

Destination Facts



1. Taxes

- a. How much is the total cumulative hotel tax? **16.5%**
- b. How much is the F&B tax? **8%**
- c. How much is the average F&B gratuity? **22%**

2. Airport

- a. How many miles from the airport to downtown?

CLE Hopkins – 12 Miles

Akron Canton Airport – 50 miles

- b. Is there public transportation, such as a bus or subway available?

Yes, RTA Red Line every twenty minutes

- c. How much does the public transportation cost? **\$2.50 each way**

- d. What is the shuttle bus fare from the airport to downtown? **varies**

- e. What is the taxi fare from airport to downtown? **\$40**

- f. How many daily flights into the airport? **240**

- g. How many daily flights out of airport? **240**

- h. Is the airport a hub for any carrier? **No**

- i. What are the major carriers serving airport?

United, American, Delta, Frontier, Southwest, US Airways,

Air Canada

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3. Hotels

- a. How many committable hotel rooms downtown on peak night?

3,200

- b. How many committable hotel rooms downtown on peak within walking distance to convention center? **3,000**

- c. How many headquarter hotel properties?

4 Hotels: Renaissance, Hilton, Westin and Marriott

- d. How many rooms available on peak night at the largest headquarter property **650**

- e. Can you list hotels by rating?? 5 star, 4 star, 3 star?

4 Star – the Ritz Carlton, Intercontinental Hotel, Westin, Hilton

3 Star – Marriott, Doubletree, Hyatt Regency, Renaissance

4. Convention Center

- a. How many total gross square feet of exhibit space at Convention Center? **225,000 gsf**

- b. How much of this exhibit space is contiguous? **225,000 gsf**

- c. How many total gross square feet of meeting space is available at the Convention center?

50,050sf in meetings rooms and 43,175sf in ballrooms: total of 93,225 sf

- d. How many meeting rooms does the convention center have?

35 / Largest room 6,600sf

- e. How many ballrooms does the convention center have?

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f. How big is the largest ballroom?

32,200sf

g. When was the last renovation or expansion?

Brand new in 2013

h. When is a future renovation/expansion scheduled? **NA**

i. Is there free Wi-Fi at the convention center?

**Yes – Complimentary Wi-Fi is available in the common spaces
of the convention center only**

j. Is there an exclusive in-house Electrical provider? **Edlen Electric**

k. Is there an exclusive in-house AV provider? **No. Colortone**

Staging and Rentals is the preferred in-house vendor.

l. Is there an exclusive in-house decorator? **No**

m. Is there an exclusive in house caterer? **Levy Restaurants**

n. Is the convention center a union property? **Yes**

o. If union property, can you provide estimated pricing list?

Please contact Center for further pricing

p. Here are a list of labor unions with whom planners may be required to work at the convention center:

- 1. Decorators**
- 2. Stagehands**
- 3. Ticket Sellers**
- 4. Teamsters**

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5. Off Site Venues

- a. How many off site venues within walking distance can host up to 2,000 people?

Global Center for Health Innovation
Rock and Roll Hall of Fame
Public Auditorium
Great Lakes Science Center
Quicken Loans Arena
First Energy Stadium
Progressive Field
Playhouse Square

- b. How many off site venues within a ten-minute bus transfer can host up to 2,000 people?

IX Center
Cleveland Art Museum
CSU Wolstein Center
Cleveland Botanical Gardens
Cleveland Zoo
Severance Hall

- c. How many restaurants are within walking distance of the convention center? **75+**

- d. Can you list 3-5 local attractions and there whereabouts?

Rock and Roll Hall of Fame
Cleveland Aquarium
Playhouse Square