

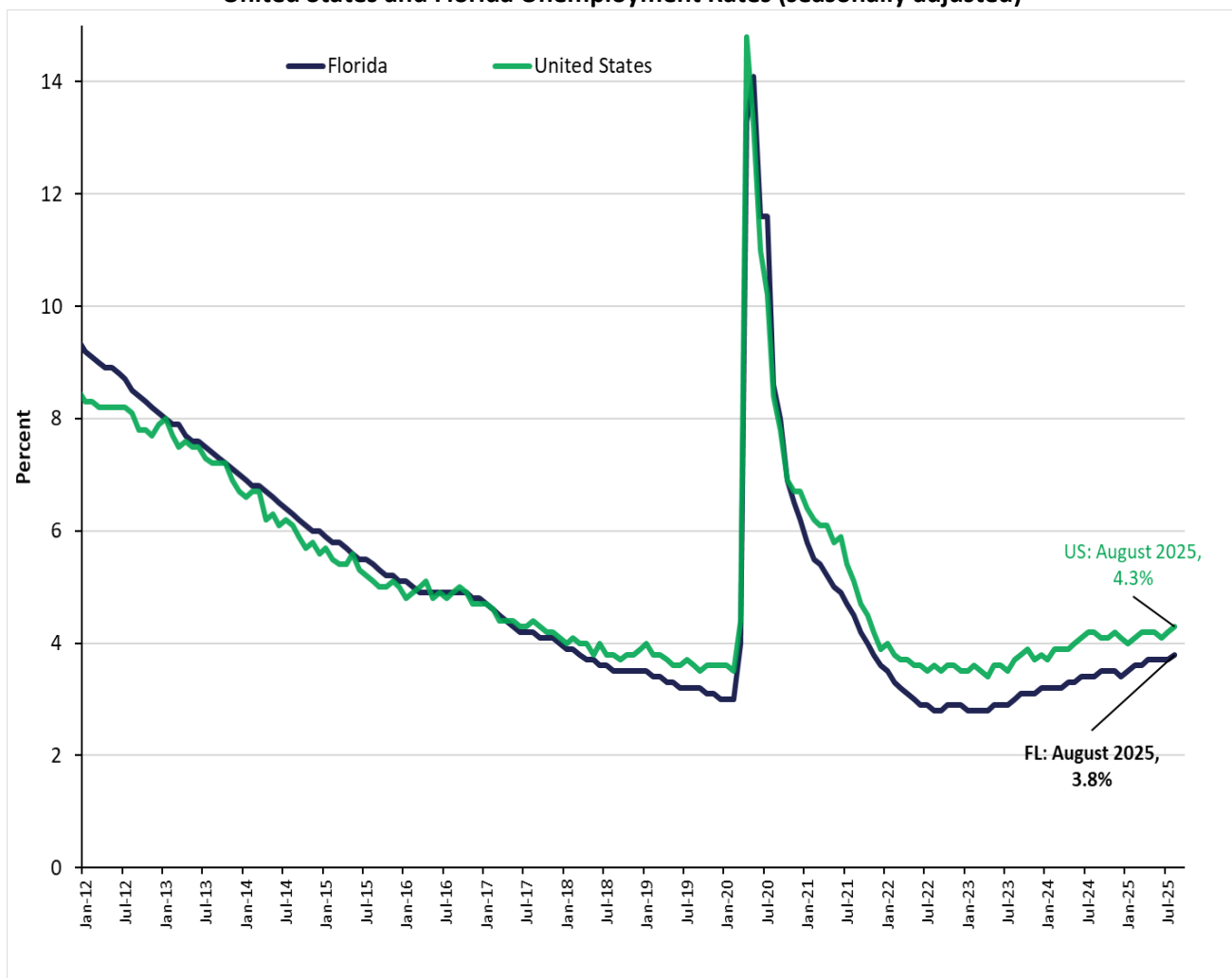
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### Florida's August Figures Released

Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.8 percent in August 2025, up 0.1 percentage point from the July 2025 rate, and up 0.4 percentage point from a year ago. There were 424,000 jobless Floridians out of a labor force of 11,196,000. The U.S. seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.3 percent in August.

Florida's seasonally adjusted total nonagricultural employment was 10,048,400 in August 2025, a decrease of 4,100 jobs (less than -0.1 percent) over the month. The state gained 98,200 jobs over the year, an increase of 1.0 percent. Nationally, the number of jobs rose 0.9 percent over the year.

**United States and Florida Unemployment Rates (seasonally adjusted)**



Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program, in cooperation with the Florida Department of Commerce, Bureau of Workforce Statistics and Economic Research.

