

Columbia County

Florida's 40th most populous county
with 0.4% of Florida's population



Population

Census Population	Columbia County	Florida
1980 Census	35,399	9,746,961
1990 Census	42,613	12,938,071
% change 1980-90	20.4%	32.7%
2000 Census	56,513	15,982,824
% change 1990-00	32.6%	23.5%
2010 Census	67,531	18,801,332
% change 2000-10	19.5%	17.6%
Hispanic or Latino	3,276	4,223,806
% Hispanic or Latino	4.9%	22.5%
Under 18 years of age	15,193	4,002,113
% Under 18 years of age	22.5%	21.3%
65 years of age and over	10,390	3,259,602
% 65 years of age and over	15.4%	17.3%
Median Age	39.9	40.7
Estimates and Projections		
2013 Estimate	67,489	19,259,543
% change 2010-13	-0.1%	2.4%
2015 Projection based on 2012 estimate	69,865	19,750,577
% change 2010-15	3.5%	5.0%
2020 Projection based on 2012 estimate	74,444	21,141,318
% change 2015-20	6.6%	7.0%

Density

Persons per square mile	Columbia County	Florida
2000	70.9	296.4
2010	84.7	350.6
2013	84.6	359.2

Households and Family Households

Households	Columbia County	Florida
Total households, 2000 Census	20,925	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	14,919	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	45.1%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	24,941	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	17,122	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	39.4%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.52	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	3.00	3.01

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).

Housing

Housing Counts	Columbia County	Florida
Housing units, 2000 Census	23,579	7,302,947
Occupied	20,925	6,337,929
Owner-occupied	16,146	4,441,799
Renter-occupied	4,779	1,896,130
Vacant	2,654	965,018
Housing units, 2010 Census	28,636	8,989,580
Occupied	24,941	7,420,802
Owner-occupied	18,213	4,998,979
Renter-occupied	6,728	2,421,823
Vacant	3,695	1,568,778
Units Permitted		
1990	278	126,384
2000	289	155,269
% change 1990-2000	4.0%	22.9%
2010	84	38,679
% change 2000-10	-70.9%	-75.1%
2012	47	64,810
% change 2010-12	-44.0%	67.6%

Population Characteristics

	Columbia County	Florida
Language spoken at home other than English		
Persons aged 5 and over	6.8% +/- 0.9%	27.3% +/- 0.1%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	3.6% +/- 0.7%	19.3% +/- 0.1%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	15.8% +/- 1.0%	10.8% +/- 0.1%

Persons aged 1 and over

Same house	78.9% +/- 2.2%	83.7% +/- 0.1%
Different house in the U.S.	20.9% +/- 2.2%	15.5% +/- 0.1%
Different county in Florida	6.1% +/- 1.2%	3.0% +/- 0.1%
Different county in another state	3.3% +/- 1.1%	2.7% +/- 0.1%
Abroad	0.2% +/- 0.1%	0.8% +/- 0.1%

+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.

Employment by Industry

Number of Establishments 2012	Columbia County	Florida	Percent of All Industries 2012	Columbia County	Florida
Natural Resource & Mining	116	5,333	Natural Resource & Mining	1.0%	0.9%
Construction	1,542	57,598	Construction	12.9%	9.5%
Manufacturing	265	18,372	Manufacturing	2.2%	3.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	2,240	139,947	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	18.8%	23.0%
Information	135	10,215	Information	1.1%	1.7%
Financial Activities	1,576	65,547	Financial Activities	13.2%	10.8%
Professional & Business Services	2,735	139,196	Professional & Business Services	22.9%	22.9%
Education & Health Services	1,044	64,263	Education & Health Services	8.7%	10.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,060	52,481	Leisure and Hospitality	8.9%	8.6%
Other Services	1,188	52,741	Other Services	10.0%	8.7%
Government	92	6,723	Government	0.8%	1.1%

