

Gadsden County

Florida's 43rd most populous county
with 0.2% of Florida's population



Population

Census Population	Gadsden County	Florida
1980 Census	41,674	9,746,961
1990 Census	41,116	12,938,071
2000 Census	45,087	15,982,824
2010 Census	46,389	18,801,332
2020 Census	43,826	21,538,187
% change 2010-2020	-5.5%	14.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	21.0%	19.5%
Race (alone) & Ethnicity		
% Not Hispanic-White	32.2%	51.5%
% Not Hispanic-Black or African American	53.2%	14.5%
% Not Hispanic-American Indian and Alaska Native	0.2%	0.2%
% Not Hispanic-Asian	0.3%	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	2.2%	3.7%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	11.6%	26.5%
Household Population per Occupied Housing Unit	2.48	2.47
Estimates and Projections		
2020 Estimate	46,226	21,596,068
Based on 2020 Estimate		
2025	46,820	23,138,553
2030	47,204	24,419,127
2035	47,426	25,461,863
2040	47,563	26,356,415
2045	47,649	27,149,835
2020 Median Age	41.0	41.8

Population Characteristics

	Gadsden County	Florida
Language spoken at home other than English		
Persons aged 5 and over	10.9%	29.4%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	4.9%	20.7%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	9.3%	8.6%

Households and Family Households

Households	Gadsden County	Florida
Total households, 2000 Census	15,867	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	11,429	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	45.3%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	16,952	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	11,895	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	38.7%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.61	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	3.12	3.01

Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP (Thousands of Chained 2012 Dollars)	Gadsden County	Florida
2015 GDP	1,134,113	842,269,369
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2016 GDP	1,162,741	870,963,202
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2017 GDP	1,218,636	901,903,549
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2018 GDP	1,240,850	936,580,274
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2019 GDP	1,276,171	963,255,865
Percent of the State	0.1%	

Housing

Housing Counts	Gadsden County	Florida
Housing units, 2020 Census	18,929	9,865,350
Occupied	16,806	8,529,067
Vacant	2,123	1,336,283
Units Permitted		
1990	160	126,384
2000	80	155,269
2010	89	38,679
2011	81	42,360
2012	65	64,810
2013	44	86,752
2014	23	84,075
2015	38	109,924
2016	41	116,240
2017	986	122,719
2018	1,111	144,427
2019	53	154,302
2020	69	164,074
Density		
Persons per square mile		
2000	87.4	296.4
2010	89.8	350.6
2020	84.9	401.4
Residence 1 Year Ago		
Persons aged 1 and over		
Same house	89.8%	84.5%
Different house in the U.S.	10.2%	14.4%
Same county in Florida	2.9%	8.5%
Different county in Florida	6.8%	3.1%
Different county in another state	0.4%	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			Establishments		
2020 preliminary	Gadsden County	Florida	% of All Industries, 2020 preliminary	Gadsden County	Florida
All industries	878	763,477	All industries	878	763,477
Natural Resource & Mining	32	5,511	Natural Resource & Mining	3.6%	0.7%
Construction	147	77,530	Construction	16.7%	10.2%
Manufacturing	22	21,812	Manufacturing	2.5%	2.9%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	202	145,824	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	23.0%	19.1%
Information	10	13,452	Information	1.1%	1.8%
Financial Activities	42	83,894	Financial Activities	4.8%	11.0%
Professional & Business Services	110	187,325	Professional & Business Services	12.5%	24.5%
Education & Health Services	123	87,735	Education & Health Services	14.0%	11.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	72	60,978	Leisure and Hospitality	8.2%	8.0%
Other Services	58	56,376	Other Services	6.6%	7.4%
Government	47	5,894	Government	5.4%	0.8%

Average Annual Employment			Average Annual Wage		
% of All Industries, 2020 preliminary	Gadsden County	Florida	2020 preliminary	Gadsden County	Florida
All industries	15,665	8,452,413	All industries	\$38,362	\$55,845
Natural Resource & Mining	NA	0.8%	Natural Resource & Mining	NA	\$37,711
Construction	7.0%	6.7%	Construction	\$50,912	\$55,884
Manufacturing	6.3%	4.5%	Manufacturing	\$51,186	\$66,740
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	16.0%	20.6%	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$40,644	\$49,378
Information	0.7%	1.5%	Information	\$59,881	\$93,327
Financial Activities	0.9%	6.9%	Financial Activities	\$37,910	\$84,238
Professional & Business Services	6.4%	16.1%	Professional & Business Services	\$39,722	\$68,201
Education & Health Services	4.7%	15.3%	Education & Health Services	\$32,236	\$55,093
Leisure and Hospitality	4.1%	11.9%	Leisure and Hospitality	\$15,847	\$45,092
Other Services	1.2%	3.0%	Other Services	\$33,013	\$41,146
Government	25.6%	12.5%	Government	\$40,483	\$58,795

