

NEOMDR Demographic, Housing, and Socioeconomic Profiles: Athens County

Source: [2012-2016 American Community Survey, 5 Year Estimates](#)

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| AGE | NUMBER | PERCENT |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Total Population | 65,103 | 100.0% |
| Under 5 years | 2,640 | 4.1% |
| 5 to 17 years | 7,284 | 11.2% |
| 18 to 24 years | 19,541 | 30.0% |
| 25 to 44 years | 14,342 | 22.0% |
| 45 to 64 years | 13,904 | 21.4% |
| 65 years and over | 7,392 | 11.4% |
| Median Age | 28.2 | |

| RACE AND HISPANIC/LATINO ORIGIN | | |
|---|--------|--------|
| Total Population | 65,103 | 100.0% |
| White alone | 59,238 | 91.0% |
| Black or African American alone | 1,609 | 2.5% |
| Amer. Indian & Alaska Native alone ² | 178 | 0.3% |
| Asian alone | 2,039 | 3.1% |
| Native Hawaiian & Pacific Isl. alone ² | 22 | 0.0% |
| Some other race alone | 321 | 0.5% |
| Two or more races | 1,696 | 2.6% |
| Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race) | 1,191 | 1.8% |

| EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT | | |
|------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Population 25 years and over | 35,638 | 100.0% |
| No High School Diploma | 3,686 | 10.3% |
| High School Graduate or Equivalent | 11,708 | 32.9% |
| Some College, No Degree | 6,403 | 18.0% |
| Associate's Degree | 3,461 | 9.7% |
| Bachelor's Degree | 4,949 | 13.9% |
| Master's Degree or higher | 5,431 | 15.2% |

| INCOME | | |
|-------------------------|----------|--------|
| Total Households | 22,328 | 100.0% |
| Less than \$10,000 | 3,929 | 17.6% |
| \$10,000 to \$14,999 | 1,753 | 7.9% |
| \$15,000 to \$19,999 | 1,530 | 6.9% |
| \$20,000 to \$24,999 | 1,470 | 6.6% |
| \$25,000 to \$29,999 | 1,362 | 6.1% |
| \$30,000 to \$34,999 | 1,357 | 6.1% |
| \$35,000 to \$39,999 | 1,009 | 4.5% |
| \$40,000 to \$44,999 | 976 | 4.4% |
| \$45,000 to \$49,999 | 934 | 4.2% |
| \$50,000 to \$59,999 | 1,596 | 7.1% |
| \$60,000 to \$74,999 | 1,676 | 7.5% |
| \$75,000 to \$99,999 | 1,962 | 8.8% |
| \$100,000 to \$124,999 | 1,106 | 5.0% |
| \$125,000 to \$149,999 | 776 | 3.5% |
| \$150,000 to \$199,999 | 506 | 2.3% |
| \$200,000 or more | 386 | 1.7% |
| Median Household Income | \$34,221 | |
| Median Family Income | \$51,101 | |
| Per Capita Income | \$18,602 | |

| POVERTY | NUMBER | PERCENT |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Population for Poverty Determined ² | 55,368 | 100.0% |
| Below Poverty | 17,301 | 31.2% |
| At or Above Poverty | 38,067 | 68.8% |

| EMPLOYMENT STATUS | | |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|
| Civilian Labor Force | 29,985 | 100.0% |
| Employed | 27,165 | 90.6% |
| Unemployed | 2,820 | 9.4% |

| HOUSEHOLD SIZE | | |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Total Occupied Housing Units | 22,328 | 100.0% |
| 1 Person | 7,446 | 33.3% |
| 2 Persons | 7,838 | 35.1% |
| 3 Persons | 3,400 | 15.2% |
| 4 Persons | 2,164 | 9.7% |
| 5+ Persons | 1,480 | 6.6% |
| Average Household Size | 2.48 | |

| HOUSING OCCUPANCY | | |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|
| Total Housing Units | 26,370 | 100.0% |
| Occupied | 22,328 | 84.7% |
| Vacant | 4,042 | 15.3% |

| HOUSING TENURE | | |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Total Occupied Housing Units | 22,328 | 100.0% |
| Owner Occupied | 12,516 | 56.1% |
| Renter Occupied | 9,812 | 43.9% |

| YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Total Housing Units | 26,370 | 100.0% |
| Built 2014 or later | 86 | 0.3% |
| Built 2010 to 2013 | 493 | 1.9% |
| Built 2000 to 2009 | 3,382 | 12.8% |
| Built 1990 to 1999 | 4,136 | 15.7% |
| Built 1980 to 1989 | 3,723 | 14.1% |
| Built 1970 to 1979 | 3,714 | 14.1% |
| Built 1960 to 1969 | 2,574 | 9.8% |
| Built 1950 to 1959 | 1,489 | 5.6% |
| Built 1940 to 1949 | 930 | 3.5% |
| Built 1939 or earlier | 5,843 | 22.2% |
| Median Year Structure Built | 1976 | |

| HOUSING VALUE | |
|----------------------|-----------|
| Median Housing Value | \$113,900 |

| RENT | |
|----------------------|-------|
| Median Contract Rent | \$590 |
| Median Gross Rent | \$726 |

Notes:

1 See <http://levin.urban.csuohio.edu/neomdr/profile-info.html> for information about this table.

2 Abbreviations: Amer. Indian & Alaska Native alone = American Indian & Alaska Native alone, Native Hawaiian & Pacific Isl. alone = Native Hawaiian & Pacific Islander alone, Population for Poverty Determined = Population for Whom Poverty is Determined, 1939- = 1939 or earlier.

3 Numbers and percentages may not sum to total due to rounding.