

# Marion County

Florida's 18th most populous county  
with 1.8% of Florida's population



## Population

Census Population	Marion County	Florida
1980 Census	122,488	9,746,961
1990 Census	194,835	12,938,071
2000 Census	258,916	15,982,824
2010 Census	331,303	18,801,332
2020 Census	375,908	21,538,187
% change 2010-2020	13.5%	14.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	18.0%	19.5%
% Aged 65 and over	29.8%	21.2%
% Median age	50.3	43.0
Gender		
% Male	47.9%	48.6%
% Female	52.1%	51.4%
Race (alone) & Ethnicity		
% Not Hispanic-White	67.5%	51.5%
% Not Hispanic-Black or African American	11.4%	14.5%
% Not Hispanic-American Indian and Alaska Native	0.3%	0.2%
% Not Hispanic-Asian	1.6%	2.9%
% Not Hispanic-Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.1%
% Not Hispanic-Some Other Race	0.5%	0.6%
% Not Hispanic-Two or More Races	3.9%	3.7%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	14.9%	26.5%

## Population Estimates

	Marion County	Florida
2021 Estimate	381,176	21,898,945
% change 2020-2021	1.4%	1.7%
2022 Estimate	391,983	22,276,132
% change 2020-2022	4.3%	3.4%
2023 Estimate	403,966	22,634,867
% change 2020-2023	7.5%	5.1%
Based on 2023 Estimate		
2025	417,101	23,292,200
2030	446,399	24,698,545
2035	471,093	25,814,954
2040	491,661	26,682,030
2045	510,191	27,409,376
2050	526,535	28,065,018

## Population Characteristics

	Marion County	Florida
Language Spoken at home (% of total persons aged 5 and over)		
Speak only English	85.6%	70.1%
Speak a language other than English	14.4%	29.9%
Speak English "very well"	9.5%	18.1%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	8.2%	21.1%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	11.5%	7.9%

## Migration

Residence 1 Year Ago Persons aged 1 and over	Marion County	Florida
Same house	88.1%	85.6%
Different house in the U.S.	11.4%	13.5%
Same county in Florida	5.2%	7.4%
Different county in Florida	2.9%	3.1%
Different county in another state	3.4%	3.0%
Abroad	0.4%	0.9%

## Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP (Thousands of Chained 2017 Dollars)	Marion County	Florida
2017 GDP	9,763,722	1,014,866,863
Percent of the State	1.0%	
2018 GDP	10,173,070	1,050,433,812
Percent of the State	1.0%	
2019 GDP	10,291,593	1,079,271,045
Percent of the State	1.0%	
2020 GDP	10,698,622	1,068,377,540
Percent of the State	1.0%	
2021 GDP	11,457,254	1,164,778,182
Percent of the State	1.0%	
2022 GDP	11,682,542	1,218,430,197
Percent of the State	1.0%	

## Population by Housing Type

	Marion County	Florida
Household Population	366,227	21,073,604
Household Population per Occupied Housing Unit	2.33	2.47
Group Quarters Population	9,681	464,583

## Housing

Housing Counts	Marion County	Florida
Housing units, 2020 Census	177,380	9,865,350
Occupied	156,906	8,529,067
Vacant	20,474	1,336,283

## Building Permits

Units Permitted	Marion County	Florida
2000	2,354	155,269
2010	481	38,679
2020	3,827	164,074
2021	6,229	213,494
2022	6,489	211,962
2023	5,197	193,788

## Density

Persons per square mile	Marion County	Florida
2000	164.0	296.4
2010	209.1	350.6
2020	236.7	401.4
2023	254.3	421.9

