

Jackson County

Florida's 42nd most populous county
with 0.2% of Florida's population



Population

Census Population	Jackson County	Florida
1980 Census	39,154	9,746,961
1990 Census	41,375	12,938,071
2000 Census	46,755	15,982,824
2010 Census	49,746	18,801,332
2020 Census	47,319	21,538,187
% change 2010-2020	-4.9%	14.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	19.1%	19.5%
% Aged 65 and over	20.2%	21.2%
% Median age	42.9	43.0
Gender		
% Male	54.4%	48.6%
% Female	45.6%	51.4%
Race (alone) & Ethnicity		
% Not Hispanic-White	64.7%	51.5%
% Not Hispanic-Black or African American	25.4%	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	3.8%	3.7%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	4.7%	26.5%

Population Estimates

	Jackson County	Florida
2021 Estimate	47,198	21,898,945
% change 2020-2021	-0.3%	1.7%
2022 Estimate	48,395	22,276,132
% change 2020-2022	2.3%	3.4%
2023 Estimate	48,982	22,634,867
% change 2020-2023	3.5%	5.1%
Based on 2023 Estimate		
2025	49,269	23,292,200
2030	49,820	24,698,545
2035	50,253	25,814,954
2040	50,610	26,682,030
2045	50,908	27,409,376
2050	51,194	28,065,018

Population Characteristics

	Jackson County	Florida
Language Spoken at home (% of total persons aged 5 and over)		
Speak only English	94.2%	70.1%
Speak a language other than English	5.8%	29.9%
Speak English "very well"	3.7%	18.1%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	2.3%	21.1%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	8.3%	7.9%

Migration

Residence 1 Year Ago	Jackson County	Florida
Persons aged 1 and over		
Same house	88.1%	85.6%
Different house in the U.S.	11.4%	13.5%
Same county in Florida	3.7%	7.4%
Different county in Florida	6.5%	3.1%
Different county in another state	1.2%	3.0%
Abroad	0.5%	0.9%

Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP (Thousands of Chained 2017 Dollars)	Jackson County	Florida
2017 GDP	1,312,518	1,014,866,863
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2018 GDP	1,322,421	1,050,433,812
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2019 GDP	1,345,118	1,079,271,045
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2020 GDP	1,321,265	1,068,377,540
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2021 GDP	1,330,866	1,164,778,182
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2022 GDP	1,303,591	1,218,430,197
Percent of the State	0.1%	

Population by Housing Type

	Jackson County	Florida
Household Population	40,807	21,073,604
Household Population per Occupied Housing Unit	2.39	2.47
Group Quarters Population	6,512	464,583

Housing

Housing Counts	Jackson County	Florida
Housing units, 2020 Census	19,882	9,865,350
Occupied	17,083	8,529,067
Vacant	2,799	1,336,283

Building Permits

Units Permitted	Jackson County	Florida
2000	269	155,269
2010	58	38,679
2020	140	164,074
2021	103	213,494
2022	126	211,962
2023	143	193,788

Density

Persons per square mile	Jackson County	Florida
2000	51.1	296.4
2010	54.2	350.6
2020	51.5	401.4
2023	53.3	421.9

Households and Family Households

Households	Jackson County	Florida
Total households, 2000 Census	16,620	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	11,607	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	44.2%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	17,417	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	11,637	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	38.3%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.40	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	2.92	3.01
Total households, 2020 Census	17,083	8,529,067
Family households, 2020 Census	11,179	5,571,482
% with own children under 18	35.8%	36.0%

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).

