21.1%
Electricity	2,927	24.5%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	225	1.9%
Coal, coke or wood	608	5.1%
Solar energy or other fuel	79	0.7%
No fuel used	27	0.2%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

## Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	3,521	100.0%
Less than \$100	3	0.1%
\$100 to \$199	177	5.0%
\$200 to \$299	213	6.0%
\$300 to \$399	288	8.2%
\$400 to \$499	549	15.6%
\$500 to \$599	576	16.4%
\$600 to \$699	501	14.2%
\$700 to \$799	250	7.1%
\$800 to \$899	362	10.3%
\$900 to \$999	112	3.2%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	172	4.9%
\$1,500 or more	12	0.3%
No cash rent	306	8.7%

Median gross rent **\$556**

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income **30.4**

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

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	5,280	100.0%
Less than \$400	83	1.6%
\$400 to \$599	511	9.7%
\$600 to \$799	756	14.3%
\$800 to \$999	919	17.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,278	24.2%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	858	16.3%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	524	9.9%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	239	4.5%
\$3,000 or more	112	2.1%

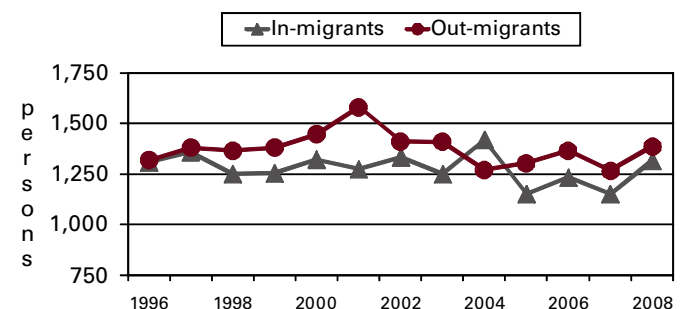
Median monthly owners cost **\$1,073**

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income **22.5**

## Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	403	56.8
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	51	34.0
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	297	938.4
Marriages / rate per 1,000 population	209	6.5
Divorces / rate per 1,000 population	114	3.6

## Migration



## Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	259,000
Number of farms	850
Average size (acres)	305
Total cash receipts	\$190,077,000
Per farm	\$226,282

## Education

Public schools	22
Students (Average Daily Membership)	5,647
Expenditures per student	\$9,041
Student-teacher ratio	16.0
Graduation rate	91.1
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	393.0
Non-public schools	0
Students	0
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges	0
Private universities and colleges	1
Public libraries (Main / Branches)	6 / 1

## Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	34,102
Passenger cars	19,713
Noncommercial trucks	6,884
Total license revenue	\$940,084.38
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	21.80
State highway miles	154.19
County, township, and municipal road miles	822.84
Commercial airports	3

## Voting

Number of precincts	32
Number of registered voters	18,224
Voted in 2010 election	9,177
Percent turnout	50.4%

## Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	11
Registered hospitals	1
Number of beds	25
Licensed nursing homes	3
Number of beds	268
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	41
Adults with employer-based insurance	59.6%
Children with employer-based insurance	65.2%

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

Areas/Facilities	2
Acreage	1,058.93

## Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	1
Circulation	7,200

## Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	1,056
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## Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	4
Assets (000)	\$369,999
Branch offices	12
Institutions represented	8

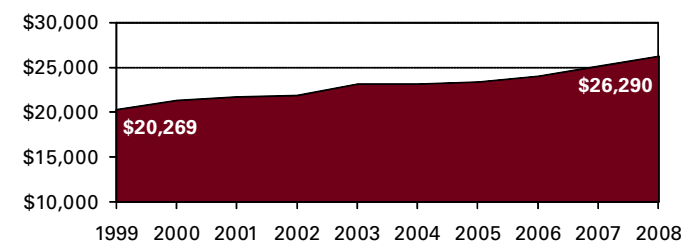
## Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$184,232,000
Payments to individuals	\$178,834,000
Retirement and disability	\$73,340,000
Medical payments	\$75,668,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$13,634,000
Unemployment benefits	\$3,938,000
Veterans benefits	\$2,979,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$6,584,000
Other payments to individuals	\$2,691,000
Total personal income	\$836,135,000
Dependency ratio	22.0%

