

Jefferson County

Florida's 61st most populous county
with 0.1% of Florida's population



Population

	Jefferson County	Florida
Census Population		
1980 Census	10,703	9,746,961
1990 Census	11,296	12,938,071
2000 Census	12,902	15,982,824
2010 Census	14,761	18,801,332
2020 Census	14,510	21,538,187
% change 2010-2020	-1.7%	14.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	16.9%	19.5%
Race (alone) & Ethnicity		
% Not Hispanic-White	60.1%	51.5%
% Not Hispanic-Black or African American	31.7%	14.5%
% Not Hispanic-American Indian and Alaska Native	0.2%	0.2%
% Not Hispanic-Asian	0.2%	2.9%
% Not Hispanic-Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.1%
% Not Hispanic-Some Other Race	0.4%	0.6%
% Not Hispanic-Two or More Races	2.8%	3.7%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	4.5%	26.5%

Population Estimates

	County	Florida
2021 Estimate		
2021 Estimate	14,590	21,898,945
% change 2020-2021	0.6%	1.7%
Based on 2021 Estimate		
2025	15,058	23,164,008
2030	15,317	24,471,129
2035	15,468	25,520,837
2040	15,609	26,405,472
2045	15,733	27,176,715
2050	15,846	27,877,707

Population Characteristics

	County	Florida
Language spoken at home other than English		
Persons aged 5 and over	7.4%	29.4%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	3.5%	20.8%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	10.4%	8.4%

Migration

	Jefferson County	Florida
Residence 1 Year Ago		
Persons aged 1 and over		
Same house	84.5%	84.9%
Different house in the U.S.	15.1%	14.1%
Same county in Florida	2.5%	8.1%
Different county in Florida	11.3%	3.1%
Different county in another state	1.3%	2.8%
Abroad	0.4%	1.0%

Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP (Thousands of Chained 2012 Dollars)	Jefferson County	Florida
2015 GDP	280,551	852,242,411
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2016 GDP	277,120	881,539,238
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2017 GDP	277,948	912,966,152
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2018 GDP	266,423	943,463,397
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2019 GDP	274,791	971,619,168
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2020 GDP	280,391	944,000,797
Percent of the State	0.0%	

Population by Housing Type

	Jefferson County	Florida
Household Population	13,497	21,073,604
Household Population per Occupied Housing Unit	2.32	2.47
Group Quarters Population	1,013	464,583

Housing

Housing Counts	Jefferson County	Florida
Housing units, 2020 Census	6,690	9,865,350
Occupied	5,816	8,529,067
Vacant	874	1,336,283

Building Permits

Units Permitted	Jefferson County	Florida
2000	70	155,269
2010	21	38,679
2020	70	164,074
2021	112	213,494

Density

Persons per square mile	Jefferson County	Florida
2000	21.6	296.4
2010	24.7	350.6
2020	24.3	401.4
2021	24.4	408.2

Households and Family Households

	Jefferson County	Florida
Households		
Total households, 2000 Census	4,695	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	3,307	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	41.5%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	5,646	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	3,798	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	32.4%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.38	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	2.89	3.01

According to Census definitions, a household includes all of the people who occupy a housing unit. The occupants may be a single family, one person living alone, two or more families living together, or any other group of related or unrelated people who share living quarters. A family includes a householder and one or more other people living in the same household who are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. Census counts may be corrected for Census Count Question Resolution (CQR).

Employment and Labor Force

Establishments 2020	Jefferson County	Florida	Establishments % of All Industries, 2020	Jefferson County	Florida
All industries	338	763,854	All industries	338	763,854
Natural Resource & Mining	27	5,514	Natural Resource & Mining	8.0%	0.7%
Construction	42	77,720	Construction	12.4%	10.2%
Manufacturing	5	21,822	Manufacturing	1.5%	2.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	75	145,853	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	22.2%	19.1%
Information	2	13,437	Information	0.6%	1.8%
Financial Activities	77	83,911	Financial Activities	5.6%	11.0%
Professional & Business Services	121	187,348	Professional & Business Services	15.7%	24.5%
Education & Health Services	133	87,764	Education & Health Services	9.8%	11.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	111	61,008	Leisure and Hospitality	8.9%	8.0%
Other Services	59	56,385	Other Services	6.8%	7.4%
Government	71	5,895	Government	8.0%	0.8%

