



Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages

Annual 2011

Summary - Employment covered under the Ohio Unemployment Compensation Law averaged 4.89 million during 2011 – up 1.3 percent from one year ago. Fifteen private industrial sectors experienced employment increases. Increases in total employment ranged from 5.1 percent in Management of companies & enterprises to 0.6 percent in Retail trade.

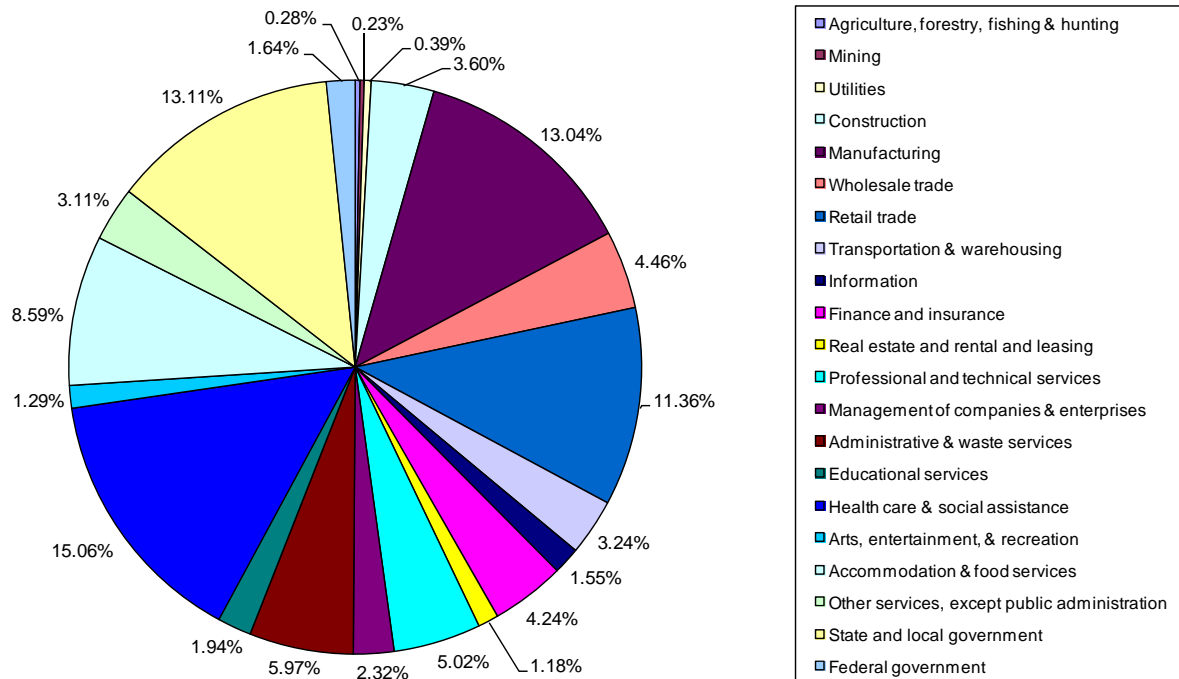
The largest decrease, down 3.3 percent since 2010, was experienced by Utilities. The following sectors also experienced employment declines: Information and Real estate and rental and leasing. State & local government employment decreased 2.1 percent and Federal employment decreased by 5.1 percent since 2010.

The 2011 annual payroll of \$207.9 billion was an increase of 4.2 percent since 2010. Seventeen industrial sectors experienced payroll increases. Increases in total wages ranged from 11.6 percent in Mining to 0.9 percent in Information. During this same period, State & local government wages increased by 0.2 percent while Federal employees experienced a 0.4 percent increase.

| Industrial Sector | Average Employment 2011 | Wages (in thousands) 2011 | Percent Change 2010 to 2011 | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| | | | Employment | Wages |
| Total Covered under Ohio UC Law | 4,888,395 | \$207,887,608 | 1.3 | 4.2 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting | 13,744 | 382,581 | 1.0 | 5.1 |
| Mining | 11,411 | 801,884 | 4.4 | 11.6 |
| Utilities | 19,303 | 1,607,569 | -3.3 | -0.8 |
| Construction | 176,170 | 8,574,296 | 4.3 | 7.9 |
| Manufacturing | 637,625 | 35,271,812 | 2.8 | 6.7 |
| Wholesale trade | 218,083 | 13,271,183 | 0.8 | 4.6 |
| Retail trade | 555,330 | 13,724,384 | 0.6 | 2.9 |
| Transportation & warehousing | 158,213 | 6,843,145 | 2.7 | 5.0 |
| Information | 75,962 | 4,452,398 | -2.1 | 0.9 |
| Finance and insurance | 207,302 | 13,012,957 | 0.0 | 3.2 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 57,700 | 2,179,773 | -0.4 | 4.2 |
| Professional and technical services | 245,278 | 15,816,943 | 3.0 | 6.7 |
| Management of companies & enterprises | 113,483 | 10,559,334 | 5.1 | 8.0 |
| Administrative & waste services | 291,955 | 8,528,882 | 5.0 | 7.2 |
| Educational services | 95,047 | 3,188,738 | 1.0 | 3.1 |
| Health care & social assistance | 736,088 | 29,660,281 | 1.3 | 2.7 |
| Arts, entertainment, & recreation | 63,050 | 1,761,962 | 1.6 | -0.9 |
| Accommodation & food services | 420,071 | 5,817,645 | 1.8 | 3.9 |
| Other services, except public administration | 151,872 | 3,983,758 | 0.8 | 3.4 |
| State and local government | 640,709 | 28,448,082 | -2.1 | 0.2 |
| Federal government | 80,329 | 5,628,889 | -5.1 | 0.4 |

The following chart represents the distribution of Ohio’s employment by industrial sector. Health care & social assistance employs the largest number of workers, more than 15 percent of the state’s workforce. State & local government, Manufacturing, and Retail trade each employ more than 10 percent of Ohio’s workers.

