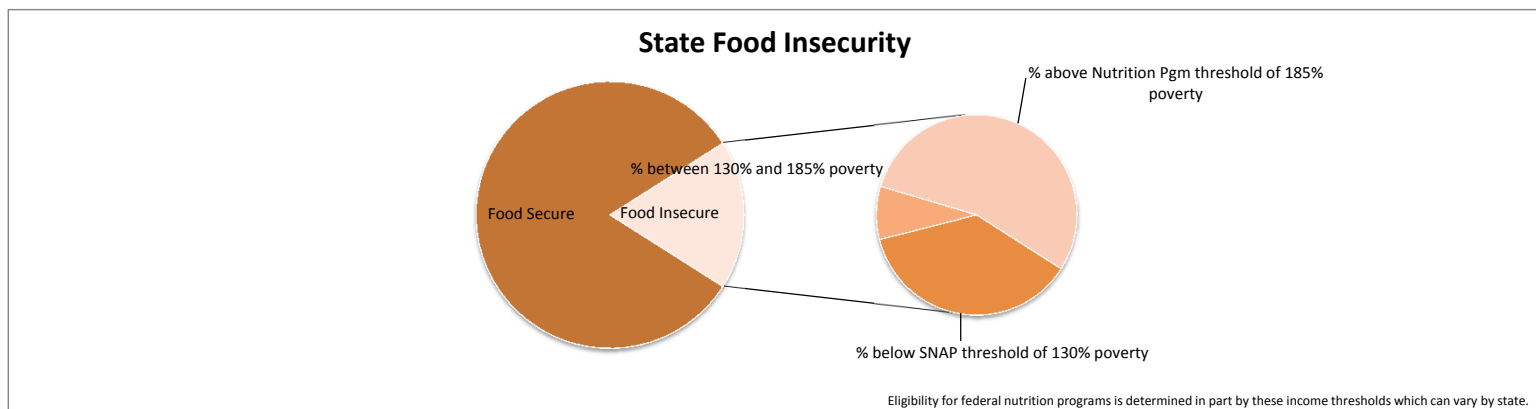


Map the Meal Gap 2012: Food Insecurity State Overview

Ohio
Population 11,536,182

Food insecurity rate (2010) ^{1,2}	18.1%
Estimated number food insecure people	2,083,240

Ratio of cost-of-food in the state to national average ³	0.925	lower than the national average
Cost of an average meal in the state ⁴	\$ 2.33	
Annual "Meal Gap" ⁵	\$ 358,587,330	



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¹A person is defined as being food insecure if he or she lives in a household experiencing food insecurity. The food insecurity measures here are derived from the measures of food insecurity found in the nationally representative Current Population Survey. Since 1995, those measures have been calculated from responses to a series of questions about conditions and behaviors known to characterize households having difficulty meeting basic food needs. For more details about how food insecurity is calculated, see Coleman-Jensen, A., Nord, M., Andrews, M. & Carlson, S. "Household Food Security in the United States in 2010." U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service: Washington D.C. 2011.

²Food insecurity rates shown here may differ from the state-level prevalence rates of food insecurity presented in "Household Food Security in the United States, 2010" (ibid.) Among other factors, those rates are three-year average rates for the period 2008-2010; the rates presented above reflect one-year rates for 2010. For more information about these factors, please see the supplemental methodology information on HungerNet.

³Pricing index created from actual cost of food relative to the cost of food in other states across the U.S.

⁴Weighted cost per meal is the national average cost spent on a meal by food secure persons, \$2.52, weighted by the cost of food in the area

⁵Annual "meal gap" represents the following formula:

Annual dollars food insecure persons report needing to meet their food needs in this area / Average cost of a meal for food secure individuals in the U.S.



