

# Okaloosa County

Florida's 26th most populous county

with 1% of Florida's population



## Population

Census Population	Okaloosa County	Florida
1980 Census	109,920	9,746,961
1990 Census	143,777	12,938,071
% change 1980-90	30.8%	32.7%
2000 Census	170,498	15,982,824
% change 1990-00	18.6%	23.5%
2010 Census	180,822	18,801,332
% change 2000-10	6.1%	17.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	22.3%	21.3%
% 65 years of age and over	13.9%	17.3%
Race & Ethnicity		
% White alone	81.1%	75.0%
% Black or African American alone	9.3%	16.0%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	6.8%	22.5%
<b>Estimates and Projections</b>		
2019 Estimate	201,514	21,208,589
% change 2010-19	11.4%	12.8%
2020 Projection based on 2019 estimate	203,803	21,555,986
% change 2019-20	1.1%	1.6%
2025 Projection based on 2019 estimate	214,262	23,130,870
% change 2020-25	5.1%	7.3%
2018 Median Age	38.8	41.7

Density	Okaloosa County	Florida
Persons per square mile		
2000	182.2	296.4
2010	194.4	350.6
2019	216.6	399.7

## Population Characteristics

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Language spoken at home other than English		
Persons aged 5 and over	11.4%	29.1%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	7.1%	20.5%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	22.7%	8.9%

## Households and Family Households

Households	Okaloosa County	Florida
Total households, 2000 Census	66,269	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	46,499	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	47.1%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	72,379	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	48,457	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	41.6%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.43	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	2.92	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 (CCQR).

## Employment by Industry

Number of Establishments	Okaloosa County	Florida
<b>2019 preliminary</b>		
All industries	6,765	728,687
Natural Resource & Mining	19	5,301
Construction	832	75,725
Manufacturing	158	20,782
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	1,213	140,766
Information	72	11,897
Financial Activities	803	77,987
Professional & Business Services	1,426	174,242
Education & Health Services	724	77,515
Leisure and Hospitality	801	59,068
Other Services	491	57,596
Government	145	6,044

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

## Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP	Okaloosa County	Florida
(Thousands of Chained 2012 Dollars)		
2015 GDP	9,612,196	839,124,321
Percent of the State	1.1%	
2016 GDP	9,792,508	866,730,997
Percent of the State	1.1%	
2017 GDP	10,183,734	896,117,037
Percent of the State	1.1%	
2018 GDP	10,515,093	924,873,329
Percent of the State	1.1%	

## Housing

Housing Counts	Okaloosa County	Florida
Housing units, 2000 Census	78,593	7,302,947
Occupied	66,269	6,337,929
Owner-occupied	43,995	4,441,799
Renter-occupied	22,274	1,896,130
Vacant	12,324	965,018
Housing units, 2010 Census	92,407	8,989,580
Occupied	72,379	7,420,802
Owner-occupied	47,095	4,998,979
Renter-occupied	25,284	2,421,823
Vacant	20,028	1,568,778

Units Permitted	Okaloosa County	Florida
1990	1,065	126,384
2000	1,489	155,269
2010	547	38,679
2011	749	42,360
2012	922	64,810
2013	1,045	86,752
2014	590	84,075
2015	702	109,924
2016	837	116,240
2017	1,199	122,719
2018	860	144,427
2019	896	154,302

Residence 1 Year Ago	Okaloosa County	Florida
Persons aged 1 and over		
Same house	79.4%	84.3%
Different house in the U.S.	19.9%	14.6%
Same county in Florida	10.2%	8.7%
Different county in Florida	3.1%	3.1%
Different county in another state	6.5%	2.8%
Abroad	0.8%	1.1%

**Employment by Industry**

Average Annual Employment, % of All Industries, 2019 preliminary	Okaloosa County	Florida	Average Annual Wage 2019 preliminary	Okaloosa County	Florida
All industries	85,563	8,878,680	All industries	\$47,687	\$51,761
Natural Resource & Mining	0.1%	0.8%	Natural Resource & Mining	\$33,843	\$35,649
Construction	5.0%	6.3%	Construction	\$42,318	\$52,926
Manufacturing	2.9%	4.3%	Manufacturing	\$67,279	\$63,883
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	17.1%	20.3%	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$36,942	\$46,237
Information	1.2%	1.6%	Information	\$79,585	\$86,109
Financial Activities	5.8%	6.6%	Financial Activities	\$52,812	\$77,030
Professional & Business Services	16.0%	15.7%	Professional & Business Services	\$68,835	\$63,747
Education & Health Services	11.2%	14.9%	Education & Health Services	\$47,072	\$52,050
Leisure and Hospitality	17.8%	14.2%	Leisure and Hospitality	\$22,117	\$26,681
Other Services	3.2%	3.2%	Other Services	\$37,882	\$37,972
Government	19.6%	12.1%	Government	\$59,909	\$55,897