2011 Average Annual Employment by Industrial Sector



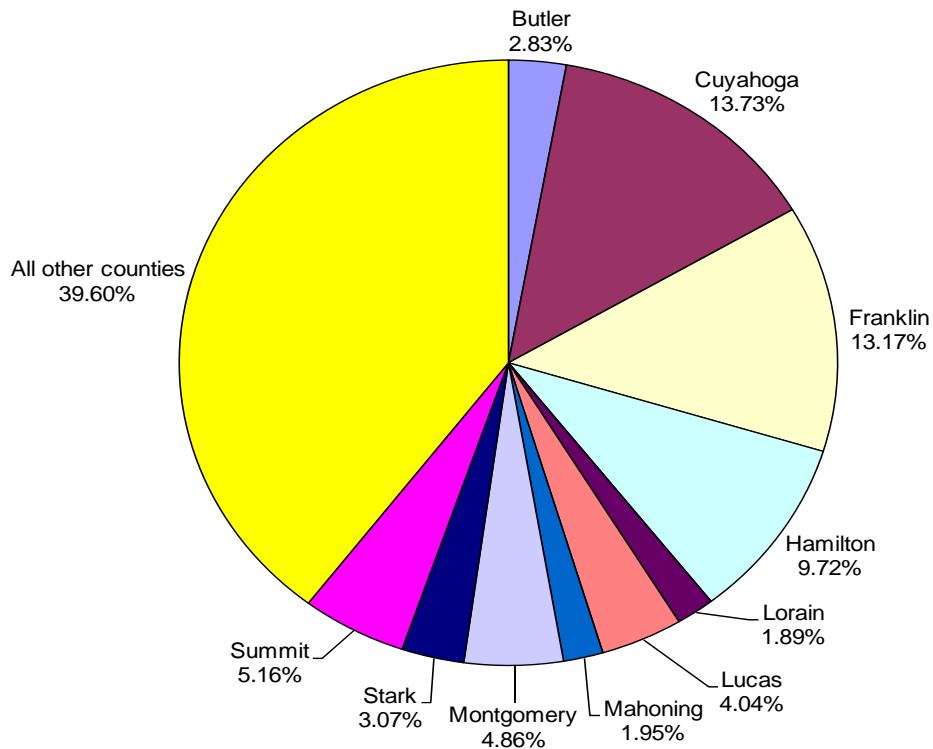
All of Ohio’s ten largest counties experienced employment increases since 2010. Increases ranged from 2.1 percent in Lorain County to 0.3 percent in Hamilton County.

All of the ten largest counties experienced payroll increases in 2011. Payroll gains ranged from 7.6 percent in Lorain County to 1.5 percent in Butler County.

| County | Average Employment 2011 | Wages (in thousands) 2011 | Percent Change 2010 to 2011 | |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| | | | Employment | Wages |
| Total Covered under Ohio UC Law | 4,888,395 | \$207,887,608 | 1.3 | 4.2 |
| Butler | 138,160 | 5,734,144 | 0.6 | 1.5 |
| Cuyahoga | 671,272 | 32,330,186 | 0.5 | 3.6 |
| Franklin | 643,885 | 30,332,323 | 1.7 | 4.4 |
| Hamilton | 474,914 | 24,470,709 | 0.3 | 3.2 |
| Lorain | 92,262 | 3,584,742 | 2.1 | 7.6 |
| Lucas | 197,335 | 8,162,737 | 0.8 | 3.7 |
| Mahoning | 95,180 | 3,247,578 | 0.8 | 3.5 |
| Montgomery | 237,344 | 9,822,919 | 1.1 | 2.8 |
| Stark | 150,169 | 5,519,596 | 1.8 | 6.0 |
| Summit | 252,029 | 10,811,907 | 0.6 | 2.6 |
| All other counties | 1,935,845 | 73,870,767 | 1.9 | 5.1 |

The chart that follows presents the percentage of Ohio covered employment in each of the ten largest counties and all other counties combined. Ten of Ohio's 88 counties account for more than 60 percent of the state's covered employment.

2011 Average Annual Employment - Ten Largest Counties



Comparability with Other Data. This annual data may not compare with the monthly data published in the *Labor Market Review*. Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages data are tabulated from reports of employment covered by Ohio Unemployment Compensation Law. The monthly data presented in the *Labor Market Review* are from a sample survey of employers and represent estimates of total employment in the nonagricultural wage and salary sectors.

Further Data. These data were compiled from quarterly reports for more than 288,000 reporting units. Summary tabulations are published in preliminary form by industrial sector and county. They present average annual employment tabulations and total annual payroll figures for each county in Ohio. Data for earlier periods or years and definitions of covered employment and payroll concepts are available upon request.

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