Average Annual Employment % of All Industries, 2020	Jefferson County	Florida	Average Annual Wage 2020	Jefferson County	Florida
All industries	2,541	8,453,489	All industries	\$35,742	\$55,840
Natural Resource & Mining	6.8%	0.8%	Natural Resource & Mining	\$34,213	\$37,710
Construction	0.4%	6.7%	Construction	\$44,486	\$55,840
Manufacturing	20.3%	4.5%	Manufacturing	\$40,553	\$66,738
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	NA	20.6%	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	NA	\$49,342
Information	5.2%	1.5%	Information	\$38,724	\$93,360
Financial Activities	8.6%	6.9%	Financial Activities	\$35,986	\$84,295
Professional & Business Services	13.9%	16.1%	Professional & Business Services	\$32,759	\$68,218
Education & Health Services	8.2%	15.3%	Education & Health Services	\$18,150	\$55,099
Leisure and Hospitality	4.4%	11.9%	Leisure and Hospitality	\$23,596	\$27,694
Other Services	NA	3.0%	Other Services	NA	\$41,131
Government	20.7%	12.5%	Government	\$39,352	\$58,821

Industries may not add to the total due to confidentiality and unclassified.

Labor Force as Percent of Population Aged 18 and Older	Jefferson County	Florida	Unemployment Rate	Jefferson County	Florida
2000	61.4%	64.2%	2000	3.7%	3.8%
2010	49.9%	61.8%	2010	9.6%	10.8%
2020	45.9%	58.6%	2020	6.1%	8.2%
2021	47.2%	59.0%	2021	4.2%	4.6%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)	Jefferson County	Florida	Per Capita Personal Income	Jefferson County	Florida
2000	\$321,113	\$472,851,789	2000	\$24,910	\$29,466
2010	\$467,584	\$732,457,478	2010	\$31,692	\$38,865
2011	\$492,641	\$771,409,454	2011	\$33,912	\$40,482
% change 2010-11	5.4%	5.3%	% change 2010-11	7.0%	4.2%
2012	\$483,418	\$800,551,723	2012	\$34,000	\$41,475
% change 2011-12	-1.9%	3.8%	% change 2011-12	0.3%	2.5%
2013	\$477,228	\$802,975,701	2013	\$33,579	\$41,069
% change 2012-13	-1.3%	0.3%	% change 2012-13	-1.2%	-1.0%
2014	\$506,406	\$861,412,339	2014	\$36,015	\$43,388
% change 2013-14	6.1%	7.3%	% change 2013-14	7.3%	5.6%
2015	\$520,037	\$919,834,894	2015	\$36,827	\$45,493
% change 2014-15	2.7%	6.8%	% change 2014-15	2.3%	4.9%
2016	\$533,838	\$954,069,719	2016	\$38,172	\$46,253
% change 2015-16	2.7%	3.7%	% change 2015-16	3.7%	1.7%
2017	\$553,341	\$1,023,131,116	2017	\$38,896	\$48,774
% change 2016-17	3.7%	7.2%	% change 2016-17	1.9%	5.5%
2018	\$573,319	\$1,087,188,628	2018	\$39,930	\$51,150
% change 2017-18	3.6%	6.3%	% change 2017-18	2.7%	4.9%
2019	\$600,595	\$1,139,799,293	2019	\$42,058	\$53,034
% change 2018-19	4.8%	4.8%	% change 2018-19	5.3%	3.7%
2020	\$640,842	\$1,209,995,921	2020	\$44,065	\$55,675
% change 2019-20	6.7%	6.2%	% change 2019-20	4.8%	5.0%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)	Jefferson County	Florida	Median Income	Jefferson County	Florida
2000	\$103,133	\$308,751,767	Median Household Income	\$49,081	\$57,703
2010	\$136,745	\$438,983,914	Median Family Income	\$62,571	\$69,670
2011	\$135,200	\$450,498,606			
% change 2010-11	-1.1%	2.6%			
2012	\$147,380	\$468,410,475			
% change 2011-12	9.0%	4.0%			
2013	\$139,535	\$482,898,301			
% change 2012-13	-5.3%	3.1%			
2014	\$149,370	\$512,375,290			
% change 2013-14	7.0%	6.1%			
2015	\$152,105	\$544,408,719			
% change 2014-15	1.8%	6.3%			
2016	\$146,329	\$569,769,284			
% change 2015-16	-3.8%	4.7%			
2017	\$150,162	\$603,668,170			
% change 2016-17	2.6%	5.9%			
2018	\$146,901	\$639,620,451			
% change 2017-18	-2.2%	6.0%			
2019	\$153,075	\$671,553,148			
% change 2018-19	4.2%	5.0%			
2020	\$163,419	\$688,764,753			
% change 2019-20	6.8%	2.6%			

Percent in Poverty, 2020	Jefferson County	Florida
All ages in poverty	17.2%	12.4%
Under age 18 in poverty	26.4%	17.2%
Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	24.9%	16.5%