## Florida's Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (Seasonally Adjusted)

- Nine of ten major industries experienced positive over-the-year job growth in August.
- The industries gaining jobs over the year included education and health services (+38,000 jobs, +2.5 percent); trade, transportation, and utilities (+23,400 jobs, +1.2 percent); total government (+12,800 jobs, +1.1 percent); leisure and hospitality (+9,100 jobs, +0.7 percent); other services (+6,900 jobs, +1.8 percent); financial activities (+2,800 jobs, +0.4 percent); construction (+2,200 jobs, +0.3 percent); manufacturing (+1,800 jobs, +0.4 percent); and Information (+1,700 jobs, +1.1 percent).
- Professional and business services (-300 jobs, less than -0.1 percent) lost jobs from a year ago.

## Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In August 2025, Miami-Dade County had the state's lowest unemployment rate (2.9 percent), followed by Monroe County (3.1 percent), and Wakulla County (3.9 percent).
- Sumter County had the highest unemployment rate (7.6 percent) in Florida in August 2025, followed by Taylor County (7.5 percent), and Citrus County (6.6 percent).

## Area Nonagricultural Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In August 2025, 20 of all 25 metro areas in Florida had over-the-year job gains. The areas with the largest gains were the Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA (+18,000 jobs, +1.2 percent), followed by the Tampa MD (+17,300 jobs, +1.6 percent), and the Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD (+16,100 jobs, +1.2 percent).
- Five metro areas in Florida lost jobs over the year in August 2025. The areas losing jobs were the St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo MD (-3,900 jobs, -0.8 percent), the Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA (-1,400 jobs, -1.5 percent), Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA (-1,100 jobs, -0.8 percent), the Naples-Marco Island MSA (-200 jobs, -0.1 percent), and the Homosassa Springs MSA (-200 jobs, -0.6 percent).

The unemployment and job growth rates are estimates, which are primarily based on surveys created and mandated by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics in cooperation with the Florida Department of Commerce.

The unemployment rate is derived from Florida household surveys conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau under contract with the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. The job growth rate is derived from Florida employer surveys conducted by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Both estimates are revised on a monthly basis. In addition, these estimates are benchmarked (revised) annually based on actual counts from Florida's Reemployment Assistance tax records and other data.

Procedures mandated by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics may result in more variable month-to-month changes. For further information, go to: <https://www.bls.gov/sae/>

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*The next Florida Employment and Unemployment release will be October 17, 2025, at 10:00 A.M.*

LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION  
RELEASE DATE: SEPTEMBER 19, 2025

**SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

	Current Month August 2025	Month Ago July 2025	Year Ago August 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent

**STATE OF FLORIDA**

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	19,408,000	19,383,000	19,134,000	25,000	0.1	274,000	1.4
Civilian Labor Force	11,196,000	11,196,000	11,172,000	0	0.0	24,000	0.2
Employment	10,772,000	10,779,000	10,787,000	-7,000	-0.1	-15,000	-0.1
Unemployment	424,000	417,000	385,000	7,000	1.7	39,000	10.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8	3.7	3.4	0.1	--	0.4	--

**UNITED STATES**

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	274,001,000	273,785,000	268,856,000	216,000	0.1	5,145,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	170,778,000	170,342,000	168,496,000	436,000	0.3	2,282,000	1.4
Employment	163,394,000	163,106,000	161,425,000	288,000	0.2	1,969,000	1.2
Unemployment	7,384,000	7,236,000	7,071,000	148,000	2.0	313,000	4.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.3	4.2	4.2	0.1	--	0.1	--

**NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

	Current Month August 2025	Month Ago July 2025	Year Ago August 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent

**STATE OF FLORIDA**

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	19,408,000	19,383,000	19,134,000	25,000	0.1	274,000	1.4
Civilian Labor Force	11,233,000	11,255,000	11,209,000	-22,000	-0.2	24,000	0.2
Employment	10,741,000	10,799,000	10,785,000	-58,000	-0.5	-44,000	-0.4
Unemployment	492,000	456,000	424,000	36,000	7.9	68,000	16.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	4.1	3.8	0.3	--	0.6	--

**UNITED STATES**

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	274,001,000	273,785,000	268,856,000	216,000	0.1	5,145,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	171,035,000	171,646,000	168,763,000	-611,000	-0.4	2,272,000	1.3
Employment	163,288,000	163,799,000	161,348,000	-511,000	-0.3	1,940,000	1.2
Unemployment	7,747,000	7,847,000	7,415,000	-100,000	-1.3	332,000	4.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.5	4.6	4.4	-0.1	--	0.1	--

Note: All estimates except unemployment rates are rounded to the nearest thousand. Items may not add to totals or compute to displayed percentages due to rounding. All data are subject to revision.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics Program, in cooperation with the Florida Department of Commerce, Bureau of Workforce Statistics and Economic Research.

