

Union County

Florida's 59th most populous county
with 0.1% of Florida's population



Population

Census Population	Union County	Florida
1980 Census	10,166	9,746,961
1990 Census	10,252	12,938,071
2000 Census	13,442	15,982,824
2010 Census	15,535	18,801,332
2020 Census	16,147	21,538,187
% change 2010-2020	3.9%	14.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	18.9%	19.5%
Race (alone) & Ethnicity		
% Not Hispanic-White	71.7%	51.5%
% Not Hispanic-Black or African American	19.8%	14.5%
% Not Hispanic-American Indian and Alaska Native	0.3%	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	2.9%	3.7%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	4.7%	26.5%
Household Population per Occupied Housing Unit	2.66	2.47
Estimates and Projections		
2020 Estimate	15,410	21,596,068
Based on 2020 Estimate		
2025	15,603	23,138,553
2030	15,722	24,419,127
2035	15,784	25,461,863
2040	15,817	26,356,415
2045	15,833	27,149,835
2020 Median Age	40.9	41.8

Population Characteristics

	Union County	Florida
Language spoken at home other than English		
Persons aged 5 and over	5.6%	29.4%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	2.8%	20.7%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	12.7%	8.6%

Households and Family Households

Households	Union County	Florida
Total households, 2000 Census	3,367	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	2,606	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	54.0%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	4,048	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	2,906	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	45.6%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.66	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	3.13	3.01

Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP (Thousands of Chained 2012 Dollars)	Union County	Florida
2015 GDP	269,699	842,269,369
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2016 GDP	264,578	870,963,202
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2017 GDP	274,725	901,903,549
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2018 GDP	265,411	936,580,274
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2019 GDP	272,507	963,255,865
Percent of the State	0.0%	

Housing

Housing Counts	Union County	Florida
Housing units, 2020 Census	4,713	9,865,350
Occupied	4,271	8,529,067
Vacant	442	1,336,283

Units Permitted

	Union County	Florida
1990	26	126,384
2000	28	155,269
2010	13	38,679
2011	9	42,360
2012	13	64,810
2013	15	86,752
2014	22	84,075
2015	23	109,924
2016	27	116,240
2017	29	122,719
2018	32	144,427
2019	35	154,302
2020	38	164,074

Density

Density	Union County	Florida
Persons per square mile		
2000	55.9	296.4
2010	63.8	350.6
2020	66.3	401.4

Residence 1 Year Ago

Persons aged 1 and over	Union County	Florida
Same house	75.3%	84.5%
Different house in the U.S.	24.7%	14.4%
Same county in Florida	2.9%	8.5%
Different county in Florida	20.6%	3.1%
Different county in another state	1.2%	2.8%
Abroad	0.0%	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	Union County	Florida	Establishments	Union County	Florida
2020 preliminary			% of All Industries, 2020 preliminary		
All industries	205	763,477	All industries	205	763,477
Natural Resource & Mining	9	5,511	Natural Resource & Mining	4.4%	0.7%
Construction	31	77,530	Construction	15.1%	10.2%
Manufacturing	6	21,812	Manufacturing	2.9%	2.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	45	145,824	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	22.0%	19.1%
Information	1	13,452	Information	0.5%	1.8%
Financial Activities	11	83,894	Financial Activities	5.4%	11.0%
Professional & Business Services	24	187,325	Professional & Business Services	11.7%	24.5%
Education & Health Services	28	87,735	Education & Health Services	13.7%	11.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	15	60,978	Leisure and Hospitality	7.3%	8.0%
Other Services	10	56,376	Other Services	4.9%	7.4%
Government	23	5,894	Government	11.2%	0.8%

Average Annual Employment	Union County	Florida	Average Annual Wage	Union County	Florida
% of All Industries, 2020 preliminary			2020 preliminary		
All industries	3,358	8,452,413	All industries	\$39,846	\$55,845
Natural Resource & Mining	2.5%	0.8%	Natural Resource & Mining	\$37,720	\$37,711
Construction	6.7%	6.7%	Construction	\$39,691	\$55,884
Manufacturing	0.9%	4.5%	Manufacturing	\$25,688	\$66,740
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	17.1%	20.6%	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$38,627	\$49,378
Information	NA	1.5%	Information	NA	\$93,327
Financial Activities	0.8%	6.9%	Financial Activities	\$45,762	\$84,238
Professional & Business Services	2.9%	16.1%	Professional & Business Services	\$42,201	\$68,201
Education & Health Services	7.8%	15.3%	Education & Health Services	\$40,862	\$55,093
Leisure and Hospitality	2.9%	11.9%	Leisure and Hospitality	\$15,888	\$45,092
Other Services	0.8%	3.0%	Other Services	\$24,068	\$41,146
Government	57.3%	12.5%	Government	\$41,551	\$58,795

