

# Baker County

Florida's 50th most populous county  
with 0.1% of Florida's population



## Population

Census Population	Baker County	Florida
1980 Census	15,289	9,746,961
1990 Census	18,486	12,938,071
2000 Census	22,259	15,982,824
2010 Census	27,115	18,801,332
2020 Census	28,259	21,538,187
% change 2010-2020	4.2%	14.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	23.4%	19.5%
Race (alone) & Ethnicity		
% Not Hispanic-White	78.5%	51.5%
% Not Hispanic-Black or African American	13.5%	14.5%
% Not Hispanic-American Indian and Alaska Native	0.4%	0.2%
% Not Hispanic-Asian	0.6%	2.9%
% Not Hispanic-Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.1%
% Not Hispanic-Some Other Race	0.3%	0.6%
% Not Hispanic-Two or More Races	3.2%	3.7%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3.4%	26.5%
Household Population per Occupied Housing Unit	2.77	2.47
<b>Estimates and Projections</b>		
2021 Estimate	28,692	21,898,945
Based on 2020 Estimate		
2025	29,882	23,138,553
2030	31,017	24,419,127
2035	31,957	25,461,863
2040	32,728	26,356,415
2045	33,387	27,149,835
2020 Median Age	37.8	41.8

## Population Characteristics

	Baker County	Florida
Language spoken at home other than English		
Persons aged 5 and over	4.7%	29.4%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	1.8%	20.7%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	9.6%	8.6%

## Households and Family Households

Households	Baker County	Florida
Total households, 2000 Census	7,043	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	5,599	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	51.8%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	8,772	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	6,717	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	45.3%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.82	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	3.21	3.01

## Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP (Thousands of Chained 2012 Dollars)	Baker County	Florida
2015 GDP	565,437	852,242,411
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2016 GDP	600,535	881,539,238
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2017 GDP	608,781	912,966,152
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2018 GDP	595,462	943,463,397
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2019 GDP	598,797	971,619,168
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2020 GDP	634,614	944,000,797
Percent of the State	0.1%	

## Housing

Housing Counts	Baker County	Florida
Housing units, 2020 Census	9,809	9,865,350
Occupied	9,087	8,529,067
Vacant	722	1,336,283
<b>Units Permitted</b>		
1990	98	126,384
2000	111	155,269
2010	35	38,679
2011	29	42,360
2012	29	64,810
2013	57	86,752
2014	47	84,075
2015	39	109,924
2016	70	116,240
2017	155	122,719
2018	118	144,427
2019	133	154,302
2020	152	164,074
<b>Density</b>		
Persons per square mile		
2000	38.0	296.4
2010	46.3	350.6
2020	48.3	401.4
2021	49.0	408.2
<b>Residence 1 Year Ago</b>		
Persons aged 1 and over		
Same house	81.6%	84.5%
Different house in the U.S.	18.1%	14.4%
Same county in Florida	6.5%	8.5%
Different county in Florida	10.3%	3.1%
Different county in another state	1.4%	2.8%
Abroad	0.3%	1.1%

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 preliminary	Baker County	Florida
All industries	472	763,477
Natural Resource & Mining	5	5,511
Construction	73	77,530
Manufacturing	6	21,812
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	115	145,824
Information	6	13,452
Financial Activities	35	83,894
Professional & Business Services	50	187,325
Education & Health Services	51	87,735
Leisure and Hospitality	43	60,978
Other Services	50	56,376
Government	32	5,894

Establishments % of All Industries, 2020 preliminary	Baker County	Florida
All industries	472	763,477
Natural Resource & Mining	1.1%	0.7%
Construction	15.5%	10.2%
Manufacturing	1.3%	2.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	24.4%	19.1%
Information	1.3%	1.8%
Financial Activities	7.4%	11.0%
Professional & Business Services	10.6%	24.5%
Education & Health Services	10.8%	11.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	9.1%	8.0%
Other Services	10.6%	7.4%
Government	6.8%	0.8%

Average Annual Employment % of All Industries, 2020 preliminary	Baker County	Florida
All industries	7,593	8,452,413
Natural Resource & Mining	0.3%	0.8%
Construction	4.5%	6.7%
Manufacturing	NA	4.5%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	32.8%	20.6%
Information	0.8%	1.5%
Financial Activities	1.9%	6.9%
Professional & Business Services	4.1%	16.1%
Education & Health Services	10.3%	15.3%
Leisure and Hospitality	7.6%	11.9%
Other Services	1.8%	3.0%
Government	34.5%	12.5%

