

# Sarasota County

Florida's 14th most populous county  
with 2% of Florida's population



## Population

	Sarasota County	Florida
<b>Census Population</b>		
1980 Census	202,251	9,746,961
1990 Census	277,776	12,938,071
% change 1980-90	37.3%	32.7%
2000 Census	325,961	15,982,824
% change 1990-00	17.3%	23.5%
2010 Census	379,448	18,801,332
% change 2000-10	16.4%	17.6%
<b>Age</b>		
% Under 18 years of age	15.7%	21.3%
% 65 years of age and over	31.2%	17.3%
<b>Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>		
% White alone	90.2%	75.0%
% Black or African American alone	4.7%	16.0%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	7.9%	22.5%
<b>Estimates and Projections</b>		
2019 Estimate	426,275	21,208,589
% change 2010-19	12.3%	12.8%
2020 Estimate	438,816	21,596,068
% change 2019-20	2.9%	1.8%
Based on 2019 Estimate		
2025	464,901	23,130,870
2030	489,585	24,426,178
2035	510,505	25,497,950
2040	529,361	26,428,726
2045	546,543	27,266,909
2019 Median Age	55.4	41.7
<b>Density</b>		
Persons per square mile		
2000	570.3	296.4
2010	682.6	350.6
2019	766.7	399.7

## Population Characteristics

	Sarasota County	Florida
Language spoken at home other than English		
Persons aged 5 and over	12.7%	29.1%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	12.3%	20.5%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	12.1%	8.9%

## Households and Family Households

	Sarasota County	Florida
<b>Households</b>		
Total households, 2000 Census	149,940	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	94,528	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	29.0%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	175,746	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	106,952	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	28.1%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.13	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	2.64	3.01

## Real Gross Domestic Product

	Sarasota County	Florida
<b>Real GDP</b>		
(Thousands of Chained 2012 Dollars)		
2015 GDP	15,905,329	839,124,321
Percent of the State	1.9%	
2016 GDP	16,423,322	866,730,997
Percent of the State	1.9%	
2017 GDP	17,014,502	896,117,037
Percent of the State	1.9%	
2018 GDP	17,814,560	924,873,329
Percent of the State	1.9%	

## Housing

	Sarasota County	Florida
<b>Housing Counts</b>		
Housing units, 2000 Census	182,467	7,302,947
Occupied	149,937	6,337,929
Owner-occupied	118,531	4,441,799
Renter-occupied	31,406	1,896,130
Vacant	32,530	965,018
Housing units, 2010 Census	228,413	8,989,580
Occupied	175,746	7,420,802
Owner-occupied	131,759	4,998,979
Renter-occupied	43,987	2,421,823
Vacant	52,667	1,568,778
<b>Units Permitted</b>		
1990	3,487	126,384
2000	3,658	155,269
2010	708	38,679
2011	744	42,360
2012	1,242	64,810
2013	1,815	86,752
2014	2,093	84,075
2015	3,522	109,924
2016	3,936	116,240
2017	4,344	122,719
2018	5,799	144,427
2019	5,230	154,302

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 (CCQR).

**Employment and Labor Force**

**Number of Establishments**

2019 preliminary	Sarasota County	Florida
All industries	16,888	728,687
Natural Resource & Mining	59	5,301
Construction	2,323	75,725
Manufacturing	455	20,782
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	2,740	140,766
Information	195	11,897
Financial Activities	2,059	77,987
Professional & Business Services	3,974	174,242
Education & Health Services	1,904	77,515
Leisure and Hospitality	1,273	59,068
Other Services	1,473	57,596
Government	97	6,044

**Percent of All Establishments**

2019 preliminary	Sarasota County	Florida
All industries	16,888	728,687
Natural Resource & Mining	0.3%	0.7%
Construction	13.8%	10.4%
Manufacturing	2.7%	2.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	16.2%	19.3%
Information	1.2%	1.6%
Financial Activities	12.2%	10.7%
Professional & Business Services	23.5%	23.9%
Education & Health Services	11.3%	10.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	7.5%	8.1%
Other Services	8.7%	7.9%
Government	0.6%	0.8%

**Average Annual Employment, % of All Industries, 2019 preliminary**

	Sarasota County	Florida
All industries	172,128	8,878,680
Natural Resource & Mining	0.2%	0.8%
Construction	8.4%	6.3%
Manufacturing	4.7%	4.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	17.2%	20.3%
Information	1.2%	1.6%
Financial Activities	5.3%	6.6%
Professional & Business Services	15.8%	15.7%
Education & Health Services	20.2%	14.9%
Leisure and Hospitality	14.7%	14.2%
Other Services	3.8%	3.2%
Government	8.4%	12.1%