# Nonagricultural Employment in Florida Seasonally Adjusted

	August <sup>p</sup> 2025	July <sup>r</sup> 2025	August 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	10,048,400	10,052,500	9,950,200	-4,100	*	98,200	1.0%
Total Private	8,875,500	8,879,700	8,790,100	-4,200	*	85,400	1.0%
Goods Producing	1,095,000	1,089,700	1,091,200	5,300	0.5%	3,800	0.3%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	664,100	660,500	662,100	3,600	0.5%	2,000	0.3%
Construction	658,600	655,000	656,400	3,600	0.5%	2,200	0.3%
Manufacturing	430,900	429,200	429,100	1,700	0.4%	1,800	0.4%
Durable Goods	298,200	297,300	295,300	900	0.3%	2,900	1.0%
Nondurable Goods	132,700	131,900	133,800	800	0.6%	-1,100	-0.8%
Service Producing	8,953,400	8,962,800	8,859,000	-9,400	-0.1%	94,400	1.1%
Private Service Providing	7,780,500	7,790,000	7,698,900	-9,500	-0.1%	81,600	1.1%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,015,400	2,019,700	1,992,000	-4,300	-0.2%	23,400	1.2%
Wholesale Trade	397,600	402,900	397,000	-5,300	-1.3%	600	0.2%
Retail Trade	1,169,400	1,170,100	1,157,500	-700	-0.1%	11,900	1.0%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	448,400	446,700	437,500	1,700	0.4%	10,900	2.5%
Information	158,500	156,200	156,800	2,300	1.5%	1,700	1.1%
Financial Activities	692,400	691,900	689,600	500	0.1%	2,800	0.4%
Finance and Insurance	468,000	467,800	466,600	200	*	1,400	0.3%
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	224,400	224,100	223,000	300	0.1%	1,400	0.6%
Professional and Business Services	1,625,000	1,628,000	1,625,300	-3,000	-0.2%	-300	*
Professional and Technical Services	767,800	764,600	757,700	3,200	0.4%	10,100	1.3%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	141,500	141,200	136,300	300	0.2%	5,200	3.8%
Administrative and Waste Services	715,700	722,200	731,300	-6,500	-0.9%	-15,600	-2.1%
Education and Health Services	1,579,200	1,578,500	1,541,200	700	*	38,000	2.5%
Educational Services	222,800	220,900	211,900	1,900	0.9%	10,900	5.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,356,400	1,357,600	1,329,300	-1,200	-0.1%	27,100	2.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,322,900	1,328,400	1,313,800	-5,500	-0.4%	9,100	0.7%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	271,000	270,400	264,500	600	0.2%	6,500	2.5%
Accommodation and Food Services	1,051,900	1,058,000	1,049,300	-6,100	-0.6%	2,600	0.2%
Other Services	387,100	387,300	380,200	-200	-0.1%	6,900	1.8%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.  
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# Nonagricultural Employment in Florida Seasonally Adjusted

	August <sup>p</sup> 2025	July <sup>r</sup> 2025	August 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Government	1,172,900	1,172,800	1,160,100	100	*	12,800	1.1%
Federal Government	159,800	160,700	162,400	-900	-0.6%	-2,600	-1.6%
State Government	257,200	257,000	253,800	200	0.1%	3,400	1.3%
Local Government	755,900	755,100	743,900	800	0.1%	12,000	1.6%

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p = preliminary, r = revised

\* - less than 0.1 percent

Note: Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision.