## Households and Family Households

	Marion County	Florida
Households		
Total households, 2000 Census	106,755	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	74,637	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	35.4%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	137,726	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	92,554	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	31.9%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.35	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	2.80	3.01
Total households, 2020 Census	156,906	8,529,067
Family households, 2020 Census	102,412	5,571,482
% with own children under 18	28.9%	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 2023, preliminary	Marion County	Florida	Establishments % of All Industries, 2023, preliminary	Marion County	Florida
All industries	10,147	878,638	All industries	10,147	878,638
Natural Resource & Mining	303	5,768	Natural Resource & Mining	3.0%	0.7%
Construction	1,319	82,713	Construction	13.0%	9.4%
Manufacturing	300	25,594	Manufacturing	3.0%	2.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	1,989	151,461	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	19.6%	17.2%
Information	125	19,747	Information	1.2%	2.2%
Financial Activities	1,004	95,110	Financial Activities	9.9%	10.8%
Professional & Business Services	1,971	226,854	Professional & Business Services	19.4%	25.8%
Education & Health Services	1,248	100,471	Education & Health Services	12.3%	11.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	805	66,292	Leisure and Hospitality	7.9%	7.5%
Other Services	687	59,538	Other Services	6.8%	6.8%
Government	105	5,831	Government	1.0%	0.7%

Average Annual Employment % of All Industries, 2023, preliminary	Marion County	Florida
All industries	117,384	9,680,249
Natural Resource & Mining	1.5%	0.7%
Construction	7.7%	6.5%
Manufacturing	8.3%	4.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	25.3%	20.2%
Information	0.5%	1.6%
Financial Activities	3.4%	7.0%
Professional & Business Services	8.6%	16.7%
Education & Health Services	16.7%	15.1%
Leisure and Hospitality	12.0%	13.4%
Other Services	2.6%	3.0%
Government	13.2%	11.2%

Average Annual Wage 2023, preliminary	Marion County	Florida
All industries	\$50,071	\$66,443
Natural Resource & Mining	\$45,376	\$46,399
Construction	\$55,822	\$66,905
Manufacturing	\$58,858	\$78,331
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$46,146	\$59,165
Information	\$79,124	\$112,706
Financial Activities	\$61,632	\$100,986
Professional & Business Services	\$53,066	\$83,076
Education & Health Services	\$60,793	\$63,872
Leisure and Hospitality	\$26,213	\$35,532
Other Services	\$39,664	\$49,297
Government	\$53,329	\$67,715

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

Labor Force as Percent of Population Aged 18 and Older	Marion County	Florida
2000	53.6%	63.7%
2010	49.1%	61.8%
2020	46.1%	58.5%
2021	45.9%	59.1%
2022	45.8%	59.8%
2023	46.2%	60.5%

Unemployment Rate	Marion County	Florida
2000	4.1%	3.7%
2010	13.2%	10.8%
2020	7.4%	8.1%
2021	5.0%	4.7%
2022	3.6%	3.0%
2023	3.6%	2.9%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)	Marion County	Florida
2000	\$6,070,437	\$471,588,082
2010	\$10,106,495	\$730,690,145
% change 2000-2010	66.5%	54.9%
2020	\$15,436,434	\$1,221,121,559
% change 2010-2020	52.7%	67.1%
2021	\$17,332,265	\$1,376,879,460
% change 2020-2021	12.3%	12.8%
2022	\$17,648,907	\$1,441,598,918
% change 2021-2022	1.8%	4.7%

Per Capita Personal Income	Marion County	Florida
2000	\$23,328	\$29,387
2010	\$30,494	\$38,778
% change 2000-2010	30.7%	32.0%
2020	\$40,896	\$56,561
% change 2010-2020	34.1%	45.9%
2021	\$45,009	\$63,078
% change 2020-2021	10.1%	11.5%
2022	\$44,521	\$64,806
% change 2021-2022	-1.1%	2.7%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)	Marion County	Florida
2000	\$3,143,291	\$308,751,767
2010	\$4,549,998	\$439,036,383
% change 2000-2010	44.8%	42.2%
2020	\$6,802,303	\$683,698,267
% change 2010-2020	49.5%	55.7%
2021	\$7,623,498	\$768,399,192
% change 2020-2021	12.1%	12.4%
2022	\$8,235,700	\$844,048,879
% change 2021-2022	8.0%	9.8%

Median Income	Marion County	Florida
Median Household Income	\$55,265	\$67,917
Median Family Income	\$66,666	\$81,514
<b>Percent in Poverty, 2022</b>		
All ages in poverty	15.6%	12.7%
Under age 18 in poverty	23.2%	17.3%
Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	21.3%	16.1%