Average Annual Wage 2020 preliminary	Baker County	Florida
All industries	\$36,333	\$55,845
Natural Resource & Mining	\$23,527	\$37,711
Construction	\$41,858	\$55,884
Manufacturing	NA	\$66,740
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$33,273	\$49,378
Information	\$36,958	\$93,327
Financial Activities	\$45,992	\$84,238
Professional & Business Services	\$41,189	\$68,201
Education & Health Services	\$35,565	\$55,093
Leisure and Hospitality	\$16,628	\$45,092
Other Services	\$30,554	\$41,146
Government	\$41,517	\$58,795

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

Labor Force as Percent of Population Aged 18 and Older	Baker County	Florida
1990	63.3%	64.5%
2000	65.0%	64.2%
2010	57.6%	61.8%
2020	54.3%	58.8%

Unemployment Rate	Baker County	Florida
1990	7.5%	6.2%
2000	3.0%	3.8%
2010	11.3%	10.8%
2020	5.3%	3.3%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)	Baker County	Florida
1990	\$255,001	\$257,571,430
2000	\$446,473	\$472,851,789
2010	\$704,838	\$732,457,478
2011	\$721,920	\$771,409,454
% change 2010-11	2.4%	5.3%
2012	\$731,442	\$800,551,723
% change 2011-12	1.3%	3.8%
2013	\$744,043	\$802,975,701
% change 2012-13	1.7%	0.3%
2014	\$767,743	\$861,412,339
% change 2013-14	3.2%	7.3%
2015	\$807,664	\$919,834,894
% change 2014-15	5.2%	6.8%
2016	\$858,816	\$954,069,719
% change 2015-16	6.3%	3.7%
2017	\$909,393	\$1,023,131,116
% change 2016-17	5.9%	7.2%
2018	\$944,665	\$1,087,188,628
% change 2017-18	3.9%	6.3%
2019	\$993,237	\$1,139,799,293
% change 2018-19	5.1%	4.8%
2020	\$1,080,706	\$1,209,995,921
% change 2019-20	8.8%	6.2%

Per Capita Personal Income	Baker County	Florida
1990	\$13,714	\$19,763
2000	\$19,955	\$29,466
2010	\$26,040	\$38,865
2011	\$26,683	\$40,482
% change 2010-11	2.5%	4.2%
2012	\$27,031	\$41,475
% change 2011-12	1.3%	2.5%
2013	\$27,549	\$41,069
% change 2012-13	1.9%	-1.0%
2014	\$28,306	\$43,388
% change 2013-14	2.7%	5.6%
2015	\$29,523	\$45,493
% change 2014-15	4.3%	4.9%
2016	\$30,779	\$46,253
% change 2015-16	4.3%	1.7%
2017	\$32,185	\$48,774
% change 2016-17	4.6%	5.5%
2018	\$33,285	\$51,150
% change 2017-18	3.4%	4.9%
2019	\$33,913	\$53,034
% change 2018-19	1.9%	3.7%
2020	\$36,552	\$55,675
% change 2019-20	7.8%	5.0%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)	Baker County	Florida
1990	\$125,893	\$161,135,722
2000	\$200,324	\$308,751,767
2010	\$320,332	\$438,983,914
2011	\$325,512	\$450,498,606
% change 2010-11	1.6%	2.6%
2012	\$330,798	\$468,410,475
% change 2011-12	1.6%	4.0%
2013	\$331,306	\$482,898,301
% change 2012-13	0.2%	3.1%
2014	\$339,970	\$512,375,290
% change 2013-14	2.6%	6.1%
2015	\$356,617	\$544,408,719
% change 2014-15	4.9%	6.3%
2016	\$371,035	\$569,769,284
% change 2015-16	4.0%	4.7%
2017	\$395,568	\$603,668,170
% change 2016-17	6.6%	5.9%
2018	\$408,291	\$639,620,451
% change 2017-18	3.2%	6.0%
2019	\$405,462	\$671,553,148
% change 2018-19	-0.7%	5.0%
2020	\$430,338	\$688,764,753
% change 2019-20	6.1%	2.6%

Median Income	Baker County	Florida
Median Household Income	\$63,275	\$55,660
Median Family Income	\$73,022	\$67,414

Percent in Poverty, 2020	Baker County	Florida
All ages in poverty	12.8%	12.4%
Under age 18 in poverty	17.3%	17.2%
Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	18.6%	16.5%