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Ohio Food Insecurity by Congressional District in 2010¹



Congressional District	Population	Food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Income within the food insecure population ²		
				% below SNAP threshold of 130% poverty	% between 130% and 185% poverty	% above Nutrition Pgm threshold of 185% poverty
1	599,929	22.1%	132,520	42%	4%	54%
2	670,493	14.5%	97,430	32%	8%	60%
3	640,037	18.8%	120,600	38%	7%	55%
4	632,540	17.0%	107,520	38%	9%	53%
5	621,278	16.4%	101,750	37%	12%	52%
6	623,484	17.1%	106,860	40%	10%	51%
7	680,177	17.1%	116,460	38%	10%	52%
8	664,904	16.7%	111,190	33%	10%	57%
9	617,749	20.0%	123,300	38%	9%	53%
10	597,493	17.3%	103,610	35%	11%	55%
11	545,253	28.8%	157,270	46%	4%	51%
12	764,452	18.0%	137,580	33%	6%	62%
13	638,510	17.4%	111,380	34%	8%	59%
14	651,868	13.6%	88,850	27%	11%	62%
15	679,785	17.3%	117,480	41%	9%	51%
16	649,981	16.3%	105,970	35%	10%	55%
17	602,981	21.1%	127,010	36%	9%	56%
18	655,268	17.8%	116,460	40%	13%	47%

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Ohio Food Insecurity by County in 2010¹



County	Population	Food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Income within the food insecure population ²		
				% below SNAP threshold of 130% poverty	% between 130% and 185% poverty	% above Nutrition Pgm threshold of 185% poverty
Adams County	28,578	20.5%	5,850	62%	20%	19%
Allen County	106,586	17.6%	18,790	44%	17%	39%
Ashland County	53,341	16.8%	8,950	42%	23%	36%
Ashtabula County	101,867	17.8%	18,140	47%	23%	30%
Athens County	64,455	19.3%	12,450	56%	14%	30%
Auglaize County	46,023	13.1%	6,020	32%	21%	48%
Belmont County	70,403	16.0%	11,230	45%	21%	35%
Brown County	44,618	16.3%	7,270	42%	21%	38%
Butler County	363,465	15.3%	55,610	40%	15%	45%
Carroll County	28,988	16.9%	4,890	42%	25%	34%
Champaign County	40,140	16.0%	6,420	39%	17%	44%
Clark County	139,374	17.0%	23,700	45%	21%	34%
Clermont County	195,312	14.0%	27,380	33%	17%	50%
Clinton County	42,416	19.8%	8,400	37%	24%	40%
Columbiana County	108,609	17.7%	19,180	46%	22%	32%
Coshocton County	37,046	17.8%	6,590	50%	22%	28%
Crawford County	44,294	16.8%	7,450	41%	25%	34%
Cuyahoga County	1,293,825	18.8%	243,830	46%	12%	42%
Darke County	52,945	14.9%	7,890	37%	26%	37%
Defiance County	39,119	16.0%	6,250	38%	24%	38%
Delaware County	166,108	10.8%	17,890	21%	12%	68%
Erie County	77,454	16.0%	12,430	38%	19%	43%
Fairfield County	143,949	14.1%	20,260	35%	16%	49%
Fayette County	28,913	17.5%	5,050	48%	19%	33%
Franklin County	1,141,117	17.3%	196,870	47%	13%	40%
Fulton County	42,756	15.3%	6,560	36%	23%	41%

