

# Alachua County

Florida's 23rd most populous county  
with 1.3% of Florida's population



## Population

Census Population	Alachua County	Florida
1980 Census	151,369	9,746,961
1990 Census	181,596	12,938,071
% change 1980-90	20.0%	32.7%
2000 Census	217,955	15,982,824
% change 1990-00	20.0%	23.5%
2010 Census	247,336	18,801,332
% change 2000-10	13.5%	17.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	17.9%	21.3%
% 65 years of age and over	10.8%	17.3%
Race & Ethnicity		
% White alone	69.6%	75.0%
% Black or African American alone	20.3%	16.0%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	8.4%	22.5%
<b>Estimates and Projections</b>		
2017 Estimate	260,003	20,484,142
% change 2010-17	5.1%	9.0%
2020 Projection based on 2016 estimate	265,545	21,438,743
% change 2016-20	2.1%	4.7%
2025 Projection based on 2016 estimate	275,203	22,943,880
% change 2020-25	3.6%	7.0%
2016 Median Age	31.1	41.6

## Density

Persons per square mile	Alachua County	Florida
2000	249.3	296.4
2010	282.7	350.6
2017	297.1	382.0

## Households and Family Households

Households	Alachua County	Florida
Total households, 2000 Census	87,509	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	47,819	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	46.2%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	100,516	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	53,500	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	41.3%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.32	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	2.91	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 (CCR).

## Housing

Housing Counts	Alachua County	Florida
Housing units, 2000 Census	95,113	7,302,947
Occupied	87,509	6,337,929
Owner-occupied	48,085	4,441,799
Renter-occupied	39,424	1,896,130
Vacant	7,604	965,018
Housing units, 2010 Census	112,766	8,989,580
Occupied	100,516	7,420,802
Owner-occupied	54,768	4,998,979
Renter-occupied	45,748	2,421,823
Vacant	12,250	1,568,778
<b>Units Permitted</b>		
1990	1,137	126,384
2000	1,973	155,269
2010	454	38,679
2011	444	42,360
2012	589	64,810
2013	770	86,752
2014	762	84,075
2015	1,171	109,924
2016	1,060	116,240

## Population Characteristics

Language spoken at home other than English	Alachua County	Florida
Persons aged 5 and over	13.3% +/- 0.6%	28.1% +/- 0.1%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	10.3% +/- 0.5%	19.7% +/- 0.1%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	7.8% +/- 0.4%	9.7% +/- 0.1%

## Residence 1 Year Ago

Persons aged 1 and over	Alachua County	Florida
Same house	75.4% +/- 0.8%	83.8% +/- 0.1%
Different house in the U.S.	23.5% +/- 0.9%	15.2% +/- 0.1%
Same county in Florida	13.5% +/- 0.7%	9.4% +/- 0.1%
Different county in Florida	7.2% +/- 0.5%	3.1% +/- 0.1%
Different county in another state	2.8% +/- 0.4%	2.8% +/- 0.1%
Abroad	1.0% +/- 0.2%	0.9% +/- 0.1%

+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.

## Employment by Industry

Number of Establishments	Alachua County	Florida	Percent of All Establishments	Alachua County	Florida
<b>2016 preliminary</b>			<b>2016 preliminary</b>		
All industries	7,106	670,061	All industries	7,106	670,061
Natural Resource & Mining	92	5,368	Natural Resource & Mining	1.3%	0.8%
Construction	657	66,377	Construction	9.2%	9.9%
Manufacturing	197	20,584	Manufacturing	2.8%	3.1%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	1,294	141,643	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	18.2%	21.1%
Information	105	10,923	Information	1.5%	1.6%
Financial Activities	655	71,938	Financial Activities	9.2%	10.7%
Professional & Business Services	1,657	154,679	Professional & Business Services	23.3%	23.1%
Education & Health Services	936	71,153	Education & Health Services	13.2%	10.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	705	55,437	Leisure and Hospitality	9.9%	8.3%
Other Services	647	54,912	Other Services	9.1%	8.2%
Government	136	6,137	Government	1.9%	0.9%