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

Labor Force as Percent of Population	Union County	Florida	Unemployment Rate	Union County	Florida
Aged 18 and Older					
1990	49.4%	64.5%	1990	5.2%	6.2%
2000	43.5%	64.2%	2000	4.4%	3.8%
2010	43.7%	61.8%	2010	8.5%	10.8%
2020	35.8%	58.8%	2020	5.1%	3.3%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)	Union County	Florida	Per Capita Personal Income	Union County	Florida
1990	\$105,172	\$257,571,430	1990	\$10,218	\$19,763
2000	\$191,995	\$472,238,563	2000	\$14,275	\$29,428
2010	\$267,726	\$725,074,023	2010	\$17,226	\$38,475
2011	\$274,250	\$764,633,664	2011	\$17,922	\$40,131
% change 2010-11	2.4%	5.5%	% change 2010-11	4.0%	4.3%
2012	\$273,547	\$793,428,830	2012	\$17,932	\$41,115
% change 2011-12	-0.3%	3.8%	% change 2011-12	0.1%	2.5%
2013	\$277,666	\$795,425,004	2013	\$18,316	\$40,696
% change 2012-13	1.5%	0.3%	% change 2012-13	2.1%	-1.0%
2014	\$285,674	\$856,161,773	2014	\$18,723	\$43,140
% change 2013-14	2.9%	7.6%	% change 2013-14	2.2%	6.0%
2015	\$300,314	\$914,928,403	2015	\$19,673	\$45,273
% change 2014-15	5.1%	6.9%	% change 2014-15	5.1%	4.9%
2016	\$302,527	\$949,717,988	2016	\$19,853	\$46,073
% change 2015-16	0.7%	3.8%	% change 2015-16	0.9%	1.8%
2017	\$321,810	\$1,016,818,999	2017	\$20,832	\$48,504
% change 2016-17	6.4%	7.1%	% change 2016-17	4.9%	5.3%
2018	\$332,333	\$1,082,702,187	2018	\$21,681	\$50,964
% change 2017-18	3.3%	6.5%	% change 2017-18	4.1%	5.1%
2019	\$341,919	\$1,125,984,012	2019	\$22,440	\$52,426
% change 2018-19	2.9%	4.0%	% change 2018-19	3.5%	2.9%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)	Union County	Florida	Median Income	Union County	Florida
1990	\$94,590	\$161,135,722	Median Household Income	\$44,270	\$55,660
2000	\$149,569	\$308,751,767	Median Family Income	\$53,719	\$67,414
2010	\$207,180	\$438,991,235			
2011	\$203,989	\$450,502,115	Percent in Poverty, 2019		
% change 2010-11	-1.5%	2.6%	All ages in poverty	19.9%	12.7%
2012	\$203,663	\$468,412,894	Under age 18 in poverty	20.2%	18.2%
% change 2011-12	-0.2%	4.0%	Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	18.7%	16.9%
2013	\$202,915	\$482,900,406			
% change 2012-13	-0.4%	3.1%	Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate		
2014	\$192,110	\$512,381,351	(per 1,000 population)		
% change 2013-14	-5.3%	6.1%	12-Month Period Ending March 30, 2020	1.04	2.05
2015	\$198,446	\$544,423,234	12-Month Period Ending March 30, 2021	0.52	1.49
% change 2014-15	3.3%	6.3%	State Rank	58	NA
2016	\$203,519	\$568,848,341	NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13		
% change 2015-16	2.6%	4.5%			
2017	\$207,976	\$602,210,803			
% change 2016-17	2.2%	5.9%	Workers Aged 16 and Over		
2018	\$203,419	\$639,710,580	Place of Work in Florida		
% change 2017-18	-2.2%	6.2%	Worked outside county of residence	44.5%	18.2%
2019	\$207,187	\$672,454,824	Travel Time to Work		
% change 2018-19	1.9%	5.1%	Mean travel time to work (minutes)	24.7	27.8