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Series	Industry Title	August 2025	July 2025	August 2024	Change from			
					Jul 2025 to Aug 2025 Level	Aug 2024 to Aug 2025 Level	Percent	Percent
00000000	Total Nonfarm	9,994,800	9,937,100	9,898,500	57,700	96,300	0.6%	1.0%
05000000	Total Private	8,830,400	8,841,300	8,747,500	-10,900	82,900	-0.1%	0.9%
06000000	Goods Producing	1,096,600	1,093,400	1,091,000	3,200	5,600	0.3%	0.5%
07000000	Service-Providing	8,898,200	8,843,700	8,807,500	54,500	90,700	0.6%	1.0%
08000000	Private Service Providing	7,733,800	7,747,900	7,656,500	-14,100	77,300	-0.2%	1.0%
10000000	Mining and Logging	5,600	5,600	5,700	0	-100	0.0%	-1.8%
10212000	Mining (except Oil and Gas)	3,400	3,400	3,500	0	-100	0.0%	-2.9%
15000000	Mining, Logging and Construction	665,000	662,600	662,200	2,400	2,800	0.4%	0.4%
20000000	Construction	659,400	657,000	656,500	2,400	2,900	0.4%	0.4%
20236000	Construction of Buildings	140,200	139,900	135,100	300	5,100	0.2%	3.8%
20237000	Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	90,000	90,300	84,700	-300	5,300	-0.3%	6.3%
20238000	Specialty Trade Contractors	429,200	426,800	436,700	2,400	-7,500	0.6%	-1.7%
20238200	Building Equipment Contractors	188,800	185,900	193,500	2,900	-4,700	1.6%	-2.4%
30000000	Manufacturing	431,600	430,800	428,800	800	2,800	0.2%	0.7%
31000000	Durable Goods	298,800	298,600	295,500	200	3,300	0.1%	1.1%
31332000	Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	46,300	46,400	46,300	-100	0	-0.2%	0.0%
31334000	Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	48,300	48,300	48,100	0	200	0.0%	0.4%
31334200	Communications Equipment Manufacturing	5,400	5,400	5,400	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
31336000	Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	58,100	58,100	57,400	0	700	0.0%	1.2%
31336400	Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	34,400	34,400	33,900	0	500	0.0%	1.5%
31339000	Miscellaneous Manufacturing	37,800	37,800	37,400	0	400	0.0%	1.1%
32000000	Non-Durable Goods	132,800	132,200	133,300	600	-500	0.5%	-0.4%
32311000	Food Manufacturing	39,000	39,200	39,000	-200	0	-0.5%	0.0%
32312000	Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	13,400	13,500	13,900	-100	-500	-0.7%	-3.6%
32322000	Paper Manufacturing	7,200	7,200	7,400	0	-200	0.0%	-2.7%
32323000	Printing and Related Support Activities	15,400	15,400	15,800	0	-400	0.0%	-2.5%
32325000	Chemical Manufacturing	29,000	28,900	29,000	100	0	0.3%	0.0%
40000000	Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,993,600	2,003,600	1,973,100	-10,000	20,500	-0.5%	1.0%
41000000	Wholesale Trade	397,900	404,200	395,800	-6,300	2,100	-1.6%	0.5%
41423000	Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	216,300	219,900	216,900	-3,600	-600	-1.6%	-0.3%
41423400	Professional and Commercial Equipment and Supplies Merchant Wholesalers	59,700	59,800	58,500	-100	1,200	-0.2%	2.1%
41423600	Household Appliances and Electrical and Electronic Goods Merchant Wholesalers	24,500	24,700	24,700	-200	-200	-0.8%	-0.8%
41423800	Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies Merchant Wholesalers	39,300	39,700	39,700	-400	-400	-1.0%	-1.0%
41424000	Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	156,900	159,300	154,100	-2,400	2,800	-1.5%	1.8%
41424400	Grocery and Related Product Merchant Wholesalers	63,200	65,200	62,900	-2,000	300	-3.1%	0.5%
41425000	Wholesale Trade Agents and Brokers	24,700	25,000	24,800	-300	-100	-1.2%	-0.4%
42000000	Retail Trade	1,156,400	1,160,100	1,147,300	-3,700	9,100	-0.3%	0.8%
42441000	Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	171,600	170,500	163,600	1,100	8,000	0.6%	4.9%
42441100	Automobile Dealers	109,600	109,300	103,100	300	6,500	0.3%	6.3%