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)	Baker County	Florida
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2020	1.42	1.78
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2021	1.05	1.45
State Rank	30	NA
NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13		

Workers Aged 16 and Over	Baker County	Florida
Place of Work in Florida		
Worked outside county of residence	53.1%	18.2%
Travel Time to Work		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	31.7	27.8

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2018-19	Baker County	Florida*	Expenditures 2018-19	Baker County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$56,751.9	\$48,723,763.0	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$55,079.26	\$44,233,424.76
Per Capita \$	\$2,008.99	\$2,407.55	Per Capita \$	\$1,949.78	\$2,185.67
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$9,232.1	\$16,114,573.3	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$3,895.70	\$7,462,947.96
Per Capita \$	\$326.81	\$796.26	Per Capita \$	\$137.91	\$368.76
% of Total	16.3%	33.1%	% of Total	7.1%	16.9%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$1,799.6	\$2,274,184.8	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$31,988.32	\$10,847,409.29
Per Capita \$	\$63.70	\$112.37	Per Capita \$	\$1,132.37	\$535.99
% of Total	3.2%	4.7%	% of Total	58.1%	24.5%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$8,428.9	\$5,241,885.1	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$1,386.86	\$5,318,683.90
Per Capita \$	\$298.38	\$259.01	Per Capita \$	\$49.09	\$262.81
% of Total	14.9%	10.8%	% of Total	2.5%	12.0%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$23,956.5	\$14,324,919.1	Transportation (\$000s)	\$2,965.54	\$5,298,301.67
Per Capita \$	\$848.05	\$707.83	Per Capita \$	\$104.98	\$261.80
% of Total	42.2%	29.4%	% of Total	5.4%	12.0%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$167.1	\$196,108.5	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$777.25	\$1,655,038.81
Per Capita \$	\$5.92	\$9.69	Per Capita \$	\$27.51	\$81.78
% of Total	0.3%	0.4%	% of Total	1.4%	3.7%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$3,884.0	\$1,713,370.3	Human Services (\$000s)	\$900.85	\$3,755,466.15
Per Capita \$	\$137.49	\$84.66	Per Capita \$	\$31.89	\$185.57
% of Total	6.8%	3.5%	% of Total	1.6%	8.5%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$9,283.8	\$8,858,722.0	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$633.35	\$1,814,978.48
Per Capita \$	\$328.64	\$437.73	Per Capita \$	\$22.42	\$89.68
% of Total	16.4%	18.2%	% of Total	1.1%	4.1%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$11,142.75	\$7,163,763.98
			Per Capita \$	\$394.45	\$353.98
			% of Total	20.2%	16.2%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$1,388.66	\$916,834.54
			Per Capita \$	\$49.16	\$45.30
			% of Total	2.5%	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	Baker County	Florida
Crime rate, 2020 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	1,423.0	2,152.3
Admissions to prison FY 2019-20	157	21,276
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2019-20	547.2	97.2

Health Insurance Status

Percent Insured by Age Group	Baker County	Florida
Under 65 years	88.9%	83.6%
Under 19 years	94.0%	92.4%
18 to 64 years	86.6%	80.6%

State Infrastructure

Transportation	Baker County	Florida
State Highway Centerline Miles	83.9	12,135.8
Lane Miles	225.6	45,111.7
State Bridges Number	38	7,079

State and Local Taxation

2020 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Baker County	
	County-Wide	Not County-Wide*
County	7.2916	
School	5.9570	
Municipal		1.0186
Special Districts	1.1090	0.2340

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

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)	Baker County	Florida
Number	147	9,426
Square Footage	1,033,633	65,539,144

Education

Public Education Schools Traditional Setting (2020-21)	Baker County School District	Florida
Total (state total includes special districts)	6	3,744
Elementary	4	1,883
Middle	1	573
Senior High	1	715
Combination	0	573

Conservation Land (land acres only)

State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	Baker County	Florida
State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	37,905	5,478,547
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	23.0%	51.8%
% of Total Area Land	10.1%	16.0%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	0.7%	
State-Managed	37,905	5,627,174
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	23.0%	53.2%
% of Total Area Land	10.1%	16.4%
% of Florida State-Managed CL	0.7%	

Educational attainment

Persons aged 25 and older	Baker County	Florida
% HS graduate or higher	85.7%	88.2%
% bachelor's degree or higher	13.2%	29.9%

