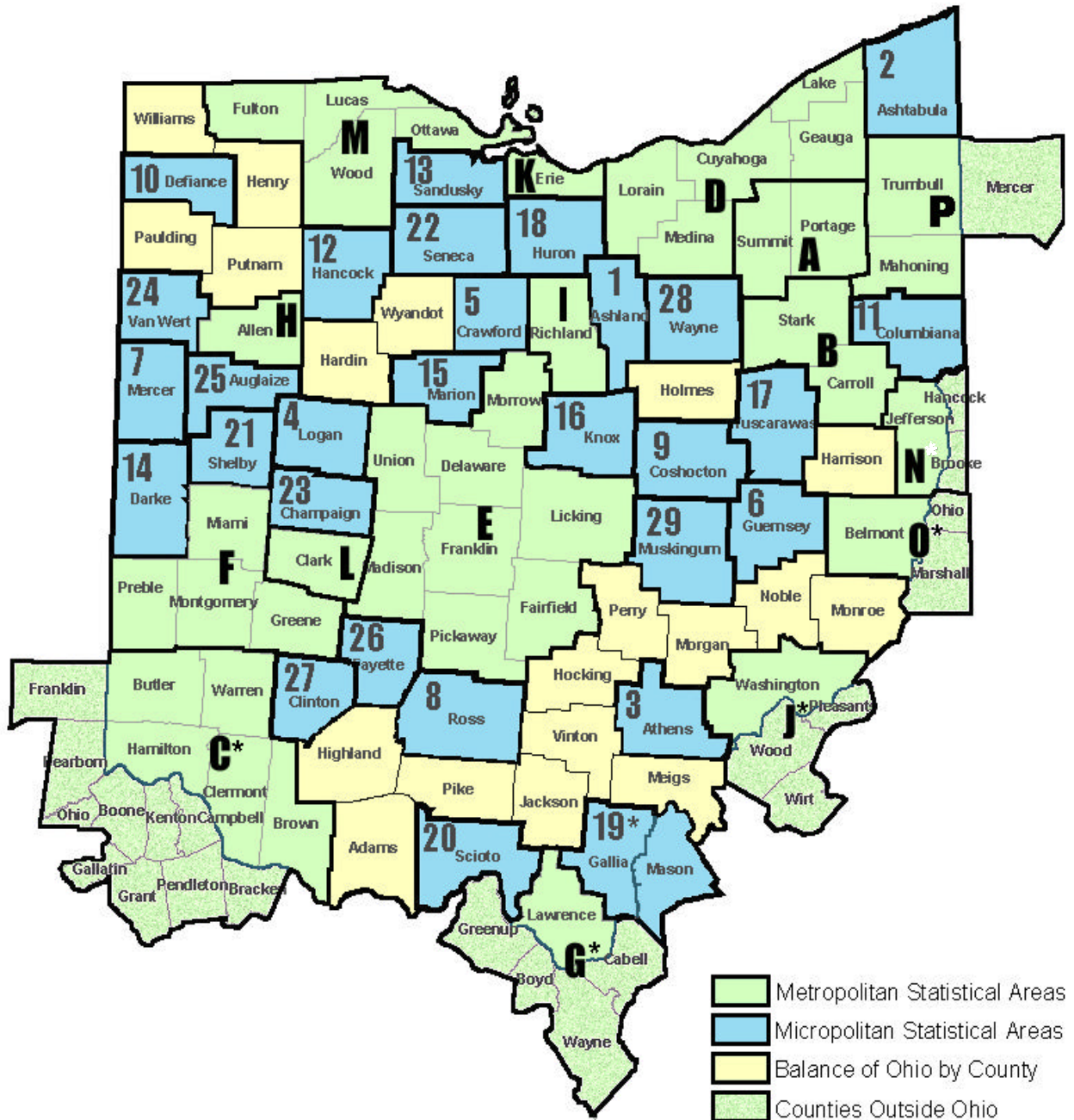


Metropolitan & Micropolitan Statistical Area Definitions in Ohio Based on 2000 Census Designations**



*Statistical Areas in other states that include Ohio counties

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Metropolitan & Micropolitan Statistical Area Definitions are excerpted from the Office of Management and Budget's *Federal Register* Notice (65 FR 82228 - 82238).

