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## Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages

Second Quarter 2014

**Summary** - Employment covered under the Ohio Unemployment Compensation Law totaled 5.130 million in the second quarter of 2014 – up 1.4 percent from one year ago. Sixteen industrial sectors experienced employment increases in the second quarter. Increases in total employment ranged from 15.2 percent in Mining to 0.3 percent in Other services, except public administration.

Three private industrial sectors experienced an employment decline. Decreases ranged from 3.9 percent in Utilities to 0.8 percent in Finance and insurance. State and local government employment decreased by 0.1 percent and Federal employment decreased 1.1 percent since 2013.

The second quarter 2014 payroll of \$55.945 billion was an increase of 3.4 percent from its same calendar point in 2013. All industrial sectors experienced payroll increases in the second quarter except Utilities which declined by 3.2 percent and Information which declined 0.7 percent over the year. Increases in total wages ranged from 24.2 percent in Mining to 0.4 percent in Finance and insurance. During this same period, State & local government wages increased 0.7 percent and Federal employees experienced a 0.6 percent decrease.

	Average Employment	Wages (in thousands)	Percent Change Second Quarter 2013 to	
Industrial Sector	Second Quarter 2014	Second Quarter 2014	Second Quarter 2014 Employment Wages	
Total Covered under Ohio UC Law	5,130,274	\$55,945,072	1.4	3.4
Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting	16,315	117,064	5.2	10.5
Mining	13,963	234,457	15.2	24.2
Utilities	18,136	375,368	-3.9	-3.2
Construction	198,627	2,541,204	6.6	10.0
Manufacturing	673,238	9,237,417	1.6	3.8
Wholesale trade	233,083	3,520,091	2.6	4.3
Retail trade	563,287	3,602,672	0.6	2.9
Transportation & warehousing	168,646	1,945,371	3.2	6.4
Information	73,093	1,114,832	-1.5	-0.7
Finance and insurance	209,042	3,316,001	-0.8	0.4
Real estate and rental and leasing	61,332	607,812	3.0	5.3
Professional and technical services	247,685	4,056,321	1.0	3.1
Management of companies & enterprises	137,570	3,272,856	3.1	3.0
Administrative & waste services	323,935	2,498,456	4.1	6.8
Educational services	93,545	810,222	0.4	1.9
Health care & social assistance	765,128	8,022,459	0.9	3.0
Arts, entertainment, & recreation	83,995	568,645	1.9	9.9
Accommodation & food services	459,065	1,674,870	1.4	4.3
Other services, except public administration	154,213	1,080,699	0.3	3.8
State and local government	636,379	7,348,256	-0.1	0.7
Federal government	75,810	1,287,812	-1.1	-0.6

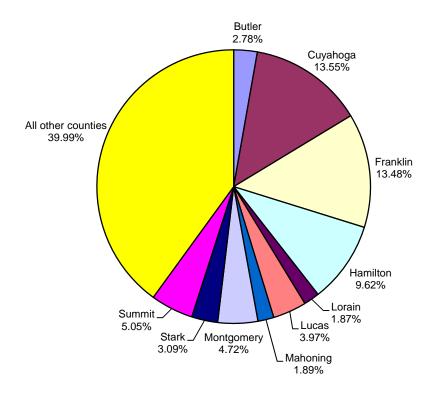
All ten of Ohio's largest counties experienced employment increases from their second quarter 2013 levels. Increases ranged from 2.9 percent in Butler County to 0.2 percent in Cuyahoga County.

All ten of Ohio's largest counties experienced payroll increases since 2013. Payroll gains ranged from 4.7 percent in Butler County to 1.7 percent in Mahoning County.

	Average Employment Second Quarter	Wages (in thousands) Second Quarter	Percent Change Second Quarter 2013 to Second Quarter 2014	
Industrial Sector	2014	2014	Employment	Wages
Total Covered under Ohio UC Law	5,130,274	\$55,945,072	1.4	3.4
Butler	142,425	\$1,513,936	2.9	4.7
Cuyahoga	695,338	\$8,536,756	0.2	2.7
Franklin	691,515	\$8,443,671	2.5	3.7
Hamilton	493,382	\$6,443,780	1.1	2.4
Lorain	95,774	\$946,171	1.0	2.4
Lucas	203,751	\$2,161,087	1.6	4.1
Mahoning	97,033	\$829,859	0.5	1.7
Montgomery	242,133	\$2,543,387	1.4	3.2
Stark	158,323	\$1,463,844	1.5	2.7
Summit	258,859	\$2,776,642	1.3	2.8
All other counties	2,051,741	\$20,285,939	1.5	4.0

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.

Percentage of Second Quarter 2014 Employment - Ten Largest Counties



**Comparability with Other Data.** This quarterly 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 over 288,000 reporting units. Summary tabulations are published in preliminary form, for the second quarter of 2014, by industrial sector and county. They present average quarterly employment tabulations and second quarter 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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