

Ohio County

County Seat:	Wheeling
July 1, 2008 Estimate	44,106

Market Proximity	<i>Miles</i>
Charleston WV	128
Cleveland OH	113
Columbus OH	120
Pittsburgh PA	47
Washington DC	214

Income		
Total Personal Income (2006)*	\$1,558,140	
PerCapita Personal Income (2006)	\$34,901	
Household Income (2000)	<i>Number</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
Less than \$10,000	3,152	7%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	2,037	5%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	3,081	7%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	2,729	6%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	3,141	7%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	3,123	7%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,355	3%
\$100,000 to \$149,000	652	1%
\$150,000 or more	506	1%
Median Household Income (1999)	\$30,836	
<i>*thousands of dollars</i>		

Housing (2000 Census)	
Total Housing Units	22,166
Occupied Housing Units	19,733
Owner Occupied	13,539
Renter Occupied	6,194
Total Vacant Units	2,433
For Sale Only	956
For Rent	285
Median Value	\$71,400
Median Rent Asked	\$292

Demographics (2000 Census)	
Total Population 2000	47,427
Total Population 1990	50,871
Total Population 1980	61,389
Total Population 1970	63,439
<i>Sex and Age</i>	
Male	22,177
Female	25,250
Ages 14 and below	8,227
Ages 15 to 19	3,519
Ages 20 to 24	3,319
Ages 25 to 34	5,114
Ages 35 to 44	6,787
Ages 45 to 54	7,003
Ages 55 to 64	4,558
Ages 65 and older	8,900
Median Age	40.6
<i>Race</i>	
White	44,820
Black or African American	1,691
American Indian and Alaska Native	42
Asian	369
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific	14
Some other race	61
Two or more races	430
<i>Households</i>	
Total Households	19,733
Family Households	12,147
Non-Family Households	7,586
Persons 65 and Over, Living Alone	3,156
Average Household Size	2.27

Utilities					
Electricity:	<i>Private:</i>	1	<i>Municipal:</i>	0	
Water:	<i>Private:</i>	0	<i>Municipal:</i>	4	<i>PSD:</i> 1
Sewer:	<i>Private:</i>	0	<i>Municipal:</i>	4	<i>PSD:</i> 1
Combined Water & Sewer:	<i>Private:</i>	0	<i>Municipal:</i>	0	<i>PSD:</i> 0
Combined Electricity & Water:	<i>Private:</i>	0			
Water Associations & Authorities:		0			
Natural Gas:	1		Telephone Service:	1	Cellular:
					Telegraph:

Industrial Sites and Buildings	<i>Number:</i>	<i>Total Available:</i>	<i>Largest available:</i>	
Industrial Sites	0	<i>Acres:</i> 0	<i>Site (acres):</i>	0
Industrial Parks	0	<i>Acres:</i> 0	<i>Parcel (acres):</i>	0
Industrial Buildings	0	<i>SF:</i> 0	<i>Bld (SF):</i>	0

Labor Force							
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Civilian Labor Force	21,340	20,750	20,860	21,150	21,090	21,150	21,070
Employment	20,240	19,640	19,820	20,160	20,150	20,300	20,220
Unemployment	1,100	1,110	1,050	990	940	840	860
Unemployment Rate	5.1	5.4	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.0	4.1

Employment and Wages	2008			2007			
	<i>Annual Averages</i>	<i>Emp.</i>	<i>Total Wages</i>	<i>Ann. Wage</i>	<i>Emp</i>	<i>Total Wages</i>	<i>Ann. Wage</i>
Total, All Industries		30,009	962,214,772	32,064	29,031	891,579,527	30,711
Total, Private Sector		26,086	834,750,222	32,000	25,179	769,856,065	30,575
Construction		1,022	42,992,955	42,067	1,145	49,870,162	43,555
Manufacturing		1,455	50,215,666	34,512	1,457	50,285,952	34,513
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities		5,512	149,650,214	27,150	5,410	145,722,273	26,936
Wholesale Trade		1,705	56,802,098	33,315	1,772	59,204,283	33,411
Retail Trade		3,499	79,368,495	22,683	3,314	73,143,448	22,071
Information		443	24,669,731	55,688	465	25,180,577	54,152
Financial Activities		1,560	58,532,156	37,521	1,542	55,825,756	36,203
Professional & Business Services		3,777	163,079,666	43,177	3,485	130,485,700	37,442
Education & Health Services		6,686	244,807,337	36,615	6,531	229,062,263	35,073
Leisure & Hospitality		4,193	67,849,520	16,182	3,697	51,608,173	13,959
Government		3,922	127,464,550	32,500	3,852	121,723,462	31,600
Federal Government		447	31,308,519	70,041	440	29,960,255	68,091
State Government		736	26,227,870	35,636	740	25,029,497	33,824
Local Government		2,740	69,928,161	25,521	2,672	66,733,710	24,975