Employment by Industry

Average Annual Employment, % by Category, 2012	Columbia County	Florida	Average Annual Wage, 2012	Columbia County	Florida
Natural Resource & Mining	1.3%	1.4%	All industries	\$30,389	\$42,446
Construction	4.5%	5.4%	Natural Resource & Mining	\$32,985	\$27,000
Manufacturing	10.1%	5.0%	Construction	\$28,176	\$41,561
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	27.5%	24.3%	Manufacturing	\$41,909	\$53,284
Information	0.8%	2.1%	Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$30,962	\$38,621
Financial Activities	4.5%	7.8%	Information	\$38,355	\$66,794
Professional & Business Services	13.6%	17.0%	Financial Activities	\$43,824	\$61,400
Education & Health Services	20.0%	17.3%	Professional & Business Services	\$27,080	\$53,121
Leisure and Hospitality	15.0%	15.8%	Education & Health Services	\$36,389	\$45,172
Other Services	2.8%	3.8%	Leisure and Hospitality	\$14,558	\$22,305
Government	35.4%	16.3%	Other Services	\$19,683	\$30,380
			Government	\$42,410	\$47,896

Labor Force

Labor Force as Percent of Population Aged 18 and Older	Columbia County	Florida	Unemployment Rate	Columbia County	Florida
1990	66.2%	64.3%	1990	8.7%	6.3%
2000	60.9%	63.8%	2000	3.9%	3.8%
2010	60.2%	61.7%	2010	10.1%	11.3%
2012	59.1%	62.2%	2012	8.1%	8.6%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)	Columbia County	Florida	Per Capita Personal Income	Columbia County	Florida
1990	\$573,035	\$253,324,396	1990	\$13,370	\$19,437
2000	\$1,090,268	\$466,644,105	2000	\$19,273	\$29,079
% change 1990-2000	90.3%	84.2%	% change 1990-00	44.2%	49.6%
2010	\$1,893,038	\$725,436,258	2010	\$27,983	\$38,493
% change 2000-10	73.6%	55.5%	% change 2000-10	45.2%	32.4%
2011	\$1,983,029	\$761,303,232	2011	\$29,429	\$39,896
% change 2010-11	4.8%	4.9%	% change 2010-11	5.2%	3.6%
2012	\$2,036,676	\$792,255,386	2012	\$29,966	\$41,012
% change 2011-12	2.7%	4.1%	% change 2011-12	1.8%	2.8%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)	Columbia County	Florida	Median Income	Columbia County	Florida
1990	\$345,760	\$161,178,093	Median Household Income	\$37,534 +/- \$2,102	\$47,309 +/- \$189
2000	\$711,897	\$312,145,185	Median Family Income	\$44,707 +/- \$2,838	\$57,128 +/- \$266
% change 1990-2000	105.9%	93.7%	+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.		
2010	\$1,066,343	\$438,536,041	Percent in Poverty, 2011		
% change 2000-10	49.8%	40.5%	All ages in poverty	21.7%	17.0%
2011	\$1,056,694	\$449,707,599	Under age 18 in poverty	31.8%	25.1%
% change 2010-11	-0.9%	2.5%	Ages 5-17 in families in poverty	29.3%	23.5%
2012	\$1,079,641	\$469,206,462			
% change 2011-12	2.2%	4.3%			

Education

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate (per 1,000 population)	Columbia County	Florida	Public Education Institutions	Columbia County	Florida
2011	2.58	4.76	Total	17	3,540
2012	2.30	4.06	Elementary	10	1,934
State Rank	43	NA	Middle	2	604
			Senior High	3	617
			Combination	2	385

Quality of Life

Crime	Columbia County	Florida	Educational attainment Persons aged 25 and older	Columbia County	Florida
Crime rate, 2012 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	3,874.3	3,805.8	% HS graduate or higher	81.2% +/- 1.7%	85.5% +/- 0.1%
Admissions to prison FY 2012-13	275	33,295	% bachelor's degree or higher	13.1% +/- 1.2%	26.0% +/- 0.1%
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2012-13	407.5	172.9	+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.		

