



Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission

State of the Region 2009

Issue: Prosperity  
Metric: Job Growth

Job growth in the region was steady from 2003 until 2008, when the number of jobs declined. Employment is still increasing in Delaware, Fayette, Madison, and Union Counties. In other counties, the number of people employed fell between 2007 and 2008.

	Number of People Employed							2008
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	(preliminary)
Delaware	38,567	44,346	49,191	52,807	62,080	65,857	67,565	68,870
Fairfield	34,280	34,386	35,678	36,858	37,453	39,508	39,832	39,769
Fayette	11,177	10,970	11,086	11,367	10,964	11,344	11,688	11,804
Franklin	702,628	695,970	685,061	684,527	681,167	681,289	688,252	678,630
Knox	17,872	17,996	17,938	18,661	19,271	19,523	19,583	19,520
Licking	53,034	50,826	51,276	52,419	53,298	54,311	54,629	53,748
Madison	13,169	13,142	13,489	14,400	14,071	14,041	13,826	13,968
Marion	28,253	28,342	27,417	27,525	27,566	27,715	27,908	27,561
Morrow	6,049	6,034	6,184	6,100	5,981	5,756	5,689	5,492
Pickaway	16,192	15,013	14,882	14,533	14,378	14,309	14,694	14,682
Ross	26,723	26,986	26,673	27,119	26,787	27,057	26,832	26,285
Union	24,447	25,424	25,849	26,084	26,027	26,255	27,147	27,436
Region	972,391	969,435	964,724	972,400	979,043	986,965	997,645	987,763

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

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