Worker Commuting Patterns - 2000	
Resides in County/ Works in County	14,977
Resides in County/ Works in another WV County	1,837
Resides in County/Works in another State	3,484
Resides in County/Works in another Country	8
Resides in another WV Co/Works in County	5,508
Resides in another State/Works in County	6,207
Net Commutation (in minus out)	6,386

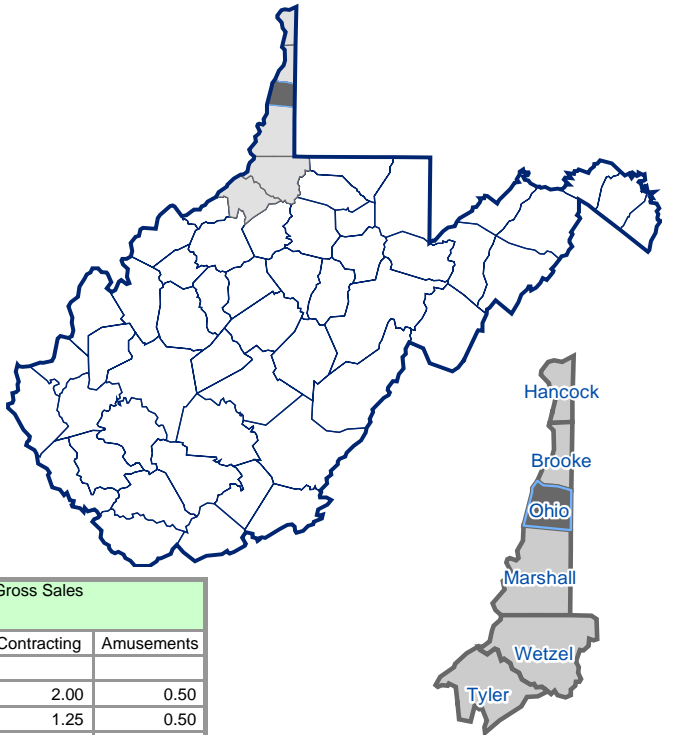
Financial Institutions	
Banks: including branches	20
Savings and Loans: including branches	0

Top 10 Employers	
Wheeling Hospital, Inc.	
Ohio County Board of Education	
Ohio Valley Medical Center	
Cabela's Wholesale , Inc.	
Wheeling Downs Racing Association, Inc.	
Wheeling Park Commission	
Wesbanco Bank, Inc.	
City of Wheeling	
Wheeling Jesuit University, Inc.	
West Liberty State College	
<i>March 2009</i>	

Transportation					
Highway Service					
Interstates:					I-70, I-470
US Routes:					40, 250
WV Routes:					2, 88, 251
Motor Freight Carriers					
6					
Railroads					
Freight Carrier:	<i>Daily/Other</i>	<i>Seasonal</i>	<i>As needed</i>	Bus Service:	
Passenger Carrier:	1	0	0	Local Public Transit:	1
	0	0	0	Interstate:	2
Nearest Navigable River					
Ohio (0 mi)					
Airports					
General Aviation		Wheeling-Ohio County Airport, Wheeling, WV (7 mi)			
Commercial Service		Pittsburgh International Airport, Pittsburgh, PA (62 mi)			
International		Pittsburgh International Airport (62 mi)			