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Series	Industry Title	Change from					
		August 2025	July 2025	August 2024	Jul 2025 to Aug 2025 Level      Percent	Aug 2024 to Aug 2025 Level      Percent	
42444000	Building Material and Garden Equipment and Supplies Dealers	92,700	95,500	97,100	-2,800      -2.9%	-4,400	-4.5%
42445000	Food and Beverage Retailers	272,700	274,400	264,700	-1,700      -0.6%	8,000	3.0%
42449000	Furniture, Home Furnishings, Electronics, and Appliance Retailers	63,300	63,400	64,300	-100      -0.2%	-1,000	-1.6%
42449100	Furniture and Home Furnishings Retailers	33,100	33,300	33,700	-200      -0.6%	-600	-1.8%
42449200	Electronics and Appliance Retailers	30,200	30,100	30,600	100      0.3%	-400	-1.3%
42455000	General Merchandise Retailers	226,700	226,000	224,100	700      0.3%	2,600	1.2%
42455100	Department Stores	67,300	67,200	68,500	100      0.1%	-1,200	-1.8%
42455200	Warehouse Clubs, Supercenters, and Other General Merchandise Retailers	159,400	158,800	155,600	600      0.4%	3,800	2.4%
42456000	Health and Personal Care Retailers	87,100	87,500	87,500	-400      -0.5%	-400	-0.5%
42457000	Gasoline Stations and Fuel Dealers	49,600	49,900	49,600	-300      -0.6%	0	0.0%
42458000	Clothing, Clothing Accessories, Shoe, and Jewelry Retailers	92,600	94,300	96,400	-1,700      -1.8%	-3,800	-3.9%
42459000	Sporting Goods, Hobby, Musical Instrument, Book, and Miscellaneous Retailers	100,100	98,600	100,000	1,500      1.5%	100	0.1%
<b>43000000</b>	<b>Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities</b>	<b>439,300</b>	<b>439,300</b>	<b>430,000</b>	<b>0      0.0%</b>	<b>9,300</b>	<b>2.2%</b>
43220000	Utilities	26,300	26,400	26,300	-100      -0.4%	0	0.0%
43400089	Transportation and Warehousing	413,000	412,900	403,700	100      *	9,300	2.3%
43481000	Air Transportation	58,100	58,100	59,300	0      0.0%	-1,200	-2.0%
43483000	Water Transportation	19,200	19,300	19,200	-100      -0.5%	0	0.0%
43484000	Truck Transportation	64,100	63,500	66,000	600      0.9%	-1,900	-2.9%
43488000	Support Activities for Transportation	74,800	74,500	73,000	300      0.4%	1,800	2.5%
43492000	Couriers and Messengers	70,100	69,900	61,400	200      0.3%	8,700	14.2%
43493000	Warehousing and Storage	100,100	102,300	98,900	-2,200      -2.2%	1,200	1.2%
50000000	Information	159,300	156,900	157,300	2,400      1.5%	2,000	1.3%
50513000	Publishing Industries	43,700	43,500	43,300	200      0.5%	400	0.9%
50516000	Broadcasting and Content Providers	17,000	16,900	16,900	100      0.6%	100	0.6%
50517000	Telecommunications	46,100	45,700	45,800	400      0.9%	300	0.7%
50517111	Wired Telecommunications Carriers	35,200	34,900	34,700	300      0.9%	500	1.4%
50518000	Computing Infrastructure Providers, Data Processing, Web Hosting, and Related	29,500	29,400	30,200	100      0.3%	-700	-2.3%
55000000	Financial Activities	694,100	693,100	690,000	1,000      0.1%	4,100	0.6%
<b>55520000</b>	<b>Finance and Insurance</b>	<b>469,400</b>	<b>467,400</b>	<b>467,200</b>	<b>2,000      0.4%</b>	<b>2,200</b>	<b>0.5%</b>
55522000	Credit Intermediation and Related Activities including Monetary Authorities - Cent	181,200	180,300	180,400	900      0.5%	800	0.4%
55522100	Depository Credit Intermediation including Monetary Authorities - Central Bank	123,700	123,000	123,200	700      0.6%	500	0.4%
55524000	Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	218,500	218,500	219,700	0      0.0%	-1,200	-0.5%
55524100	Insurance Carriers	97,600	98,200	100,500	-600      -0.6%	-2,900	-2.9%
55524200	Agencies, Brokerages, and Other Insurance Related Activities	120,900	120,300	119,200	600      0.5%	1,700	1.4%
<b>55530000</b>	<b>Real Estate and Rental and Leasing</b>	<b>224,700</b>	<b>225,700</b>	<b>222,800</b>	<b>-1,000      -0.4%</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
55531000	Real Estate	172,400	173,500	170,900	-1,100      -0.6%	1,500	0.9%
60000000	Professional and Business Services	1,626,800	1,627,300	1,624,300	-500      *	2,500	0.2%
<b>60540000</b>	<b>Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services</b>	<b>768,100</b>	<b>764,400</b>	<b>756,300</b>	<b>3,700      0.5%</b>	<b>11,800</b>	<b>1.6%</b>
60541100	Legal Services	113,900	113,300	113,500	600      0.5%	400	0.4%