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)	Jefferson County	Florida
12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2020	1.17	1.66
12-Month Period Ending December 31, 2021	0.62	1.38
State Rank	53	NA
NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13		

Workers Aged 16 and Over	Jefferson County	Florida
Place of Work in Florida		
Worked outside county of residence	65.0%	18.1%
Travel Time to Work		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	29.3	27.9

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2019-20	Jefferson County	Florida*	Expenditures 2019-20	Jefferson County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$31,027.4	\$52,645,134.4	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$32,907.63	\$48,804,501.28
Per Capita \$	\$2,155.58	\$2,553.85	Per Capita \$	\$2,286.20	\$2,367.54
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$7,640.1	\$16,651,821.4	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$3,688.73	\$8,468,311.68
Per Capita \$	\$530.78	\$807.79	Per Capita \$	\$256.27	\$410.80
% of Total	24.6%	31.6%	% of Total	11.2%	17.4%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$422.6	\$2,256,256.6	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$8,825.38	\$12,039,077.73
Per Capita \$	\$29.36	\$109.45	Per Capita \$	\$613.13	\$584.02
% of Total	1.4%	4.3%	% of Total	26.8%	24.7%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$6,902.6	\$7,095,752.8	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$2,595.91	\$5,403,299.24
Per Capita \$	\$479.55	\$344.22	Per Capita \$	\$180.35	\$262.12
% of Total	22.2%	13.5%	% of Total	7.9%	11.1%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$4,407.6	\$14,148,555.9	Transportation (\$000s)	\$6,254.61	\$5,666,984.30
Per Capita \$	\$306.21	\$686.36	Per Capita \$	\$434.53	\$274.91
% of Total	14.2%	26.9%	% of Total	19.0%	11.6%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$419.1	\$161,937.7	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$445.53	\$1,793,284.71
Per Capita \$	\$29.12	\$7.86	Per Capita \$	\$30.95	\$86.99
% of Total	1.4%	0.3%	% of Total	1.4%	3.7%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$1,484.3	\$1,629,204.3	Human Services (\$000s)	\$565.53	\$4,112,446.49
Per Capita \$	\$103.12	\$79.03	Per Capita \$	\$39.29	\$199.50
% of Total	4.8%	3.1%	% of Total	1.7%	8.4%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$9,751.0	\$10,701,605.8	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$824.53	\$1,960,626.16
Per Capita \$	\$677.43	\$519.14	Per Capita \$	\$57.28	\$95.11
% of Total	31.4%	20.3%	% of Total	2.5%	4.0%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$8,571.89	\$8,431,538.28
			Per Capita \$	\$595.52	\$409.02
			% of Total	26.0%	17.3%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$1,135.53	\$928,932.70
			Per Capita \$	\$78.89	\$45.06
			% of Total	3.5%	1.9%

* All County Governments Except Duval - The consolidated City of Jacksonville / Duval County figures are included in municipal totals rather than county government totals.

** (Not Court-Related)

Quality of Life

Crime	County	Florida
Crime rate, 2020 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	2,403.8	2,152.3
Admissions to prison FY 2020-21	20	18,149
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2020-21	137.1	82.9

State Infrastructure

Transportation	County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	110.7	12,135.8
Lane Miles	331.1	45,111.7
State Bridges		
Number	43	7,079

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)	County	Florida
Number	52	9,426
Square Footage	280,091	65,539,144

Conservation Land (land acres only)

State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	County	Florida
State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	65,970	5,478,547
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	59.7%	51.8%
% of Total Area Land	17.2%	16.0%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	1.2%	
State-Managed	67,089	5,627,174
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	60.7%	53.2%
% of Total Area Land	17.5%	16.4%
% of Florida State-Managed CL	1.2%	

Health Insurance Status

Percent Insured by Age Group	Jefferson County	Florida
Under 65 years	85.1%	83.6%
Under 19 years	90.1%	92.4%
18 to 64 years	83.4%	80.6%

State and Local Taxation

2021 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Jefferson County	Not County-Wide*
County-Wide		
County	7.9500	
School	5.8650	
Municipal		0.9921
Special Districts		0.1391

*MSTU included in Not County-Wide "County" category

Education

Public Education Schools	Jefferson County	Florida
Traditional Setting (2021-22)		
Total (state total includes special districts)	3	3,755
Elementary	1	1,876
Middle	1	568
Senior High	1	719
Combination	0	592

Educational attainment

Persons aged 25 and older	Jefferson County	Florida
% HS graduate or higher	82.6%	88.5%
% bachelor's degree or higher	23.3%	30.5%

