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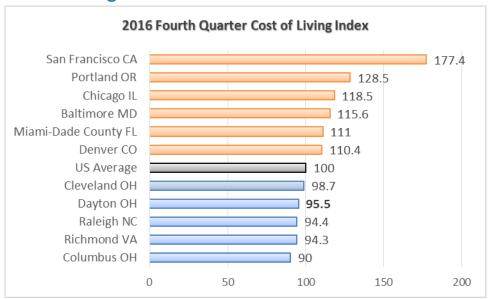
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# Cost of Living Index



Source: Council for Community and Economic Research (C2ER), ACCRA Cost of Living Index

### Sales Tax Collections

	Current			12 Mos			
County	Rate	Feb 2017	Feb 2016	Change	YTD 2017	YTD 2016	YTD Change
Butler	0.75%	\$3,617,288	\$3,100,242	16.68%	\$7,736,712	\$7,368,071	5.00%
Clark	1.50%	\$1,871,257	\$1,795,624	4.21%	\$4,519,415	\$4,356,880	3.73%
Darke	1.50%	\$671,741	\$624,663	7.54%	\$1,513,996	\$1,472,570	2.81%
Greene	1.00%	\$1,925,609	\$1,823,749	5.59%	\$4,986,608	\$4,778,168	4.36%
Miami	1.25%	\$1,336,418	\$1,241,648	7.63%	\$3,187,186	\$2,994,599	6.43%
Montgomery	1.00%	\$5,990,142	\$5,677,249	5.51%	\$14,172,831	\$13,978,310	1.39%
Preble	1.50%	\$446,023	\$418,961	6.46%	\$1,031,001	\$924,140	11.56%
Warren	1.00%	\$2,828,936	\$2,630,200	7.56%	\$6,805,276	\$6,634,530	2.57%
Region Total		\$18,687,414	\$17,312,337	7.94%	\$43,953,025	\$42,507,269	3.40%

Source: http://www.tax.ohio.gov/tax\_analysis/tax\_data\_series/sales\_and\_use/publications\_tds\_sales/S1M0116.aspx

### **Consumer Price Index**

February 2017 % Monthly change	0.2%
CPI over the last 12 months avg.	2.4%

Statistics for the Dayton MSA are no longer available. Based on Midwest region B/C MSA Population 50,000- 1,500,000. Source: http://www.bls.gov/regions/mountain-plains/news-release/consumerpriceindex\_midwest.htm#chart1

## Consumer Price Index - Percent Change



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# Estimated Monthly Sales for Manufacturers, Retailers, and Merchant Wholesalers

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(In millions of dollars)	Feb '17	Jan '16	Feb '16	% Change
<b>Total Business</b>	\$ 1,360,693	\$ 1,357,797	\$ 1,270,780	7.1
Manufacturing	\$ 479,959	\$ 478,581	\$ 453,120	5.9
Retail	\$ 415,823	\$ 416,891	\$ 394,727	5.3
Merchant Wholesale	\$ 464,911	\$ 462,325	\$ 422,933	9.9

Note: Adjusted for seasonal variations and, in the case of sales, for trading-day differences and holiday variations. For complete methodology, refer to the source.

Source: US Dept. of Commerce, US Census Bureau, Economic Indicators, Manufacturing and Trade Inventories and Sales, Feb. 2017. Released April 14, 2017.

### **Residential Home Sales**

	Feb '17	Feb '16	%Change	YTD '17	YTD '16	%Change
<b>Number of Homes Sold</b>	855	801	6.74%	1705	1643	3.77%
<b>Total Home Sales</b>	\$121,789,011	\$97,954,431	24.33%	\$240,748,221	\$202,397,531	18.95%
Average Sale Price (\$)	\$142,443	\$123,836	15.03%	\$141,201	\$124,399	13.51%

Source: Dayton Area Board of Realtors, Dayton Area Home Sales for February 2017

#### **Regional Employment Trends**

Not seasonally adjusted

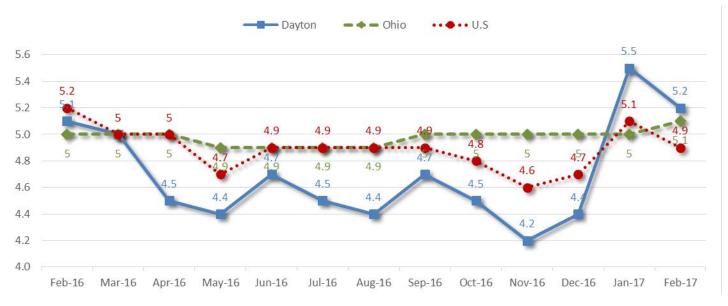
				2017	12-mo
Dayton MSA	Feb-17	Jan-16	Feb-16	Avg.	change
Total nonfarm employment	383,200	379,500	380,300	381,350	2,900
Goods producing employment	53,500	53,100	51,900	53,300	1,600
Service-providing employment	329,700	326,400	328,400	328,050	1,300

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS), Labor Force Statistics including the National Unemployment Rate, www.bls.gov

# **Unemployment Rates**

Not seasonally adjusted

			12-month
	Feb-17	Feb-16	Avg.
<b>Dayton MSA</b>	5.2%	5.1%	4.7%
Ohio	5.1%	5.0%	5.0%
U.S	4.9%	5.2%	4.9%



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS), Labor Force Statistics including the National Unemployment Rate, www.bls.gov



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