Employment and Labor Force

Establishments			Establishments		
2023, preliminary	Jackson County	Florida	% of All Industries, 2023, preliminary	Jackson County	Florida
All industries	1,027	878,638	All industries	1,027	878,638
Natural Resource & Mining	52	5,768	Natural Resource & Mining	5.1%	0.7%
Construction	97	82,713	Construction	9.4%	9.4%
Manufacturing	22	25,594	Manufacturing	2.1%	2.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	237	151,461	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	23.1%	17.2%
Information	8	19,747	Information	0.8%	2.2%
Financial Activities	85	95,110	Financial Activities	8.3%	10.8%
Professional & Business Services	120	226,854	Professional & Business Services	11.7%	25.8%
Education & Health Services	142	100,471	Education & Health Services	13.8%	11.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	106	66,292	Leisure and Hospitality	10.3%	7.5%
Other Services	61	59,538	Other Services	5.9%	6.8%
Government	69	5,831	Government	6.7%	0.7%

Average Annual Employment			Average Annual Wage		
% of All Industries, 2023, preliminary	Jackson County	Florida	2023, preliminary	Jackson County	Florida
All industries	14,863	9,680,249	All industries	\$45,564	\$66,443
Natural Resource & Mining	1.8%	0.7%	Natural Resource & Mining	\$44,337	\$46,399
Construction	7.0%	6.5%	Construction	\$57,585	\$66,905
Manufacturing	3.9%	4.3%	Manufacturing	\$48,976	\$78,331
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	23.1%	20.2%	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$42,213	\$59,165
Information	0.2%	1.6%	Information	\$63,649	\$112,706
Financial Activities	2.7%	7.0%	Financial Activities	\$51,960	\$100,986
Professional & Business Services	6.8%	16.7%	Professional & Business Services	\$55,940	\$83,076
Education & Health Services	10.4%	15.1%	Education & Health Services	\$39,360	\$63,872
Leisure and Hospitality	7.8%	13.4%	Leisure and Hospitality	\$19,960	\$35,532
Other Services	2.4%	3.0%	Other Services	\$40,373	\$49,297
Government	33.5%	11.2%	Government	\$50,629	\$67,715

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

Labor Force as Percent of Population			Unemployment Rate		
Aged 18 and Older	Jackson County	Florida		Jackson County	Florida
2000	53.4%	63.7%	2000	4.6%	3.7%
2010	47.1%	61.8%	2010	8.8%	10.8%
2020	45.6%	58.5%	2020	5.8%	8.1%
2021	45.1%	59.1%	2021	4.7%	4.7%
2022	42.9%	59.8%	2022	3.3%	3.0%
2023	44.2%	60.5%	2023	3.4%	2.9%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)			Per Capita Personal Income		
	Jackson County	Florida		Jackson County	Florida
2000	\$894,913	\$471,588,082	2000	\$19,163	\$29,387
2010	\$1,386,452	\$730,690,145	2010	\$27,907	\$38,778
% change 2000-2010	54.9%	54.9%	% change 2000-2010	45.6%	32.0%
2020	\$1,778,782	\$1,221,121,559	2020	\$37,783	\$56,561
% change 2010-2020	28.3%	67.1%	% change 2010-2020	35.4%	45.9%
2021	\$1,914,602	\$1,376,879,460	2021	\$40,603	\$63,078
% change 2020-2021	7.6%	12.8%	% change 2020-2021	7.5%	11.5%
2022	\$1,912,479	\$1,441,598,918	2022	\$39,669	\$64,806
% change 2021-2022	-0.1%	4.7%	% change 2021-2022	-2.3%	2.7%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)		
	Jackson County	Florida
2000	\$493,357	\$308,751,767
2010	\$727,447	\$439,036,383
% change 2000-2010	47.4%	42.2%
2020	\$911,622	\$683,698,267
% change 2010-2020	25.3%	55.7%
2021	\$950,904	\$768,399,192
% change 2020-2021	4.3%	12.4%
2022	\$979,636	\$844,048,879
% change 2021-2022	3.0%	9.8%

Median Income		
	Jackson County	Florida
Median Household Income	\$46,144	\$67,917
Median Family Income	\$58,273	\$81,514

Percent in Poverty, 2022		
	Jackson County	Florida
All ages in poverty	17.5%	12.7%
Under age 18 in poverty	26.5%	17.3%
Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	25.0%	16.1%

Workers Aged 16 and Over		
	Jackson County	Florida
Place of Work in Florida		
Worked outside county of residence	27.2%	17.3%
Travel Time to Work		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	27.0	27.9