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

Labor Force as Percent of Population			Unemployment Rate		
Aged 18 and Older	Gadsden County	Florida		Gadsden County	Florida
1990	63.0%	64.5%	1990	5.1%	6.2%
2000	60.7%	64.2%	2000	4.0%	3.8%
2010	57.1%	61.8%	2010	11.8%	10.8%
2020	51.1%	58.8%	2020	7.0%	3.3%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)			Per Capita Personal Income		
	Gadsden County	Florida		Gadsden County	Florida
1990	\$529,407	\$257,571,430	1990	\$12,829	\$19,763
2000	\$918,177	\$472,238,563	2000	\$20,427	\$29,428
2010	\$1,324,205	\$725,074,023	2010	\$27,707	\$38,475
2011	\$1,384,474	\$764,633,664	2011	\$29,225	\$40,131
% change 2010-11	4.6%	5.5%	% change 2010-11	5.5%	4.3%
2012	\$1,346,550	\$793,428,830	2012	\$28,912	\$41,115
% change 2011-12	-2.7%	3.8%	% change 2011-12	-1.1%	2.5%
2013	\$1,309,344	\$795,425,004	2013	\$28,410	\$40,696
% change 2012-13	-2.8%	0.3%	% change 2012-13	-1.7%	-1.0%
2014	\$1,373,293	\$856,161,773	2014	\$29,780	\$43,140
% change 2013-14	4.9%	7.6%	% change 2013-14	4.8%	6.0%
2015	\$1,443,873	\$914,928,403	2015	\$31,348	\$45,273
% change 2014-15	5.1%	6.9%	% change 2014-15	5.3%	4.9%
2016	\$1,482,408	\$949,717,988	2016	\$32,166	\$46,073
% change 2015-16	2.7%	3.8%	% change 2015-16	2.6%	1.8%
2017	\$1,546,286	\$1,016,818,999	2017	\$33,620	\$48,504
% change 2016-17	4.3%	7.1%	% change 2016-17	4.5%	5.3%
2018	\$1,594,440	\$1,082,702,187	2018	\$34,717	\$50,964
% change 2017-18	3.1%	6.5%	% change 2017-18	3.3%	5.1%
2019	\$1,638,507	\$1,125,984,012	2019	\$35,885	\$52,426
% change 2018-19	2.8%	4.0%	% change 2018-19	3.4%	2.9%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)			Median Income		
	Gadsden County	Florida		Gadsden County	Florida
1990	\$333,000	\$161,135,722	Median Household Income	\$41,401	\$55,660
2000	\$504,262	\$308,751,767	Median Family Income	\$50,694	\$67,414
2010	\$657,411	\$438,991,235			
2011	\$655,948	\$450,502,115			
% change 2010-11	-0.2%	2.6%	Percent in Poverty, 2019		
2012	\$666,746	\$468,412,894	All ages in poverty	19.7%	12.7%
% change 2011-12	1.6%	4.0%	Under age 18 in poverty	31.2%	18.2%
2013	\$647,025	\$482,900,406	Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	31.2%	16.9%
% change 2012-13	-3.0%	3.1%			
2014	\$663,712	\$512,381,351	Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate		
% change 2013-14	2.6%	6.1%	(per 1,000 population)		
2015	\$679,484	\$544,423,234	12-Month Period Ending March 30, 2020	Gadsden County 1.97	Florida 2.05
% change 2014-15	2.4%	6.3%	12-Month Period Ending March 30, 2021	1.38	1.49
2016	\$685,988	\$568,848,341	State Rank	17	NA
% change 2015-16	1.0%	4.5%	NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13		
2017	\$723,734	\$602,210,803			
% change 2016-17	5.5%	5.9%	Workers Aged 16 and Over		
2018	\$760,858	\$639,710,580	Place of Work in Florida		
% change 2017-18	5.1%	6.2%	Worked outside county of residence	55.3%	18.2%
2019	\$816,106	\$672,454,824	Travel Time to Work		
% change 2018-19	7.3%	5.1%	Mean travel time to work (minutes)	31.3	27.8