**Average Annual Wage**

2019 preliminary	Sarasota County	Florida
All industries	\$47,747	\$51,761
Natural Resource & Mining	\$51,137	\$35,649
Construction	\$51,354	\$52,926
Manufacturing	\$55,289	\$63,883
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$39,032	\$46,237
Information	\$69,021	\$86,109
Financial Activities	\$75,637	\$77,030
Professional & Business Services	\$57,480	\$63,747
Education & Health Services	\$51,472	\$52,050
Leisure and Hospitality	\$25,343	\$26,681
Other Services	\$35,401	\$37,972
Government	\$54,477	\$55,897

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

**Labor Force as Percent of Population**

Aged 18 and Older	Sarasota County	Florida
1990	53.2%	64.3%
2000	54.5%	63.7%
2010	52.3%	62.2%
2019	36.4%	61.2%

**Unemployment Rate**

	Sarasota County	Florida
1990	3.8%	6.1%
2000	3.2%	3.7%
2010	11.6%	11.1%
2019	2.6%	3.1%

**Income and Financial Health**

**Personal Income (\$000s)**

	Sarasota County	Florida
1990	\$7,641,334	\$257,571,430
2000	\$13,128,757	\$472,238,563
2010	\$17,174,973	\$725,074,023
2011	\$18,183,517	\$764,633,664
% change 2010-11	5.9%	5.5%
2012	\$19,184,167	\$793,428,830
% change 2011-12	5.5%	3.8%
2013	\$19,620,972	\$795,425,004
% change 2012-13	2.3%	0.3%
2014	\$21,794,914	\$856,161,773
% change 2013-14	11.1%	7.6%
2015	\$23,531,548	\$914,928,403
% change 2014-15	8.0%	6.9%
2016	\$24,516,109	\$949,717,988
% change 2015-16	4.2%	3.8%
2017	\$26,351,335	\$1,016,818,999
% change 2016-17	7.5%	7.1%
2018	\$28,079,762	\$1,082,702,187
% change 2017-18	6.6%	6.5%
2019	\$29,007,979	\$1,125,984,012
% change 2018-19	3.3%	4.0%

**Per Capita Personal Income**

	Sarasota County	Florida
1990	\$27,315	\$19,763
2000	\$40,129	\$29,428
2010	\$45,206	\$38,475
2011	\$47,573	\$40,131
% change 2010-11	5.2%	4.3%
2012	\$49,644	\$41,115
% change 2011-12	4.4%	2.5%
2013	\$50,318	\$40,696
% change 2012-13	1.4%	-1.0%
2014	\$54,987	\$43,140
% change 2013-14	9.3%	6.0%
2015	\$58,137	\$45,273
% change 2014-15	5.7%	4.9%
2016	\$59,366	\$46,073
% change 2015-16	2.1%	1.8%
2017	\$62,789	\$48,504
% change 2016-17	5.8%	5.3%
2018	\$65,864	\$50,964
% change 2017-18	4.9%	5.1%
2019	\$66,878	\$52,426
% change 2018-19	1.5%	2.9%

**Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)**

	Sarasota County	Florida
1990	\$3,131,131	\$161,135,722
2000	\$5,932,296	\$308,751,767
2010	\$7,765,304	\$438,991,235
2011	\$7,988,528	\$450,502,115
% change 2010-11	2.9%	2.6%
2012	\$8,384,093	\$468,412,894
% change 2011-12	5.0%	4.0%
2013	\$8,821,837	\$482,900,406
% change 2012-13	5.2%	3.1%
2014	\$9,820,273	\$512,381,351
% change 2013-14	11.3%	6.1%
2015	\$10,692,877	\$544,423,234
% change 2014-15	8.9%	6.3%
2016	\$11,212,496	\$568,848,341
% change 2015-16	4.9%	4.5%
2017	\$11,889,188	\$602,210,803
% change 2016-17	6.0%	5.9%
2018	\$12,782,273	\$639,710,580
% change 2017-18	7.5%	6.2%
2019	\$13,027,148	\$672,454,824
% change 2018-19	1.9%	5.1%

**Median Income**

	Sarasota County	Florida
Median Household Income	\$58,644	\$53,267
Median Family Income	\$73,749	\$64,312

**Percent in Poverty, 2018**

	Sarasota County	Florida
All ages in poverty	10.3%	13.7%
Under age 18 in poverty	16.7%	20.0%
Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	15.7%	18.8%

**Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)**

	Sarasota County	Florida
12-Month Period Ending Jun. 30, 2019	1.66	2.07
12-Month Period Ending Jun. 30, 2020	1.45	1.89
State Rank	30	NA
NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13		

**Health Insurance Status**

**Percent Insured by Age Group**

	Sarasota County	Florida
Under 65 years	83.4%	83.9%
Under 19 years	89.6%	92.4%
18 to 64 years	81.5%	80.8%

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2017-18	Sarasota County	Florida*	Expenditures 2017-18	Sarasota County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$1,114,005.7	\$44,214,365.8	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$1,071,550.91	\$41,792,449.68
Per Capita \$	\$2,668.65	\$2,223.20	Per Capita \$	\$2,566.95	\$2,101.42
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$296,381.7	\$14,725,283.7	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$197,901.84	\$7,105,044.04
Per Capita \$	\$709.99	\$740.42	Per Capita \$	\$474.08	\$357.26
% of Total	26.6%	33.3%	% of Total	18.5%	17.0%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$153,071.5	\$2,064,228.9	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$231,330.82	\$10,202,428.55
Per Capita \$	\$366.69	\$103.79	Per Capita \$	\$554.16	\$513.00
% of Total	13.7%	4.7%	% of Total	21.6%	24.4%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$75,689.1	\$4,552,371.7	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$168,803.35	\$4,910,992.05
Per Capita \$	\$181.32	\$228.90	Per Capita \$	\$404.38	\$246.94
% of Total	6.8%	10.3%	% of Total	15.8%	11.8%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$319,609.9	\$13,745,670.4	Transportation (\$000s)	\$73,666.33	\$5,056,604.18
Per Capita \$	\$765.64	\$691.16	Per Capita \$	\$176.47	\$254.26
% of Total	28.7%	31.1%	% of Total	6.9%	12.1%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$3,350.8	\$198,680.9	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$11,750.43	\$1,566,748.75
Per Capita \$	\$8.03	\$9.99	Per Capita \$	\$28.15	\$78.78
% of Total	0.3%	0.4%	% of Total	1.1%	3.7%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$24,928.1	\$1,189,350.3	Human Services (\$000s)	\$21,505.83	\$3,545,609.16
Per Capita \$	\$59.72	\$59.80	Per Capita \$	\$51.52	\$178.28
% of Total	2.2%	2.7%	% of Total	2.0%	8.5%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$240,974.6	\$7,738,780.0	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$87,627.65	\$1,704,980.28
Per Capita \$	\$577.26	\$389.12	Per Capita \$	\$209.92	\$85.73
% of Total	21.6%	17.5%	% of Total	8.2%	4.1%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$260,923.79	\$6,807,083.14
			Per Capita \$	\$625.05	\$342.28
			% of Total	24.4%	16.3%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$18,040.88	\$892,959.54
			Per Capita \$	\$43.22	\$44.90
			% of Total	1.7%	2.1%

\* 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	Sarasota County	Florida	Workers Aged 16 and Over	Sarasota County	Florida
Crime rate, 2019 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	1,960.5	2,551.1	Place of Work in Florida		
Admissions to prison FY 2018-19	480	28,782	Worked outside county of residence	12.3%	17.7%
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2018-19	112.6	135.7	Travel Time to Work		
			Mean travel time to work (minutes)	24.1	27.4

State Infrastructure

Transportation	Sarasota County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	159.0	12,128.1
Lane Miles	716.7	45,030.3
State Bridges		
Number	119	7,044

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)		
Number	106	9,630
Square Footage	279,082	66,989,245

Conservation Land (land acres only)

State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	53,198	5,383,024
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	49.0%	51.6%
% of Total Area Land	15.0%	15.7%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	1.0%	
State-Managed	60,176	5,486,474
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	55.5%	52.6%
% of Total Area Land	16.9%	16.0%
% of Florida State-Managed CL	1.1%	

State and Local Taxation

2019 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Sarasota County	Florida
	County-Wide	Not County-Wide*
County	3.3392	0.5841
School	6.9430	
Municipal		1.4171
Special Districts	1.4135	

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

Education

Public Education Schools	Sarasota County	Florida
Traditional Setting (2019-20)	School District	
Total (state total includes special districts)	58	3,721
Elementary	28	1,878
Middle	11	575
Senior High	10	713
Combination	9	555

Educational attainment

Persons aged 25 and older	Sarasota County	Florida
% HS graduate or higher	92.8%	88.0%
% bachelor's degree or higher	34.7%	