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

Employment by Industry

Average Annual Employment, % of All Industries, 2016 preliminary		Florida		Average Annual Wage 2016 preliminary		Florida	
	Alachua County				Alachua County		
All industries	126,951	8,309,088		All industries	\$44,400	\$47,060	
Natural Resource & Mining	0.7%	0.9%		Natural Resource & Mining	\$28,475	\$31,501	
Construction	3.7%	5.7%		Construction	\$40,432	\$47,342	
Manufacturing	3.5%	4.3%		Manufacturing	\$51,714	\$57,824	
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	15.3%	20.6%		Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$32,472	\$41,939	
Information	1.1%	1.6%		Information	\$61,377	\$77,256	
Financial Activities	4.8%	6.5%		Financial Activities	\$48,058	\$69,701	
Professional & Business Services	10.1%	15.5%		Professional & Business Services	\$42,794	\$56,930	
Education & Health Services	18.6%	14.8%		Education & Health Services	\$48,288	\$48,616	
Leisure and Hospitality	11.7%	14.1%		Leisure and Hospitality	\$18,220	\$24,399	
Other Services	2.6%	3.3%		Other Services	\$30,351	\$33,996	
Government	27.9%	12.6%		Government	\$59,859	\$52,022	

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Labor Force

Labor Force as Percent of Population Aged 18 and Older		Florida		Unemployment Rate		Florida	
	Alachua County				Alachua County		
1990	66.4%	64.3%		1990	3.6%	6.1%	
2000	66.7%	62.2%		2000	3.0%	3.7%	
2010	63.2%	63.7%		2010	8.0%	11.1%	
2016	62.1%	61.4%		2016	4.3%	4.9%	

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)		Florida		Per Capita Personal Income		Florida	
	Alachua County				Alachua County		
1990	\$3,192,199	\$260,093,568		1990	\$17,470	\$19,956	
2000	\$5,463,087	\$477,315,998		2000	\$24,990	\$29,744	
% change 1990-2000	71.1%	83.5%		% change 1990-2000	43.0%	49.0%	
2010	\$8,784,943	\$728,063,852		2010	\$35,477	\$38,624	
% change 2000-10	60.8%	52.5%		% change 2000-10	42.0%	29.9%	
2011	\$9,224,929	\$773,315,948		2011	\$36,946	\$40,476	
% change 2010-11	5.0%	6.2%		% change 2010-11	4.1%	4.8%	
2012	\$9,241,943	\$793,103,892		2012	\$36,723	\$40,983	
% change 2011-12	0.2%	2.6%		% change 2011-12	-0.6%	1.3%	
2013	\$9,361,800	\$798,885,890		2013	\$36,966	\$40,771	
% change 2012-13	1.3%	0.7%		% change 2012-13	0.7%	-0.5%	
2014	\$9,927,464	\$853,317,759		2014	\$38,701	\$42,868	
% change 2013-14	6.0%	6.8%		% change 2013-14	4.7%	5.1%	
2015	\$10,450,311	\$900,636,248		2015	\$40,199	\$44,429	
% change 2014-15	5.3%	5.5%		% change 2014-15	3.9%	3.6%	

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)		Florida		Median Income		Florida	
	Alachua County				Alachua County		
1990	\$2,547,379	\$161,317,329		Median Household Income	\$43,073 +/- \$1,713	\$47,507 +/- \$202	
2000	\$4,526,272	\$313,054,047		Median Family Income	\$65,088 +/- \$2,368	\$57,504 +/- \$300	
% change 1990-2000	77.7%	94.1%		+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.			
2010	\$6,916,683	\$437,064,465		<b>Percent in Poverty, 2015</b>			
% change 2000-10	52.8%	39.6%		All ages in poverty	21.1%	15.8%	
2011	\$6,935,676	\$447,731,548		Under age 18 in poverty	21.6%	23.4%	
% change 2010-11	0.3%	2.4%		Ages 5-17 in families in poverty	21.4%	22.0%	
2012	\$7,152,123	\$465,347,164					
% change 2011-12	3.1%	3.9%					
2013	\$7,322,896	\$479,490,070					
% change 2012-13	2.4%	3.0%					
2014	\$7,637,117	\$508,051,449					
% change 2013-14	4.3%	6.0%					
2015	\$8,052,554	\$544,852,833					
% change 2014-15	5.4%	7.2%					