Workers Aged 16 and Over	Marion County	Florida
Place of Work in Florida		
Worked outside county of residence	17.8%	17.3%
Travel Time to Work		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	26.4	27.9

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)	Marion County	Florida
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2022	0.86	1.14
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2023	0.72	1.16
State Rank	46	NA

NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2020-21	Marion County	Florida*	Expenditures 2020-21	Marion County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$1,060,069.9	\$81,512,347.2	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$939,701.57	\$77,064,319.71
Per Capita \$	\$2,781.05	\$3,903.45	Per Capita \$	\$2,465.27	\$3,690.44
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$234,887.5	\$28,700,395.9	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$464,784.22	\$30,930,327.83
Per Capita \$	\$616.22	\$1,374.40	Per Capita \$	\$1,219.34	\$1,481.19
% of Total	22.2%	35.2%	% of Total	49.5%	40.1%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$70,801.1	\$3,079,751.7	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$220,185.05	\$13,640,661.35
Per Capita \$	\$185.74	\$147.48	Per Capita \$	\$577.65	\$653.22
% of Total	6.7%	3.8%	% of Total	23.4%	17.7%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$143,715.5	\$9,164,789.4	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$53,709.58	\$5,265,524.83
Per Capita \$	\$377.03	\$438.88	Per Capita \$	\$140.90	\$252.15
% of Total	13.6%	11.2%	% of Total	5.7%	6.8%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$508,666.7	\$23,760,013.8	Transportation (\$000s)	\$38,602.34	\$5,650,946.87
Per Capita \$	\$1,334.47	\$1,137.82	Per Capita \$	\$101.27	\$270.61
% of Total	48.0%	29.1%	% of Total	4.1%	7.3%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$3,038.0	\$338,738.4	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$6,572.47	\$1,975,239.15
Per Capita \$	\$7.97	\$16.22	Per Capita \$	\$17.24	\$94.59
% of Total	0.3%	0.4%	% of Total	0.7%	2.6%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$13,438.5	\$4,467,076.4	Human Services (\$000s)	\$27,362.94	\$4,694,300.07
Per Capita \$	\$35.26	\$213.92	Per Capita \$	\$71.79	\$224.80
% of Total	1.3%	5.5%	% of Total	2.9%	6.1%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$85,522.6	\$12,001,581.6	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$12,386.31	\$1,794,823.73
Per Capita \$	\$224.37	\$574.73	Per Capita \$	\$32.49	\$85.95
% of Total	8.1%	14.7%	% of Total	1.3%	2.3%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$74,674.00	\$10,103,703.21
			Per Capita \$	\$195.90	\$483.84
			% of Total	7.9%	13.1%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$41,424.66	\$3,008,792.67
			Per Capita \$	\$108.68	\$144.08
			% of Total	4.4%	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	Marion County	Florida
Crime rate, 2020 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	2,056.0	2,158.0
Admissions to prison FY 2022-23	810	27,209
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2022-23	200.5	120.2

State Infrastructure

Transportation	Marion County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	249.1	12,123.4
Lane Miles	941.8	45,337.5
State Bridges		
Number	42	7,079

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)		
Number	365	9,426
Square Footage	1,652,705	65,539,144

Conservation Land (land acres only)

State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	83,359	5,689,323
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	23.9%	54.9%
% of Total Area Land	8.2%	16.6%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	1.5%	

Other County Profiles

Criminal Justice County Profiles  
School District Profiles

Health Insurance Status

Percent Insured by Age Group	Marion County	Florida
Under 65 years	84.4%	86.1%
Under 19 years	91.3%	92.7%
18 to 64 years	82.0%	83.8%

State and Local Taxation

2023	Marion County	
	County-Wide	Not County-Wide*
County	4,2900	3,6548
School	6,4390	
Municipal		1,6709
Special Districts		0,2456

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

Education

Public Education Schools	Marion County	Florida
Traditional Setting (2023-24)		
Total (state total includes special districts)	58	3,787
Elementary	33	1,877
Middle	10	565
Senior High	12	729
Combination	3	616

Educational attainment

Persons aged 25 and older	Marion County	Florida
% HS graduate or higher	89.2%	89.3%
% bachelor's degree or higher	22.0%	32.3%

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