

Butler County Quick Facts:

- Lowest Unemployment Rate in Western Pennsylvania if not all of PA 4.1%
- Ranked #6 Nationally in Job Growth
- Fastest Growing County in Pennsylvania
- Ranked #7 Smithsonian 20 Best Small Towns in America
- Only County in PA with both a community college and state university (Slippery Rock University)
- #1 Community College in Pennsylvania for second consecutive year
- Ranked #7 Region's Top Chambers of Commerce
- Third Highest Marcellus Shale Gas Producing County in Pennsylvania
- Butler County was ranked 4th in the state for incoming investment and business growth
- Butler County is ranked first in the state for real estate development according to Smart Asset of NYC
- Butler County has experienced over \$388 million in GDP growth and 3.1% in business growth
- Butler County is ranked 385th out of 2,830 counties in the country that have data available

Population

Population estimates, July 1, 2017, (V2017)	187,108
Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	186,847
Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2017)	183,862
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Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2017, (V2017)	1.8%
Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016, (V2016)	1.6%
Population, Census, April 1, 2010	183,862

Age and Sex

Persons under 5 years, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 5.1%
Persons under 18 years, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 20.3%
Persons 65 years and over, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 18.0%
Female persons, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 50.5%

Race and Hispanic Origin

White alone, percent (a)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 96.3%
Black or African American alone, percent (a)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 1.2%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent (a)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 0.1%
Asian alone, percent (a)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 1.3%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent (a)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Z
Two or More Races, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0%
Hispanic or Latino, percent (b)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 1.4%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 95.0%

Population Characteristics

Veterans, 2012-2016	14,377
Foreign born persons, percent, 2012-2016	2.0%

Housing

Housing units, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	81,554
Owner-occupied housing unit rate, 2012-2016	76.7%
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2012-2016	\$183,200
Median selected monthly owner costs -with a mortgage, 2012-2016	\$1,433
Median selected monthly owner costs -without a mortgage, 2012-2016	\$468
Median gross rent, 2012-2016	\$771
Building permits, 2016	841

Families & Living Arrangements

Households, 2012-2016	74,762
Persons per household, 2012-2016	2.41
Living in same house 1 year ago, percent of persons age 1 year+, 2012-2016	89.0%
Language other than English spoken at home, percent of persons age 5 years+, 2012-2016	3.0%

Education

High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2012-2016	93.5%
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2012-2016	33.3%

Health

With a disability, under age 65 years, percent, 2012-2016	7.9%
Persons without health insurance, under age 65 years, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 4.3%

Economy

In civilian labor force, total, percent of population age 16 years+, 2012-2016	64.0%
In civilian labor force, female, percent of population age 16 years+, 2012-2016	57.6%
Total accommodation and food services sales, 2012 (\$1,000)(c)	326,604
Total health care and social assistance receipts/revenue, 2012 (\$1,000)(c)	1,198,551
Total manufacturers' shipments, 2012 (\$1,000)(c)	4,630,016
Total merchant wholesaler sales, 2012 (\$1,000)(c)	3,353,848
Total retail sales, 2012 (\$1,000)(c)	2,902,229
Total retail sales per capita, 2012(c)	\$15,690

Transportation

Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16 years+, 2012-2016	26.6
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Income & Poverty

Median household income (in 2016 dollars), 2012-2016	\$63,345
Per capita income in past 12 months (in 2016 dollars), 2012-2016	\$33,406
Persons in poverty, percent	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> 7.3%

Total employer establishments, 2016	4,866
Total employment, 2016	82,520
Total annual payroll, 2016 (\$1,000)	3,608,312
Total employment, percent change, 2015-2016	1.3%
Total nonemployer establishments, 2015	11,898
All firms, 2012	14,107
Men-owned firms, 2012	8,186
Women-owned firms, 2012	4,203
Minority-owned firms, 2012	484
Nonminority-owned firms, 2012	13,077
Veteran-owned firms, 2012	1,547
Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012	11,548

Geography

Population per square mile, 2010 233.1

Land area in square miles, 2010 788.60

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QuickFacts data are derived from: Population Estimates, American Community Survey, Census of Population and Housing, Current Population Survey, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, State and County Housing Unit Estimates, County Business Patterns, Nonemployer Statistics, Economic Census, Survey of Business Owners, Building Permits.