



Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages

Annual 2013

Summary - Employment covered under the Ohio Unemployment Compensation Law averaged 5.03 million during 2013 – up 1.3 percent from one year ago. Fifteen private industrial sectors experienced employment increases. Increases in total employment ranged from 8.0 percent in Arts, entertainment, & recreation to 0.5 percent in Retail trade.

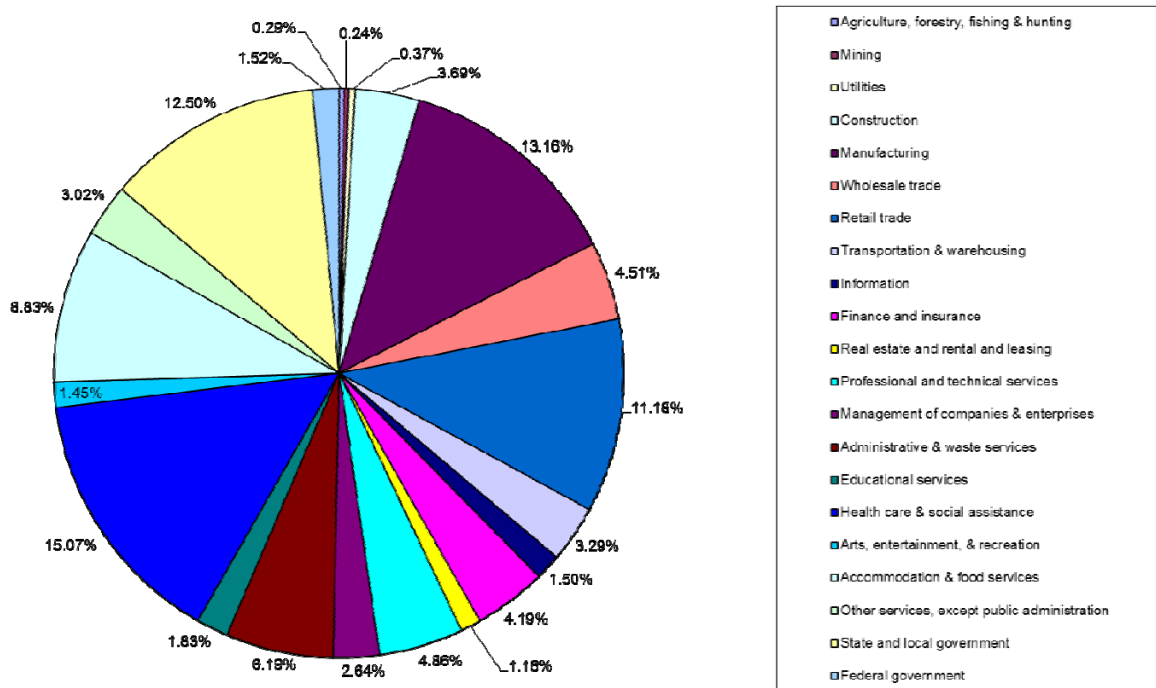
The largest decrease, down 1.6 percent since 2012, was experienced by Utilities. The following sectors also experienced employment declines: Mining, Educational services, and Other services, except public administration. State & local government employment decreased 0.5 percent and Federal employment decreased by 2.3 percent since 2012.

The 2013 annual payroll of \$222.9 billion was an increase of 2.3 percent since 2012. Seventeen industrial sectors experienced payroll increases. Increases in total wages ranged from 7.0 in Real estate and rental and leasing, and Arts, entertainment, & recreation to 0.1 in Utilities. The two payroll decreases occurred in Mining, down 11.5 percent, and Educational services, down by 0.8 percent. During this same period, State & local government wages increased by 0.5 percent while Federal employees experienced a 3.1 percent decrease.

Industrial Sector	Average Employment 2013	Wages (in thousands) 2013	Percent Change 2012 to 2013	
			Employment	Wages
Total Covered under Ohio UC Law	5,033,523	\$222,905,399	1.3	2.3
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	14,593	429,458	2.5	5.2
Mining	12,188	783,826	-0.4	-11.5
Utilities	18,779	1,632,713	-1.6	0.1
Construction	185,822	9,662,302	2.7	5.6
Manufacturing	662,544	36,925,806	0.9	1.3
Wholesale trade	227,198	14,287,380	1.5	2.2
Retail trade	562,838	14,340,607	0.5	1.1
Transportation & warehousing	165,445	7,400,837	2.0	2.9
Information	75,289	4,643,069	1.1	3.6
Finance and insurance	210,804	14,095,201	1.1	4.9
Real estate and rental and leasing	59,435	2,432,500	2.6	7.0
Professional and technical services	244,398	16,407,868	1.1	2.9
Management of companies & enterprises	132,821	13,497,007	4.0	1.0
Administrative & waste services	311,478	9,625,768	2.8	4.8
Educational services	92,339	3,169,982	-1.5	-0.8
Health care & social assistance	758,490	31,987,390	1.4	2.9
Arts, entertainment, & recreation	73,081	2,114,426	8.0	7.0
Accommodation & food services	444,495	6,429,828	2.8	4.2
Other services, except public administration	152,149	4,190,527	-1.0	1.5
State and local government	629,338	28,848,904	-0.5	0.5
Federal government	76,488	5,363,592	-2.3	-3.1

