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State Motor Vehicle License Tax Distributed to Local Jurisdictions in 2022

April 2023

County	County License Revenue	Municipal License Revenue	Township License Revenue	Total License Revenue
Adams	\$1,331,688	\$67,797	\$159,056	\$1,558,541
Allen	\$2,617,531	\$365,245	\$228,645	\$3,211,422
Ashland	\$1,960,845	\$231,322	\$168,737	\$2,360,904
Ashtabula	\$2,454,507	\$338,907	\$262,400	\$3,055,814
Athens	\$1,457,993	\$112,155	\$214,892	\$1,785,041
Auglaize	\$1,766,971	\$319,746	\$131,757	\$2,218,474
Belmont	\$2,264,026	\$360,712	\$300,254	\$2,924,991
Brown	\$1,683,156	\$127,905	\$161,278	\$1,972,339
Butler	\$7,767,533	\$1,598,565	\$333,360	\$9,699,458
Carroll	\$1,404,724	\$81,321	\$171,232	\$1,657,277
Champaign	\$1,347,416	\$130,529	\$141,279	\$1,619,224
Clark	\$3,003,606	\$493,878	\$177,408	\$3,674,892
Clermont	\$4,716,057	\$167,005	\$291,952	\$5,175,014
Clinton	\$1,445,645	\$169,706	\$124,633	\$1,739,984
Columbiana	\$2,736,188	\$385,026	\$361,520	\$3,482,734
Coshocton	\$1,366,902	\$118,981	\$252,081	\$1,737,964
Crawford	\$1,332,341	\$219,920	\$182,765	\$1,735,026
Cuyahoga	\$13,086,258	\$8,949,713	\$10,342	\$22,046,313
Darke	\$2,633,618	\$293,170	\$224,472	\$3,151,260
Defiance	\$1,597,016	\$206,687	\$181,849	\$1,985,551

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Delaware	\$4,026,104	\$649,853	\$269,976	\$4,945,932
Erie	\$1,920,812	\$322,584	\$111,122	\$2,354,519
Fairfield	\$3,492,811	\$675,878	\$242,976	\$4,411,664
Fayette	\$1,246,770	\$111,450	\$85,180	\$1,443,400
Franklin	\$19,028,715	\$11,165,253	\$152,698	\$30,346,666
Fulton	\$1,826,193	\$205,533	\$159,538	\$2,191,263
Gallia	\$1,486,783	\$40,980	\$151,065	\$1,678,828
Geauga	\$2,881,320	\$158,390	\$240,110	\$3,279,819
Greene	\$2,866,027	\$892,314	\$150,231	\$3,908,572
Guernsey	\$1,642,793	\$123,617	\$246,858	\$2,013,268
Hamilton	\$14,116,328	\$4,610,949	\$266,831	\$18,994,108
Hancock	\$2,192,294	\$409,448	\$266,337	\$2,868,079
Hardin	\$1,278,357	\$116,793	\$149,060	\$1,544,210
Harrison	\$878,576	\$64,361	\$165,907	\$1,108,844
Henry	\$1,597,550	\$119,815	\$174,789	\$1,892,154
Highland	\$1,699,945	\$100,768	\$185,880	\$1,986,593
Hocking	\$1,101,441	\$57,672	\$164,420	\$1,323,532
Holmes	\$2,025,984	\$56,522	\$236,303	\$2,318,809
Huron	\$2,050,469	\$308,186	\$202,571	\$2,561,226
Jackson	\$1,273,258	\$119,695	\$158,003	\$1,550,956
Jefferson	\$1,756,955	\$259,562	\$184,930	\$2,201,447
Knox	\$2,192,054	\$161,974	\$255,044	\$2,609,072
Lake	\$3,395,643	\$1,288,315	\$91,529	\$4,775,487
Lawrence	\$1,793,575	\$159,825	\$149,967	\$2,103,367
Licking	\$4,259,681	\$927,169	\$311,671	\$5,498,521
Logan	\$1,697,405	\$187,719	\$143,750	\$2,028,874
Lorain	\$4,988,384	\$1,902,946	\$139,264	\$7,030,595
Lucas	\$6,192,510	\$2,443,977	\$174,559	\$8,811,045
Madison	\$1,508,633	\$161,974	\$51,833	\$1,722,440
Mahoning	\$6,386,539	\$786,664	\$221,452	\$7,394,655