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				% below SNAP threshold of 130% poverty	% between 130% and 185% poverty	% above Nutrition Pgm threshold of 185% poverty
Gallia County	30,943	17.9%	5,550	58%	20%	22%
Geauga County	93,604	11.9%	11,180	32%	18%	50%
Greene County	159,940	15.2%	24,350	34%	13%	53%
Guernsey County	40,351	17.7%	7,140	49%	22%	30%
Hamilton County	802,194	18.1%	145,110	43%	11%	46%
Hancock County	74,670	13.9%	10,370	38%	21%	41%
Hardin County	32,104	16.8%	5,380	45%	17%	38%
Harrison County	15,867	18.2%	2,880	48%	19%	33%
Henry County	28,546	15.6%	4,440	34%	22%	45%
Highland County	43,648	20.2%	8,820	48%	23%	29%
Hocking County	29,338	16.5%	4,850	49%	23%	29%
Holmes County	42,068	13.5%	5,660	48%	37%	16%
Huron County	59,932	17.6%	10,540	43%	21%	36%
Jackson County	33,165	18.8%	6,220	59%	25%	16%
Jefferson County	70,041	19.2%	13,440	47%	20%	34%
Knox County	60,201	14.9%	8,950	41%	24%	35%
Lake County	229,418	12.9%	29,560	30%	19%	52%
Lawrence County	62,647	16.0%	10,050	58%	20%	22%
Licking County	163,708	14.5%	23,720	36%	20%	44%
Logan County	46,006	16.5%	7,580	43%	21%	36%
Lorain County	299,605	15.4%	46,170	40%	16%	45%
Lucas County	444,046	19.2%	85,090	48%	15%	37%
Madison County	42,844	15.0%	6,420	35%	19%	46%
Mahoning County	241,899	18.6%	44,910	46%	17%	37%
Marion County	66,530	17.2%	11,420	49%	20%	31%
Medina County	170,137	12.0%	20,460	25%	16%	59%
Meigs County	23,649	20.5%	4,840	54%	24%	22%
Mercer County	40,958	12.1%	4,970	37%	18%	46%
Miami County	102,315	14.7%	15,050	36%	20%	45%
Monroe County	14,751	18.8%	2,770	50%	19%	32%
Montgomery County	538,461	18.9%	101,570	44%	15%	41%
Morgan County	15,113	20.1%	3,040	53%	27%	20%
Morrow County	34,815	14.7%	5,120	36%	25%	39%

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Muskingum County	85,951	18.7%	16,030	47%	24%	29%
Noble County	14,634	19.6%	2,880	33%	18%	49%
Ottawa County	41,553	16.6%	6,900	29%	16%	55%
Paulding County	19,679	15.5%	3,050	39%	22%	39%
Perry County	35,843	18.4%	6,590	48%	23%	28%
Pickaway County	55,128	15.9%	8,780	34%	18%	49%
Pike County	28,674	21.2%	6,080	60%	19%	21%
Portage County	159,943	15.4%	24,670	39%	16%	45%
Preble County	42,502	14.8%	6,280	37%	25%	38%
Putnam County	34,647	13.0%	4,520	25%	20%	55%
Richland County	125,980	17.2%	21,700	39%	20%	41%
Ross County	77,537	17.7%	13,760	46%	18%	36%
Sandusky County	61,284	14.7%	8,980	39%	23%	38%
Scioto County	78,988	19.3%	15,280	57%	20%	23%
Seneca County	57,091	16.0%	9,140	40%	23%	37%
Shelby County	49,350	16.2%	7,980	38%	21%	41%
Stark County	376,346	16.7%	62,860	41%	19%	41%
Summit County	543,150	16.8%	91,280	41%	14%	45%
Trumbull County	212,780	17.9%	38,020	44%	19%	38%
Tuscarawas County	92,508	15.5%	14,320	44%	25%	32%
Union County	50,708	12.2%	6,210	27%	15%	59%
Van Wert County	29,029	15.5%	4,490	33%	29%	38%
Vinton County	13,485	18.9%	2,550	60%	21%	20%
Warren County	207,790	12.5%	26,020	23%	13%	64%
Washington County	62,066	15.2%	9,400	46%	22%	32%
Wayne County	114,438	14.0%	16,010	38%	25%	37%
Williams County	38,172	16.7%	6,370	39%	23%	38%
Wood County	125,295	14.9%	18,650	37%	16%	48%
Wyandot County	22,665	15.0%	3,410	29%	25%	47%
State Total⁶	11,536,182	18.1%	2,083,240	37%	9%	54%

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