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. Manufacturing, State and local government and Retail trade each employ more than 10 percent of Ohio’s workers.

2013 Average Annual Employment by Industrial Sector



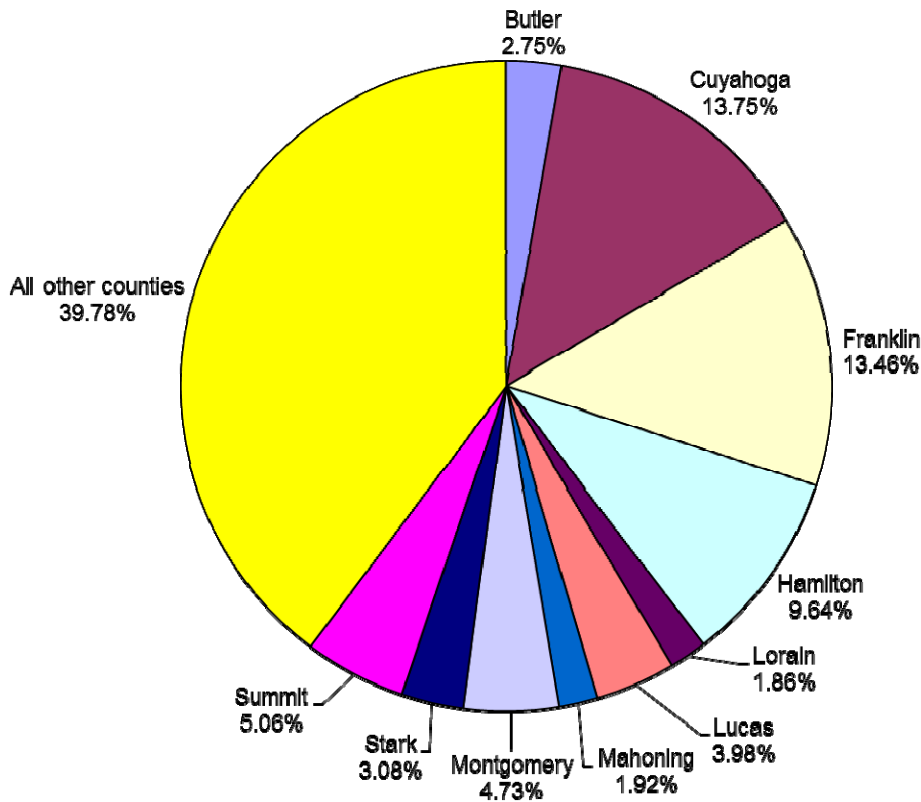
Nine of Ohio’s ten largest counties experienced employment increases since 2012. Increases ranged from 2.8 percent in Franklin County to 0.2 percent in Butler County. Montgomery County experienced a decline in employment, down 0.3 percent during this same period.

Each of the ten largest counties experienced payroll increases in 2013. Payroll gains ranged from 3.5 percent in Franklin County to 0.4 in Lorain and Montgomery counties.

County	Average Employment 2013	Wages (in thousands) 2013	Percent Change 2012 to 2013	
			Employment	Wages
Total Covered under Ohio UC Law	5,033,523	\$222,905,399	1.3	2.3
Butler	138,426	5,917,714	0.2	1.1
Cuyahoga	691,998	34,853,171	1.0	2.0
Franklin	677,284	33,326,079	2.8	3.5
Hamilton	485,110	26,293,269	0.8	1.3
Lorain	93,623	3,721,989	0.4	0.4
Lucas	200,204	8,551,752	0.5	0.6
Mahoning	96,673	3,370,260	0.4	0.6
Montgomery	238,062	10,113,798	-0.3	0.4
Stark	154,963	5,866,586	1.3	2.7
Summit	254,734	11,274,146	0.3	0.6
All other counties	2,002,446	79,616,635	1.5	3.3

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.

2013 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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