Workers Aged 16 and Over	Columbia County	Florida
Place of Work in Florida		
Worked outside county of residence	23.7% +/- 2.3%	17.5% +/- 0.1%
Travel Time to Work		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	21.7 +/- 1.1	25.8 +/- 0.1

+/- = margin of error based on a 90% confidence level.

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue	Columbia County	Florida*	Expenditures	Columbia County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$78,377.1	\$35,205,022.3	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$ 78,400.1	\$ 36,616,300.3
Per Capita \$	\$1,160.66	\$1,951.45	Per Capita \$	\$ 1,160.95	\$ 2,041.38
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$28,591.0	\$11,053,678.4	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$ 9,215.1	\$ 6,284,042.5
Per Capita \$	\$423.39	\$612.72	Per Capita \$	\$ 136.46	\$ 350.34
% of Total	36.5%	31.4%	% of Total	11.8%	17.2%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$7,348.9	\$1,084,990.8	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$ 21,167.7	\$ 8,098,640.5
Per Capita \$	\$108.83	\$60.14	Per Capita \$	\$ 313.46	\$ 451.50
% of Total	9.4%	3.1%	% of Total	27.0%	22.1%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$14,968.1	\$4,518,810.2	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$ 6,802.6	\$ 4,075,797.4
Per Capita \$	\$221.66	\$250.48	Per Capita \$	\$ 100.74	\$ 227.23
% of Total	19.1%	12.8%	% of Total	8.7%	11.1%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$6,667.7	\$10,870,626.5	Transportation (\$000s)	\$ 10,801.1	\$ 4,454,280.8
Per Capita \$	\$98.74	\$602.57	Per Capita \$	\$ 159.95	\$ 248.33
% of Total	8.5%	30.9%	% of Total	13.8%	12.2%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$299.1	\$127,609.8	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$ 5,378.0	\$ 1,389,572.1
Per Capita \$	\$4.43	\$7.07	Per Capita \$	\$ 79.64	\$ 77.47
% of Total	0.4%	0.4%	% of Total	6.9%	3.8%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$1,131.2	\$967,823.5	Human Services (\$000s)	\$ 1,490.9	\$ 3,339,215.3
Per Capita \$	\$16.75	\$53.65	Per Capita \$	\$ 22.08	\$ 186.16
% of Total	1.4%	2.7%	% of Total	1.9%	9.1%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$19,371.0	\$6,581,483.1	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$ 2,452.0	\$ 1,640,080.8
Per Capita \$	\$286.86	\$364.82	Per Capita \$	\$ 36.31	\$ 91.44
% of Total	24.7%	18.7%	% of Total	3.1%	4.5%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$ 19,371.0	\$ 6,457,672.2
			Per Capita \$	\$ 286.86	\$ 360.02
			% of Total	24.7%	17.6%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$ 1,718.8	\$ 876,998.8
			Per Capita \$	\$ 25.45	\$ 48.89
			% of Total	2.2%	2.4%

* 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)

State Infrastructure

	Columbia County	Florida
Transportation		
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	203.9	12,085.9
Lane Miles	624.8	43,337.4
State Bridges		
Number	71	6,702
State Facilities		
Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)		
Number	256	15,493
Square Footage	1,490,699	214,003,935
State Lands		
Conservation Lands		
Parcels	68	38,277
Acreage	8,005.1	3,151,774.9
Non-Conservation Lands		
Parcels	45	5,859
Acreage	563.2	163,209.3

State and Local Taxation

2012 Ad Valorem Millage Rates	Columbia County	
	County-Wide	Not County-Wide*
County	8.0150	0.0000
School	7.4120	
Municipal		1.2945
Special Districts	1.3763	0.0000

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