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**Labor Force**

Labor Force as Percent of Population Aged 18 and Older	Okaloosa County	Florida	Unemployment Rate	Okaloosa County	Florida
1990	62.3%	64.3%	1990	5.9%	6.1%
2000	62.6%	63.7%	2000	3.7%	3.7%
2010	63.4%	62.2%	2010	8.4%	11.1%
2019	61.8%	61.2%	2019	2.7%	3.1%

**Income and Financial Health**

Personal Income (\$000s)	Okaloosa County	Florida	Per Capita Personal Income	Okaloosa County	Florida
1990	\$2,695,192	\$257,571,430	1990	\$18,658	\$19,763
2000	\$4,984,326	\$472,238,563	2000	\$29,114	\$29,428
2010	\$7,376,383	\$725,074,023	2010	\$40,818	\$38,474
2011	\$7,586,859	\$764,633,664	2011	\$41,438	\$40,047
% change 2010-11	2.9%	5.5%	% change 2010-11	1.5%	4.1%
2012	\$8,094,613	\$793,428,830	2012	\$42,657	\$41,055
% change 2011-12	6.7%	3.8%	% change 2011-12	2.9%	2.5%
2013	\$8,149,592	\$795,424,889	2013	\$42,292	\$40,659
% change 2012-13	0.7%	0.3%	% change 2012-13	-0.9%	-1.0%
2014	\$8,532,272	\$856,161,682	2014	\$43,838	\$43,109
% change 2013-14	4.7%	7.6%	% change 2013-14	3.7%	6.0%
2015	\$8,930,360	\$915,895,494	2015	\$45,140	\$45,287
% change 2014-15	4.7%	7.0%	% change 2014-15	3.0%	5.1%
2016	\$9,105,734	\$942,461,242	2016	\$45,470	\$45,684
% change 2015-16	2.0%	2.9%	% change 2015-16	0.7%	0.9%
2017	\$9,595,802	\$1,004,144,269	2017	\$47,111	\$47,869
% change 2016-17	5.4%	6.5%	% change 2016-17	3.6%	4.8%
2018	\$10,130,252	\$1,066,446,916	2018	\$48,875	\$50,070
% change 2017-18	5.6%	6.2%	% change 2017-18	3.7%	4.6%

  

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)	Okaloosa County	Florida	Median Income	Okaloosa County	Florida
1990	\$1,879,236	\$161,135,722	Median Household Income	\$62,048	\$53,267
2000	\$3,443,561	\$308,751,767	Median Family Income	\$74,078	\$64,312
2010	\$5,504,808	\$438,991,235			
2011	\$5,696,835	\$450,502,115			
% change 2010-11	3.5%	2.6%			
2012	\$6,177,730	\$468,412,894			
% change 2011-12	8.4%	4.0%			
2013	\$6,264,725	\$482,900,406			
% change 2012-13	1.4%	3.1%			
2014	\$6,374,104	\$512,381,351			
% change 2013-14	1.7%	6.1%			
2015	\$6,631,118	\$545,198,370			
% change 2014-15	4.0%	6.4%			
2016	\$6,875,327	\$568,197,880			
% change 2015-16	3.7%	4.2%			
2017	\$7,281,996	\$601,927,042			
% change 2016-17	5.9%	5.9%			
2018	\$7,691,064	\$634,065,871			
% change 2017-18	5.6%	5.3%			

  

Percent in Poverty, 2018	Okaloosa County	Florida
All ages in poverty	12.7%	13.7%
Under age 18 in poverty	18.1%	20.0%
Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	17.0%	18.8%

**Health Insurance Status**

Percent Insured by Age Group	Okaloosa County	Florida
Under 65 years	86.8%	83.9%
Under 19 years	92.9%	92.4%
18 to 64 years	84.4%	80.8%