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2018-19	Gadsden County	Florida*	Expenditures 2018-19	Gadsden County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$66,412.9	\$48,723,763.0	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$63,116.37	\$44,233,424.76
Per Capita \$	\$1,435.12	\$2,407.55	Per Capita \$	\$1,363.88	\$2,185.67
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$19,562.2	\$16,114,573.3	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$8,401.51	\$7,462,947.96
Per Capita \$	\$422.72	\$796.26	Per Capita \$	\$181.55	\$368.76
% of Total	29.5%	33.1%	% of Total	13.3%	16.9%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$446.5	\$2,274,184.8	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$17,184.36	\$10,847,409.29
Per Capita \$	\$9.65	\$112.37	Per Capita \$	\$371.34	\$535.99
% of Total	0.7%	4.7%	% of Total	27.2%	24.5%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$15,378.7	\$5,241,885.1	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$537.89	\$5,318,683.90
Per Capita \$	\$332.32	\$259.01	Per Capita \$	\$11.62	\$262.81
% of Total	23.2%	10.8%	% of Total	0.9%	12.0%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$5,097.4	\$14,324,919.1	Transportation (\$000s)	\$7,859.94	\$5,298,301.67
Per Capita \$	\$110.15	\$707.83	Per Capita \$	\$169.85	\$261.80
% of Total	7.7%	29.4%	% of Total	12.5%	12.0%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$176.1	\$196,108.5	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$1,061.62	\$1,655,038.81
Per Capita \$	\$3.81	\$9.69	Per Capita \$	\$22.94	\$81.78
% of Total	0.3%	0.4%	% of Total	1.7%	3.7%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$1,923.6	\$1,713,370.3	Human Services (\$000s)	\$3,764.30	\$3,755,466.15
Per Capita \$	\$41.57	\$84.66	Per Capita \$	\$81.34	\$185.57
% of Total	2.9%	3.5%	% of Total	6.0%	8.5%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$23,828.4	\$8,858,722.0	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$1,908.94	\$1,814,978.48
Per Capita \$	\$514.91	\$437.73	Per Capita \$	\$41.25	\$89.68
% of Total	35.9%	18.2%	% of Total	3.0%	4.1%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$20,674.76	\$7,163,763.98
			Per Capita \$	\$446.76	\$353.98
			% of Total	32.8%	16.2%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$1,723.06	\$916,834.54
			Per Capita \$	\$37.23	\$45.30
			% of Total	2.7%	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	Gadsden County	Florida
Crime rate, 2020 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	1,077.3	2,152.3
Admissions to prison FY 2019-20	67	21,276
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2019-20	144.9	98.5

State Infrastructure

Transportation	Gadsden County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	138.0	12,135.8
Lane Miles	413.9	45,111.7
State Bridges		
Number	71	7,079

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)	Gadsden County	Florida
Number	305	9,426
Square Footage	2,668,740	65,539,144

Conservation Land (land acres only)

State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	Gadsden County	Florida
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	84.4%	51.8%
% of Total Area Land	4.8%	16.0%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	0.3%	
State-Managed		
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	86.7%	53.2%
% of Total Area Land	4.9%	16.4%
% of Florida State-Managed CL	0.3%	

Health Insurance Status

Percent Insured by Age Group	Gadsden County	Florida
Under 65 years	83.7%	83.6%
Under 19 years	92.0%	92.4%
18 to 64 years	80.5%	80.6%

State and Local Taxation

2020 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Gadsden County	Not County-Wide*
County	8.9064	
School	5.9230	
Municipal		1.5108
Special Districts	0.0311	

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

Education

Public Education Schools	Gadsden County	Florida
Traditional Setting (2020-21)		
Total (state total includes special districts)	14	3,744
Elementary	6	1,883
Middle	0	573
Senior High	1	715
Combination	7	573
Educational attainment		
Persons aged 25 and older		
% HS graduate or higher	79.8%	88.2%
% bachelor's degree or higher	16.2%	29.9%