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					Level	Percent			
60541200	Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, and Payroll Services	91,900	92,700	87,600	-800	-0.9%	4,300	4.9%	
60541300	Architectural, Engineering, and Related Services	116,100	116,300	112,200	-200	-0.2%	3,900	3.5%	
60541500	Computer Systems Design and Related Services	138,200	136,800	140,100	1,400	1.0%	-1,900	-1.4%	
60541600	Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	163,700	161,800	163,100	1,900	1.2%	600	0.4%	
<b>60550000</b>	<b>Management of Companies and Enterprises</b>	<b>141,800</b>	<b>142,700</b>	<b>135,800</b>	<b>-900</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>	<b>6,000</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	
<b>60560000</b>	<b>Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services</b>	<b>716,900</b>	<b>720,200</b>	<b>732,200</b>	<b>-3,300</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>-15,300</b>	<b>-2.1%</b>	
60561000	Administrative and Support Services	684,100	687,300	699,300	-3,200	-0.5%	-15,200	-2.2%	
60561300	Employment Services	220,700	221,000	232,900	-300	-0.1%	-12,200	-5.2%	
60561400	Business Support Services	66,900	68,700	70,500	-1,800	-2.6%	-3,600	-5.1%	
60561500	Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	27,800	27,900	28,100	-100	-0.4%	-300	-1.1%	
60561600	Investigation and Security Services	78,900	79,600	78,700	-700	-0.9%	200	0.3%	
60561700	Services to Buildings and Dwellings	207,000	207,300	204,200	-300	-0.1%	2,800	1.4%	
60562000	Waste Management and Remediation Services	32,800	32,900	32,900	-100	-0.3%	-100	-0.3%	
65000000	Private Education and Health Services	1,566,700	1,559,100	1,533,000	7,600	0.5%	33,700	2.2%	
<b>65610000</b>	<b>Private Educational Services</b>	<b>215,300</b>	<b>203,500</b>	<b>206,100</b>	<b>11,800</b>	<b>5.8%</b>	<b>9,200</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	
65611100	Private Elementary and Secondary Schools	91,200	78,500	83,900	12,700	16.2%	7,300	8.7%	
65611300	Private Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	63,500	62,400	61,000	1,100	1.8%	2,500	4.1%	
<b>65620000</b>	<b>Health Care and Social Assistance</b>	<b>1,351,400</b>	<b>1,355,600</b>	<b>1,326,900</b>	<b>-4,200</b>	<b>-0.3%</b>	<b>24,500</b>	<b>1.8%</b>	
65621000	Ambulatory Health Care Services	622,800	623,000	611,800	-200	*	11,000	1.8%	
65621100	Offices of Physicians	265,100	266,400	258,800	-1,300	-0.5%	6,300	2.4%	
65621600	Home Health Care Services	90,700	90,600	85,200	100	0.1%	5,500	6.5%	
65622000	Hospitals	369,700	372,500	362,500	-2,800	-0.8%	7,200	2.0%	
<b>65623000</b>	<b>Nursing and Residential Care Facilities</b>	<b>202,800</b>	<b>202,600</b>	<b>195,700</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>7,100</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	
65623100	Nursing Care Facilities (Skilled Nursing Facilities)	94,600	95,300	91,600	-700	-0.7%	3,000	3.3%	
65623300	Continuing Care Retirement Communities and Assisted Living Facilities for the Elderly	72,400	72,900	70,300	-500	-0.7%	2,100	3.0%	
65624000	Social Assistance	156,100	157,500	156,900	-1,400	-0.9%	-800	-0.5%	
70000000	Leisure and Hospitality	1,308,000	1,321,200	1,301,200	-13,200	-1.0%	6,800	0.5%	
<b>70710000</b>	<b>Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation</b>	<b>264,800</b>	<b>266,600</b>	<b>259,200</b>	<b>-1,800</b>	<b>-0.7%</b>	<b>5,600</b>	<b>2.2%</b>	
70713000	Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation Industries	208,000	210,000	206,800	-2,000	-1.0%	1,200	0.6%	
70713100	Amusement Parks and Arcades	89,100	89,100	85,900	0	0.0%	3,200	3.7%	
<b>70720000</b>	<b>Accommodation and Food Services</b>	<b>1,043,200</b>	<b>1,054,600</b>	<b>1,042,000</b>	<b>-11,400</b>	<b>-1.1%</b>	<b>1,200</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	
70721000	Accommodation	199,400	203,200	192,200	-3,800	-1.9%	7,200	3.7%	
70722000	Food Services and Drinking Places	843,800	851,400	849,800	-7,600	-0.9%	-6,000	-0.7%	
80000000	Other Services	385,300	386,700	377,600	-1,400	-0.4%	7,700	2.0%	
80811000	Repair and Maintenance	100,600	99,100	96,900	1,500	1.5%	3,700	3.8%	
80811100	Automotive Repair and Maintenance	66,100	65,200	63,600	900	1.4%	2,500	3.9%	
80812000	Personal and Laundry Services	111,800	109,900	109,700	1,900	1.7%	2,100	1.9%	
80813000	Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, and Similar Organizations	172,900	177,700	171,000	-4,800	-2.7%	1,900	1.1%	
90000000	Government	1,164,400	1,095,800	1,151,000	68,600	6.3%	13,400	1.2%	

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Employment Statistics Program.

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**NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT IN FLORIDA  
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Series	Industry Title	August 2025	July 2025	August 2024	Change from			
					Jul 2025 to Aug 2025 Level	Aug 2025 Percent	Aug 2024 to Aug 2025 Level	Aug 2024 Percent
<b>90910000</b>	<b>Federal Government</b>	<b>159,000</b>	<b>160,400</b>	<b>162,000</b>	<b>-1,400</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>	<b>-3,000</b>	<b>-1.9%</b>
<b>90920000</b>	<b>State Government</b>	<b>246,800</b>	<b>243,900</b>	<b>244,300</b>	<b>2,900</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>1.0%</b>
90921611	State Government Educational Services	134,400	131,100	133,100	3,300	2.5%	1,300	1.0%
90922000	State Government Excluding Education	112,400	112,800	111,200	-400	-0.4%	1,200	1.1%
<b>90930000</b>	<b>Local Government</b>	<b>758,600</b>	<b>691,500</b>	<b>744,700</b>	<b>67,100</b>	<b>9.7%</b>	<b>13,900</b>	<b>1.9%</b>
90931611	Local Government Educational Services	336,900	270,400	336,400	66,500	24.6%	500	0.1%
90932000	Local Government excluding Educational Services	421,700	421,100	408,300	600	0.1%	13,400	3.3%

\* - less than 0.1 percent

Note: Employment estimates have been rounded to the nearest hundred. Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision.