The Local Area Unemployment Statistics and Current Employment Statistics Programs will begin using the new definitions with the release of January 2005 data.

- **Metropolitan Statistical Areas** have at least one urbanized area with a population of 50,000 or more, plus adjacent territory that has a high degree of social and economic integration with the core as measured by commuting ties.
- **Micropolitan Statistical Areas** – a new set of statistical areas – have at least one urban cluster with a population of at least 10,000, but less than 50,000, plus adjacent territory that has a high degree of social and economic integration with the core as measured by commuting ties.

For further information on the Office of Management and Budget's 2000 Standards for Defining Metropolitan and Micropolitan Statistical Areas, please visit the Office of Management and Budget website at <http://www.census.gov/population/www/estimates/metrodef.html>.

Metropolitan Statistical Areas (with changes from 1990 in bold)

- A Akron, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Portage County; Summit County.
- B Canton-Massillon, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Carroll County; Stark County.
- C Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN Metropolitan Statistical Area
Brown County, OH; **Butler County, OH (added)**; Clermont County, OH; Hamilton County, OH; Warren County, OH; Dearborn County, IN; **Franklin County, IN (added)**; Ohio County, IN; Boone County, KY; **Bracken County, KY (added)**; Campbell County, KY; Gallatin County, KY; Grant County, KY; Kenton County, KY; Pendleton County, KY.
- D Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Cuyahoga County; Geauga County; Lake County; Lorain County; Medina County.
[Ashtabula County was dropped.]
- E Columbus, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Delaware County; Fairfield County; Franklin County; Licking County; Madison County;
Morrow County (added); Pickaway County; **Union County (added)**.
- F Dayton, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Greene County; Miami County; Montgomery County; **Preble County (added)**. **[Clark County was dropped.]**
- G* Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Cabell County, WV; Wayne County, WV; Boyd County, KY; Greenup County, KY;
Lawrence County, OH. **[Carter County, KY was dropped.]**
- H Lima, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Allen County. **[Auglaize County was dropped.]**
- I Mansfield, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Richland County. **[Crawford County was dropped.]**
- J* Parkersburg-Marietta, WV-OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Pleasants County and Wirt County, WV (added); Wood County, WV; Washington County, OH.
- K Sandusky, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area **(New MSA)**
Erie County.
- L Springfield, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area **(New MSA)**
Clark County.
- M Toledo, OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Fulton County; Lucas County; **Ottawa County (added)**; Wood County.
- N Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Jefferson County, OH; Brooke County, WV; Hancock County, WV.
- O* Wheeling, WV-OH Metropolitan Statistical Area
Marshall County, WV; Ohio County, WV; Belmont County, OH.
- P Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH -PA Metropolitan Statistical Area
Mahoning County, OH; Trumbull County, OH; **Mercer County, PA (added)**. **[Columbiana County was dropped.]**

Micropolitan Statistical Areas

- 1 Ashland, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Ashland County
- 2 Ashtabula, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Ashtabula County
- 3 Athens, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Athens County
- 4 Bellefontaine, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Logan County
- 5 Bucyrus, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Crawford County
- 6 Cambridge, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Guernsey County
- 7 Celina, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Mercer County
- 8 Chillicothe, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Ross County
- 9 Coshocton, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Coshocton County
- 10 Defiance, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Defiance County
- 11 East Liverpool-Salem, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Columbiana County
- 12 Findlay, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Hancock County
- 13 Fremont, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Sandusky County
- 14 Greenville, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Darke County
- 15 Marion, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Marion County
- 16 Mount Vernon, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Knox County
- 17 New Philadelphia-Dover, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Tuscarawas County
- 18 Norwalk, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Huron County
- 19* Point Pleasant, WV-OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Mason County, WV; Gallia County, OH
- 20 Portsmouth, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Scioto County

- 21 Sidney, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Shelby County
- 22 Tiffin-Fostoria, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Seneca County
- 23 Urbana, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Champaign County
- 24 Van Wert, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Van Wert County
- 25 Wapakoneta, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Auglaize County
- 26 Washington, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Fayette County
- 27 Wilmington, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Clinton County
- 28 Wooster, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Wayne County
- 29 Zanesville, OH Micropolitan Statistical Area
Muskingum County

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