Public Schools	# Schools	Exemplary Schools	WESTEST % of Students Scoring at the Proficient Level			Colleges (within 50 miles)	Type	Ownership	Enrollment	City	County	Educational Attainment (2000 Census)		
			Math	Reading	Grade 3							Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6
Elementary	8	3	2008			West Liberty State College	4 yr.	Public	2,606	West Liberty	Ohio			
Middle or Jr. High	4	1				WV Northern Comm College	2 yr.	Public	2,670	Wheeling	Ohio	Total population 25 yrs old & over:	32,263	100.0
High Schools	1	0	Grade 3	88	85	Wheeling Jesuit University	4 yr.	Private	1,515	Wheeling	Ohio	Less than High School	5,478	17.0
Vocational Schools	0	0	Grade 4	90	89	Bethany College	4 yr.	Private	750	Bethany	Brooke	HS graduate (includes equiv)	11,654	36.1
Other	0	0	Grade 5	85	84		-	-	-	-	-	Some College No Degree	6,032	18.7
2008 Public High School Graduates		383	Grade 6	85	88		-	-	-	-	-	Associate Degree	1,656	5.1
% 12th graders enrolled in advanced placement courses	County	State	Grade 7	82	88							Bachelor's Degree	4,295	13.3
Average ACT Score	21.0	20.4	Grade 8	79	88							Advanced Degree	3,148	9.8
Average SAT Math Score	495.0	511.0	Grade 9											
Average SAT Verbal Score	500.0	523.0	Grade 10	69	74									

Quality of Life			
Law Enforcement		Recreational/Leisure Facilities	
Sheriff's Department	Wheeling	State Forests	0
State Police Detachments	Wheeling	State Parks	0
Total Sworn Police Officers (all jurisdictions)	116	Wildlife Management Areas	2
Fire Protection		Public Hiking Trails	28.7
Number of Fire Departments*	8	Public Fishing and Boating Lakes	3
Emergency Medical Services*		Recreational Rivers (boating/rafting)	1
Number of Emergency Medical Services Responders	9	Museums/Art Galleries	9
Number of EMTs and Paramedics (inc. fire departments)	301	Golf Courses	Private: 3 Public: 2
<i>*Note: Some fire departments also provide emergency medical services</i>			
Health Care		National Forests	0
Hospitals	2 # Beds: 730	National Park and Recreation Areas	0
Licensed Nursing Homes	4 # Beds: 486	Major Private Areas (List):	
Doctors	260	Amphitheaters/Performing Arts Centers	4
Dentists	39	Civic/Convention Centers	2
Child Care		Pro/Semi-pro Sports teams	2
Licensed Day Care Centers	16	Regional Shopping Centers/Malls/Outlets within 25 miles	1
Libraries	2 Total Volumes: 108,077	Major Private Recreation/Resort Areas	2
Climate		Long-Term Precipitation (inches):	
Temperature (Degrees F) Mean Annual Average:	55	Heating Degree Days:	5,313
January Averages: Low: 18 High: 38		Cooling Degree Days:	926
July Averages: Low: 61 High: 85		Jan: 2.44 Annual: 40.8	
		July: 4.26	
		Mean Annual Snowfall Range (inches):	30 - 40



Taxes	Property Tax Levy Rates per \$100 Assessed Value (Assessment Ratio = 60% of Fair Market Value)						Municipal Business & Occupation Tax Rates per \$1 Gross Sales						
	State, County & School Board		Municipal Levy		Total Levy		Retail	Wholesale	Manuf.	Rentals	Services	Contracting	Amusements
	Class II	Class III & IV	Class II	Class IV	Class II	Class IV							
Bethlehem	119.36	238.72	24.02	48.04	143.38	286.76	0.50	0.15	0.30	1.00	1.00	2.00	0.50
Clearview	119.36	238.72	23.02	46.04	142.38	284.76	0.38	-	0.30	0.75	0.75	1.25	0.50
Triadelphia	119.36	238.72	25.00	50.00	144.36	288.72	0.20	0.15	0.23	0.26	0.26	1.10	0.50
Valley Grove	119.36	238.72	23.98	47.96	143.34	286.68	0.50	0.50	0.30	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00
West Liberty	119.36	238.72	21.86	43.72	141.22	282.44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheeling	119.36	238.72	31.18	62.36	150.54	301.08	0.39	0.15	0.30	0.78	0.93	1.56	0.50

Ohio County is included in Workforce Investment Area 5