STATE OF FLORIDA  
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY COUNTY  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

COUNTY	AUGUST 2025				JULY 2025				AUGUST 2024			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE
Alachua County	141,961	134,682	7,279	5.1%	142,872	136,075	6,797	4.8%	140,618	134,640	5,978	4.3%
Baker County	12,305	11,743	562	4.6%	12,364	11,851	513	4.1%	12,289	11,852	437	3.6%
Bay County	92,986	88,935	4,051	4.4%	92,789	89,051	3,738	4.0%	94,425	91,126	3,299	3.5%
Bradford County	10,444	9,931	513	4.9%	10,408	9,927	481	4.6%	10,373	9,959	414	4.0%
Brevard County	307,192	292,771	14,421	4.7%	308,750	295,517	13,233	4.3%	307,320	295,319	12,001	3.9%
Broward County	1,093,872	1,048,890	44,982	4.1%	1,094,217	1,052,567	41,650	3.8%	1,092,326	1,053,446	38,880	3.6%
Calhoun County	5,097	4,844	253	5.0%	5,044	4,816	228	4.5%	5,062	4,859	203	4.0%
Charlotte County	77,992	73,613	4,379	5.6%	77,652	73,663	3,989	5.1%	77,313	73,806	3,507	4.5%
Citrus County	54,362	50,791	3,571	6.6%	53,396	50,096	3,300	6.2%	54,588	51,640	2,948	5.4%
Clay County	116,205	110,886	5,319	4.6%	116,702	111,794	4,908	4.2%	115,952	111,750	4,202	3.6%
Collier County	184,624	175,750	8,874	4.8%	184,302	176,303	7,999	4.3%	184,815	177,422	7,393	4.0%
Columbia County	28,679	27,222	1,457	5.1%	28,494	27,132	1,362	4.8%	28,042	26,806	1,236	4.4%
DeSoto County	12,664	11,967	697	5.5%	12,488	11,858	630	5.0%	12,520	11,956	564	4.5%
Dixie County	5,947	5,612	335	5.6%	5,832	5,531	301	5.2%	5,935	5,682	253	4.3%
Duval County	530,635	506,254	24,381	4.6%	533,088	510,133	22,955	4.3%	531,056	509,947	21,109	4.0%
Escambia County	150,495	143,307	7,188	4.8%	150,635	143,915	6,720	4.5%	150,839	144,906	5,933	3.9%
Flagler County	55,981	52,959	3,022	5.4%	56,024	53,244	2,780	5.0%	55,793	53,337	2,456	4.4%
Franklin County	4,462	4,233	229	5.1%	4,440	4,236	204	4.6%	4,565	4,378	187	4.1%
Gadsden County	17,522	16,565	957	5.5%	17,624	16,727	897	5.1%	17,405	16,596	809	4.6%
Gilchrist County	8,105	7,714	391	4.8%	8,163	7,813	350	4.3%	8,035	7,714	321	4.0%
Glades County	3,989	3,729	260	6.5%	3,922	3,678	244	6.2%	3,957	3,730	227	5.7%
Gulf County	7,075	6,771	304	4.3%	7,103	6,816	287	4.0%	6,927	6,687	240	3.5%
Hamilton County	4,174	3,925	249	6.0%	4,119	3,891	228	5.5%	4,135	3,922	213	5.2%
Hardee County	9,638	9,061	577	6.0%	9,489	8,948	541	5.7%	9,925	9,398	527	5.3%
Hendry County	22,118	20,912	1,206	5.5%	21,592	20,505	1,087	5.0%	21,666	20,552	1,114	5.1%
Hernando County	92,398	87,655	4,743	5.1%	92,091	87,704	4,387	4.8%	91,610	87,508	4,102	4.5%
Highlands County	36,781	34,407	2,374	6.5%	36,859	34,661	2,198	6.0%	36,825	34,820	2,005	5.4%
Hillsborough County	819,332	783,379	35,953	4.4%	817,248	784,048	33,200	4.1%	813,429	781,829	31,600	3.9%
Holmes County	7,885	7,514	371	4.7%	7,840	7,490	350	4.5%	7,988	7,659	329	4.1%
Indian River County	67,919	64,133	3,786	5.6%	67,760	64,370	3,390	5.0%	68,037	64,883	3,154	4.6%
Jackson County	18,367	17,448	919	5.0%	18,098	17,251	847	4.7%	18,411	17,586	825	4.5%
Jefferson County	7,018	6,714	304	4.3%	7,052	6,781	271	3.8%	6,998	6,740	258	3.7%
Lafayette County	2,665	2,516	149	5.6%	2,626	2,483	143	5.4%	2,576	2,460	116	4.5%
Lake County	199,555	190,417	9,138	4.6%	200,222	191,825	8,397	4.2%	198,477	190,784	7,693	3.9%
Lee County	376,529	358,286	18,243	4.8%	375,592	358,767	16,825	4.5%	375,157	360,197	14,960	4.0%
Leon County	164,869	157,039	7,830	4.7%	166,083	158,692	7,391	4.5%	164,396	157,925	6,471	3.9%
Levy County	18,941	17,946	995	5.3%	19,010	18,107	903	4.8%	18,784	17,967	817	4.3%
Liberty County	2,536	2,407	129	5.1%	2,486	2,369	117	4.7%	2,506	2,395	111	4.4%
Madison County	6,940	6,558	382	5.5%	6,862	6,525	337	4.9%	6,897	6,583	314	4.6%