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Marion	\$1,749,196	\$261,265	\$111,287	\$2,121,748
Medina	\$4,396,713	\$757,829	\$208,126	\$5,362,669
Meigs	\$1,057,538	\$45,747	\$203,419	\$1,306,704
Mercer	\$2,763,814	\$429,136	\$185,313	\$3,378,263
Miami	\$2,874,311	\$648,149	\$110,022	\$3,632,483
Monroe	\$1,061,089	\$33,743	\$214,996	\$1,309,828
Montgomery	\$8,238,013	\$3,620,772	\$228,239	\$12,087,024
Morgan	\$920,127	\$20,168	\$151,178	\$1,091,473
Morrow	\$1,529,140	\$52,858	\$138,491	\$1,720,489
Muskingum	\$2,853,639	\$270,252	\$296,104	\$3,419,995
Noble	\$880,901	\$32,585	\$185,573	\$1,099,058
Ottawa	\$1,387,592	\$112,964	\$127,654	\$1,628,211
Paulding	\$1,148,001	\$122,591	\$206,373	\$1,476,966
Perry	\$1,296,089	\$101,378	\$153,877	\$1,551,344
Pickaway	\$1,752,891	\$180,460	\$168,793	\$2,102,145
Pike	\$1,300,519	\$46,548	\$104,021	\$1,451,087
Portage	\$4,412,064	\$698,695	\$175,844	\$5,286,603
Preble	\$1,532,119	\$145,590	\$174,173	\$1,851,882
Putnam	\$1,606,421	\$186,523	\$255,020	\$2,047,964
Richland	\$2,825,515	\$603,849	\$240,212	\$3,669,576
Ross	\$2,229,114	\$198,619	\$209,890	\$2,637,623
Sandusky	\$1,833,798	\$286,236	\$185,940	\$2,305,973
Scioto	\$2,199,246	\$148,079	\$211,888	\$2,559,213
Seneca	\$1,957,910	\$254,662	\$258,481	\$2,471,053
Shelby	\$2,261,868	\$317,645	\$133,910	\$2,713,422
Stark	\$10,443,089	\$1,320,524	\$551,203	\$12,314,816
Summit	\$8,460,476	\$4,355,847	\$146,934	\$12,963,257
Trumbull	\$6,107,104	\$978,103	\$264,977	\$7,350,184
Tuscarawas	\$3,079,968	\$539,864	\$247,936	\$3,867,769
Union	\$2,365,919	\$248,252	\$69,449	\$2,683,620

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Van Wert	\$1,180,933	\$166,118	\$214,779	\$1,561,830
Vinton	\$787,463	\$22,931	\$133,043	\$943,436
Warren	\$4,951,483	\$921,193	\$249,071	\$6,121,747
Washington	\$2,344,645	\$192,136	\$347,175	\$2,883,955
Wayne	\$3,578,622	\$489,907	\$233,552	\$4,302,081
Williams	\$1,607,687	\$187,721	\$142,320	\$1,937,728
Wood	\$3,779,217	\$717,879	\$403,663	\$4,900,760
Wyandot	\$1,237,512	\$120,411	\$138,330	\$1,496,253
TOTAL	\$266,769,674	\$63,165,705	\$17,365,023	\$347,300,402

STATE MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE TAX DISTRIBUTION

State motor vehicle license tax is assessed on the vehicle classes listed in ORC sections 4503.04, 4503.042, and 4503.65 and at the rates specified therein. Vehicle classes subject to the tax include passenger cars, house vehicles/mopeds, motorcycles, house trailers/travel trailers, transit buses, non-commercial trucks, commercial trailers/semi-trailers, commercial trucks/tractors, non-commercial trailers, commercial buses, and farm trucks. The tax is collected throughout each month, and distributed to counties, municipalities and townships in the following month. Prior to making these distributions, two deductions and one addition are made to the base license tax amount. First, 42.6% of the tax for commercial vehicles weighing more than 26,000 pounds is transferred to the Highway Operating Fund. Second, a recurring monthly amount is paid to the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles Fund to cover administrative costs and Ohio Department of Taxation IRP audit costs. Finally, investment dividends posted to the fund are added, and the total is distributed to the local government entities as follows:

34% District:

34% of license revenue is distributed to the municipal corporation or county of registration

47% County:

47% of all license revenue collected is distributed to the county in which the resident resides

9% County Road Mileage:

9% of the total state license revenue collected is distributed to each county based on the ratio of each county's road mileage compared to the total number of county road miles in the state.

5% Township Road Mileage:

5% of the total state license revenue collected is distributed to each township based on the ratio of each township's road mileage compared to the total number of township road miles in the state.

5% Equal:

5% of the total state license revenue collected is distributed equally among all counties.

Illustration of license revenue breakdown for a passenger car registration of \$20.00

License Fee	34% Distributed to district of residence	47% Distributed to county	9% Distributed to all counties based on county road mileage	5% Distributed to all townships based on road mileage
\$20.00	\$6.80	\$9.40	\$1.80	\$1.00

Notes:

1. Ohio participates in the International Registration Plan (IRP) for commercial trucks. Commercial trucks based in Ohio and other states pay a prorated tax based on the ratio of the mileage traveled in Ohio to total mileage. The revenue depicted in the table includes IRP excess revenue.
2. For simplicity of presentation, gas tax, state license tax, and permissive motor vehicle license tax revenues for each county have been rounded to the nearest dollar. Due to rounding error, revenue distributions for each category of revenue may not equal the total distribution amount shown on the table.

Source: Department of Public Safety, Administration Division, Tax Distribution Section