**Education**

Public Education Schools Traditional Setting (2019-20)	Okaloosa County School District	Florida
Total (state total includes special districts)	42	3,721
Elementary	19	1,878
Middle	7	575
Senior High	5	713
Combination	11	555

Educational attainment Persons aged 25 and older	Okaloosa County	Florida
% HS graduate or higher	91.8%	88.0%
% bachelor's degree or higher	30.6%	29.2%

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)	Okaloosa County	Florida
12-Month Period Ending Jun. 30, 2019	1.44	2.07
12-Month Period Ending Jun. 30, 2020	1.28	1.89
State Rank	37	NA

NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13

**Quality of Life**

Crime	Okaloosa County	Florida	Workers Aged 16 and Over	Okaloosa County	Florida
Crime rate, 2019 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	2,230.6	2,551.1	Workers Aged 16 and Over		
Admissions to prison FY 2018-19	457	28,782	Place of Work in Florida		
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2018-19	226.8	135.7	Worked outside county of residence	8.9%	17.7%
			Travel Time to Work		
			Mean travel time to work (minutes)	23.7	27.4

## Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2017-18	Okaloosa County	Florida*	Expenditures 2017-18	Okaloosa County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$275,989.8	\$44,214,365.8	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$271,819.38	\$41,792,449.68
Per Capita \$	\$1,392.82	\$2,223.20	Per Capita \$	\$1,371.77	\$2,101.42
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$91,203.1	\$14,725,283.7	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$70,112.28	\$7,105,044.04
Per Capita \$	\$460.27	\$740.42	Per Capita \$	\$353.83	\$357.26
% of Total	33.0%	33.3%	% of Total	25.8%	17.0%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$2,416.6	\$2,064,228.9	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$79,469.05	\$10,202,428.55
Per Capita \$	\$12.20	\$103.79	Per Capita \$	\$401.05	\$513.00
% of Total	0.9%	4.7%	% of Total	29.2%	24.4%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$38,883.5	\$4,552,371.7	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$41,663.53	\$4,910,992.05
Per Capita \$	\$196.23	\$228.90	Per Capita \$	\$210.26	\$246.94
% of Total	14.1%	10.3%	% of Total	15.3%	11.8%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$119,246.1	\$13,745,670.4	Transportation (\$000s)	\$37,866.78	\$5,056,604.18
Per Capita \$	\$601.79	\$691.16	Per Capita \$	\$191.10	\$254.26
% of Total	43.2%	31.1%	% of Total	13.9%	12.1%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$1,038.5	\$198,680.9	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$9,833.38	\$1,566,748.75
Per Capita \$	\$5.24	\$9.99	Per Capita \$	\$49.63	\$78.78
% of Total	0.4%	0.4%	% of Total	3.6%	3.7%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$11,951.4	\$1,189,350.3	Human Services (\$000s)	\$4,674.59	\$3,545,609.16
Per Capita \$	\$60.31	\$59.80	Per Capita \$	\$23.59	\$178.28
% of Total	4.3%	2.7%	% of Total	1.7%	8.5%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$11,250.5	\$7,738,780.0	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$11,057.12	\$1,704,980.28
Per Capita \$	\$56.78	\$389.12	Per Capita \$	\$55.80	\$85.73
% of Total	4.1%	17.5%	% of Total	4.1%	4.1%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$8,791.29	\$6,807,083.14
			Per Capita \$	\$44.37	\$342.28
			% of Total	3.2%	16.3%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$8,351.38	\$892,959.54
			Per Capita \$	\$42.15	\$44.90
			% of Total	3.1%	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)

## State Infrastructure

Transportation	Okaloosa County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	215.5	12,128.1
Lane Miles	705.5	45,030.3
State Bridges		
Number	85	7,044
State Facilities		
Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)		
Number	90	9,630
Square Footage	468,016	66,989,245
Conservation Land (land acres only)		
State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	72,501	5,383,024
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	22.9%	51.6%
% of Total Area Land	12.2%	15.7%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	1.3%	
State-Managed	71,794	5,486,474
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	22.6%	52.6%
% of Total Area Land	12.1%	16.0%
% of Florida State-Managed CL	1.3%	

## State and Local Taxation

2019 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Okaloosa County	Not County-Wide*
County	3.8308	0.1396
School	6.2060	
Municipal		1.7627
Special Districts	0.0327	1.1592

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

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