Education

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)		Florida		Public Education Schools Traditional Setting (2016-17)		Florida	
	Alachua County				Alachua County		
12-Month Period Ending March 31, 2016	0.88	2.55		Total (state total includes special districts)	School District	54	3,245
12-Month Period Ending March 31, 2017	0.92	2.10		Elementary	30	1,931	
State Rank	54	NA		Middle	9	591	
Chapter 7 & Chapter 13				Senior High	11	723	
				Combination	4	472	

Quality of Life

Crime		Florida		Educational attainment Persons aged 25 and older		Florida	
	Alachua County				Alachua County		
Crime rate, 2016 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	3,582.8	3,181.4		% HS graduate or higher	92.6% +/- 0.9%	86.9% +/- 0.1%	
Admissions to prison FY 2015-16	604	30,289		% bachelor's degree or higher	41.6% +/- 1.0%	27.3% +/- 0.2%	
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2015-16	235.0	155.3		+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.			

Workers Aged 16 and Over		Florida	
	Alachua County		
Place of Work in Florida			
Worked outside county of residence	5.9% +/- 0.5%	17.5% +/- 0.1%	
Travel Time to Work			
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	20.6 +/- 0.5	26.4 +/- 0.1	

+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2014-15	Alachua County	Florida*	Expenditures 2014-15	Alachua County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$337,274.2	\$39,173,950.7	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$341,103.85	\$37,648,543.60
Per Capita \$	\$1,323.20	\$2,071.64	Per Capita \$	\$1,338.22	\$1,990.97
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	101.1%	96.1%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$147,765.5	\$12,048,064.2	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$84,820.83	\$6,826,642.19
Per Capita \$	\$579.72	\$637.14	Per Capita \$	\$332.77	\$361.01
% of Total	43.8%	30.8%	% of Total	25.1%	17.4%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$13,194.9	\$1,603,417.1	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$107,140.62	\$8,691,656.62
Per Capita \$	\$51.77	\$84.79	Per Capita \$	\$420.34	\$459.64
% of Total	3.9%	4.1%	% of Total	31.8%	22.2%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$33,917.6	\$3,997,485.2	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$23,106.05	\$4,201,869.90
Per Capita \$	\$133.07	\$211.40	Per Capita \$	\$90.65	\$222.21
% of Total	10.1%	10.2%	% of Total	6.9%	10.7%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$64,834.2	\$12,014,816.2	Transportation (\$000s)	\$18,270.68	\$4,472,600.28
Per Capita \$	\$254.36	\$635.38	Per Capita \$	\$71.68	\$236.53
% of Total	19.2%	30.7%	% of Total	5.4%	11.4%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$1,709.0	\$213,460.3	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$6,426.26	\$1,274,070.27
Per Capita \$	\$6.70	\$11.29	Per Capita \$	\$25.21	\$67.38
% of Total	0.5%	0.5%	% of Total	1.9%	3.3%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$8,656.5	\$924,478.7	Human Services (\$000s)	\$15,159.87	\$3,046,122.82
Per Capita \$	\$33.96	\$48.89	Per Capita \$	\$59.48	\$161.09
% of Total	2.6%	2.4%	% of Total	4.5%	7.8%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$67,196.5	\$8,372,229.2	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$1,775.12	\$1,462,898.42
Per Capita \$	\$263.63	\$442.75	Per Capita \$	\$6.96	\$77.36
% of Total	19.9%	21.4%	% of Total	0.5%	3.7%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$67,146.34	\$6,734,703.84
			Per Capita \$	\$263.43	\$356.15
			% of Total	19.9%	17.2%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$17,258.10	\$937,979.28
			Per Capita \$	\$67.71	\$49.60
			% of Total	5.1%	2.4%

\* 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

	Alachua County	Florida
<b>Transportation</b>		
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	293.4	12,109.9
Lane Miles	1,040.0	43,819.1
State Bridges		
Number	70	6,783
<b>State Facilities</b>		
Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)		
Number	360	9,319
Square Footage	1,642,112	63,971,860
<b>State Owned Lands</b>		
Conservation Lands		
Parcels	160	38,326
Acreage	39,553.9	3,140,422.9
Non-Conservation Lands		
Parcels	266	5,880
Acreage	12,458.7	160,353.7

State and Local Taxation

2016 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Alachua County	Not County-Wide*
County	8.9290	1.9955
School	7.9360	
Municipal		2.8488
Special Districts	1.4121	0.3263

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