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)		
	Jackson County	Florida
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2022	0.81	1.14
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2023	0.88	1.16
State Rank	32	NA

NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2020-21	Jackson County	Florida*	Expenditures 2020-21	Jackson County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$89,768.5	\$81,512,347.2	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$82,603.81	\$77,064,319.71
Per Capita \$	\$1,901.96	\$3,903.45	Per Capita \$	\$1,750.15	\$3,690.44
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$22,136.5	\$28,700,395.9	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$13,528.04	\$30,930,327.83
Per Capita \$	\$469.01	\$1,374.40	Per Capita \$	\$286.62	\$1,481.19
% of Total	24.7%	35.2%	% of Total	16.4%	40.1%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$2,390.6	\$3,079,751.7	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$19,915.44	\$13,640,661.35
Per Capita \$	\$50.65	\$147.48	Per Capita \$	\$421.96	\$653.22
% of Total	2.7%	3.8%	% of Total	24.1%	17.7%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$26,021.6	\$9,164,789.4	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$1,969.93	\$5,265,524.83
Per Capita \$	\$551.33	\$438.88	Per Capita \$	\$41.74	\$252.15
% of Total	29.0%	11.2%	% of Total	2.4%	6.8%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$8,595.6	\$23,760,013.8	Transportation (\$000s)	\$22,311.05	\$5,650,946.87
Per Capita \$	\$182.12	\$1,137.82	Per Capita \$	\$472.71	\$270.61
% of Total	9.6%	29.1%	% of Total	27.0%	7.3%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$451.9	\$338,738.4	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$5,349.36	\$1,975,239.15
Per Capita \$	\$9.57	\$16.22	Per Capita \$	\$113.34	\$94.59
% of Total	0.5%	0.4%	% of Total	6.5%	2.6%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$1,727.7	\$4,467,076.4	Human Services (\$000s)	\$1,434.70	\$4,694,300.07
Per Capita \$	\$36.61	\$213.92	Per Capita \$	\$30.40	\$224.80
% of Total	1.9%	5.5%	% of Total	1.7%	6.1%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$28,444.7	\$12,001,581.6	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$1,676.52	\$1,794,823.73
Per Capita \$	\$602.67	\$574.73	Per Capita \$	\$35.52	\$85.95
% of Total	31.7%	14.7%	% of Total	2.0%	2.3%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$15,234.88	\$10,103,703.21
			Per Capita \$	\$322.79	\$483.84
			% of Total	18.4%	13.1%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$1,183.91	\$3,008,792.67
			Per Capita \$	\$25.08	\$144.08
			% of Total	1.4%	3.9%

* 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	Jackson County	Florida
Crime rate, 2020 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	802.8	2,158.0
Admissions to prison FY 2022-23	150	27,209
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2022-23	306.2	120.2

State Infrastructure

Transportation	Jackson County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	241.7	12,123.4
Lane Miles	637.5	45,337.5
State Bridges		
Number	66	7,079

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)	Jackson County	Florida
Number	391	9,426
Square Footage	2,108,853	65,539,144

Conservation Land (land acres only)

	Jackson County	Florida
State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	18,996	5,689,323
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	93.4%	54.9%
% of Total Area Land	3.2%	16.6%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	0.3%	

Other County Profiles

Criminal Justice County Profiles
School District Profiles

Health Insurance Status

Percent Insured by Age Group	Jackson County	Florida
Under 65 years	88.5%	86.1%
Under 19 years	94.0%	92.7%
18 to 64 years	86.3%	83.8%

State and Local Taxation

2023	Jackson County	Not County-Wide*
County	7.9450	
School	5.1720	
Municipal		0.8005
Special Districts	0.0234	

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

Education

Public Education Schools	Jackson County	Florida
Traditional Setting (2023-24)	School District	
Total (state total includes special districts)	13	3,787
Elementary	4	1,877
Middle	1	565
Senior High	3	729
Combination	5	616

Educational attainment

Persons aged 25 and older	Jackson County	Florida
% HS graduate or higher	84.2%	89.3%
% bachelor's degree or higher	13.9%	32.3%

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