## Federal Expenditures

Direct expenditures or obligations	\$154,455,269
Retirement and disability	\$49,180,574
Other direct payments	\$65,160,910
Grant awards	\$25,296,088
Highway planning and construction	\$367,584
Temporary assistance to needy families	\$2,048,328
Medical assistance program	\$15,011,161
Procurement contract awards	\$8,581,041
Dept. of Defense	\$7,120,078
Salary and wages	\$6,236,656
Dept. of Defense	\$4,000
Other federal assistance	\$107,795,389
Direct loans	\$215,000
Guaranteed loans	\$20,198,417
Insurance	\$87,381,972

## Per Capita Personal Income



## Civilian Labor Force

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Civilian labor force	16,200	15,900	15,800	15,000	15,300
Employed	15,300	15,000	14,800	14,000	13,400
Unemployed	900	900	900	1,100	1,800
Unemployment rate	5.8	5.5	5.9	7.1	12.0

## Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2008

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	464	6,648	\$215,636,782	\$624
Goods-Producing	84	2,368	\$97,179,687	\$789
Natural Resources and Mining	13	135	\$3,873,504	\$553
Constuction	35	130	\$3,682,213	\$547
Manufacturing	37	2,104	\$89,623,970	\$819
Service-Providing	380	4,280	\$118,457,095	\$532
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	128	1,338	\$37,862,193	\$544
Information	13	87	\$2,206,415	\$485
Financial Services	45	265	\$8,005,234	\$581
Professional and Business Services	40	187	\$4,314,348	\$444
Education and Health Services	37	1,260	\$50,957,803	\$778
Leisure and Hospitality	63	916	\$11,621,273	\$244
Other Services	55	226	\$3,480,981	\$297
Federal Government		81	\$3,319,244	\$790
State Government		37	\$1,676,695	\$871
Local Government		1,489	\$44,425,413	\$574

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

## Change Since 2003

Private Sector	-4.3%	-0.3%	17.0%	17.3%
Goods-Producing	-14.3%	-1.9%	11.1%	13.2%
Natural Resources and Mining	160.0%	542.9%	780.2%	35.5%
Construction	-30.0%	-29.0%	-15.0%	20.2%
Manufacturing	-11.9%	-4.8%	8.3%	13.8%
Service-Producing	-1.8%	0.6%	22.3%	21.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	-3.8%	6.2%	22.9%	15.7%
Information	44.4%	-6.5%	-5.6%	0.4%
Financial Services	4.7%	12.8%	41.6%	25.2%
Professional and Business Services	-9.1%	-9.2%	5.4%	15.9%
Education and Health Services	-9.8%	-5.1%	18.9%	25.3%
Leisure and Hospitality	18.9%	5.9%	57.0%	47.9%
Other Services	-15.4%	-14.1%	-3.9%	12.1%
Federal Government		-6.9%	6.9%	15.0%
State Government		2.8%	18.7%	16.0%
Local Government		-10.1%	4.2%	16.0%

## Business Numbers

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Business starts	47	26	39	22	25
Active businesses	527	525	508	466	462

## Major Employers

Ada Technologies	Mfg
Amer Grp plc/Wilson Sporting Goods	Mfg
Hardin County Government	Govt
Hardin Memorial Hospital	Serv
International Paper Co	Mfg
Kenton City Schools	Govt
Ohio Northern University	Serv
Reliance Steel&Alum/Precision Strip Inc	Mfg
Sumitomo Chemical/Durez Corp	Mfg
Triumph Group Inc	Mfg

## Residential

### Construction

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total units	39	67	36	21	23
Total valuation (000)	\$4,598	\$9,526	\$5,130	\$2,338	\$3,095
Total single-unit bldgs	39	67	34	16	23
Average cost per unit	\$117,894	\$142,178	\$144,276	\$128,926	\$134,546
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	2	5	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$112,500	\$55,000	\$0