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2018-19	Union County	Florida*	Expenditures 2018-19	Union County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$14,630.2	\$48,723,763.0	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$14,808.56	\$44,233,424.76
Per Capita \$	\$943.58	\$2,407.55	Per Capita \$	\$955.08	\$2,185.67
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$3,481.9	\$16,114,573.3	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$2,410.59	\$7,462,947.96
Per Capita \$	\$224.57	\$796.26	Per Capita \$	\$155.47	\$368.76
% of Total	23.8%	33.1%	% of Total	16.3%	16.9%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$699.3	\$2,274,184.8	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$4,989.88	\$10,847,409.29
Per Capita \$	\$45.10	\$112.37	Per Capita \$	\$321.82	\$535.99
% of Total	4.8%	4.7%	% of Total	33.7%	24.5%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$7,892.2	\$5,241,885.1	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$1,164.29	\$5,318,683.90
Per Capita \$	\$509.01	\$259.01	Per Capita \$	\$75.09	\$262.81
% of Total	53.9%	10.8%	% of Total	7.9%	12.0%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$1,204.1	\$14,324,919.1	Transportation (\$000s)	\$3,291.37	\$5,298,301.67
Per Capita \$	\$77.66	\$707.83	Per Capita \$	\$212.28	\$261.80
% of Total	8.2%	29.4%	% of Total	22.2%	12.0%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$48.1	\$196,108.5	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$408.59	\$1,655,038.81
Per Capita \$	\$3.10	\$9.69	Per Capita \$	\$26.35	\$81.78
% of Total	0.3%	0.4%	% of Total	2.8%	3.7%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$208.4	\$1,713,370.3	Human Services (\$000s)	\$340.36	\$3,755,466.15
Per Capita \$	\$13.44	\$84.66	Per Capita \$	\$21.95	\$185.57
% of Total	1.4%	3.5%	% of Total	2.3%	8.5%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$1,096.2	\$8,858,722.0	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$297.09	\$1,814,978.48
Per Capita \$	\$70.70	\$437.73	Per Capita \$	\$19.16	\$89.68
% of Total	7.5%	18.2%	% of Total	2.0%	4.1%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$1,096.21	\$7,163,763.98
			Per Capita \$	\$70.70	\$353.98
			% of Total	7.4%	16.2%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$810.17	\$916,834.54
			Per Capita \$	\$52.25	\$45.30
			% of Total	5.5%	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	Union County	Florida
Crime rate, 2020 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	869.6	2,152.3
Admissions to prison FY 2019-20	33	21,276
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2019-20	214.1	98.5

State Infrastructure

Transportation	Union County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	57.6	12,135.8
Lane Miles	115.2	45,111.7
State Bridges		
Number	12	7,079

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)	Union County	Florida
Number	315	9,426
Square Footage	1,798,622	65,539,144

Conservation Land (land acres only)

State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	Union County	Florida
Number	199	5,478,547
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	84.7%	51.8%
% of Total Area Land	0.1%	16.0%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	0.0%	
State-Managed	Union County	Florida
Number	199	5,627,174
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	84.7%	53.2%
% of Total Area Land	0.1%	16.4%
% of Florida State-Managed CL	0.0%	

Health Insurance Status

Percent Insured by Age Group	Union County	Florida
Under 65 years	87.5%	83.6%
Under 19 years	92.7%	92.4%
18 to 64 years	84.6%	80.6%

State and Local Taxation

2020 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Union County	Florida
County-Wide	10.0000	Not County-Wide*
County	6.0810	
School		
Municipal		0.4285
Special Districts	0.8696	

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

Education

Public Education Schools	Union County	Florida
Traditional Setting (2020-21)	School District	
Total (state total includes special districts)	3	3,744
Elementary	1	1,883
Middle	1	573
Senior High	1	715
Combination	0	573
Educational attainment	Union County	Florida
Persons aged 25 and older		
% HS graduate or higher	76.5%	88.2%
% bachelor's degree or higher	9.2%	29.9%

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