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY COUNTY  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

COUNTY	AUGUST 2025				JULY 2025				AUGUST 2024			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
Manatee County	199,650	190,245	9,405	4.7%	200,716	192,001	8,715	4.3%	198,034	190,238	7,796	3.9%
Marion County	161,203	152,349	8,854	5.5%	161,441	153,316	8,125	5.0%	160,148	152,608	7,540	4.7%
Martin County	72,799	69,406	3,393	4.7%	72,959	69,805	3,154	4.3%	72,631	69,733	2,898	4.0%
Miami-Dade County	1,446,713	1,404,635	42,078	2.9%	1,455,674	1,415,395	40,279	2.8%	1,447,355	1,406,011	41,344	2.9%
Monroe County	50,902	49,314	1,588	3.1%	51,011	49,578	1,433	2.8%	49,581	48,332	1,249	2.5%
Nassau County	47,884	45,788	2,096	4.4%	48,102	46,178	1,924	4.0%	47,868	46,148	1,720	3.6%
Okaloosa County	103,063	98,730	4,333	4.2%	103,604	99,585	4,019	3.9%	103,874	100,328	3,546	3.4%
Okeechobee County	16,401	15,559	842	5.1%	16,254	15,466	788	4.8%	16,189	15,449	740	4.6%
Orange County	832,973	797,939	35,034	4.2%	835,974	803,532	32,442	3.9%	830,078	799,519	30,559	3.7%
Osceola County	237,842	227,309	10,533	4.4%	238,732	228,890	9,842	4.1%	236,920	227,651	9,269	3.9%
Palm Beach County	782,056	747,271	34,785	4.4%	783,844	752,071	31,773	4.1%	781,591	751,545	30,046	3.8%
Pasco County	301,819	287,560	14,259	4.7%	300,616	287,541	13,075	4.3%	299,021	286,720	12,301	4.1%
Pinellas County	501,548	480,742	20,806	4.1%	505,206	485,849	19,357	3.8%	507,282	489,411	17,871	3.5%
Polk County	362,567	342,896	19,671	5.4%	361,880	343,645	18,235	5.0%	360,902	343,553	17,349	4.8%
Putnam County	30,127	28,530	1,597	5.3%	29,916	28,425	1,491	5.0%	29,492	28,130	1,362	4.6%
Santa Rosa County	91,886	87,693	4,193	4.6%	91,973	88,035	3,938	4.3%	92,103	88,633	3,470	3.8%
Sarasota County	203,156	193,354	9,802	4.8%	203,771	194,774	8,997	4.4%	200,827	192,902	7,925	3.9%
Seminole County	280,044	268,765	11,279	4.0%	281,259	270,770	10,489	3.7%	278,987	269,452	9,535	3.4%
St. Johns County	157,910	150,879	7,031	4.5%	158,245	151,791	6,454	4.1%	157,588	151,892	5,696	3.6%
St. Lucie County	170,366	161,608	8,758	5.1%	170,519	162,489	8,030	4.7%	169,957	162,414	7,543	4.4%
Sumter County	34,982	32,335	2,647	7.6%	34,887	32,412	2,475	7.1%	34,602	32,376	2,226	6.4%
Suwannee County	18,064	17,111	953	5.3%	17,891	17,024	867	4.8%	17,737	16,983	754	4.3%
Taylor County	5,753	5,322	431	7.5%	5,737	5,349	388	6.8%	5,839	5,460	379	6.5%
Union County	4,328	4,079	249	5.8%	4,271	4,029	242	5.7%	4,258	4,026	232	5.4%
Volusia County	269,223	255,641	13,582	5.0%	269,779	257,177	12,602	4.7%	269,011	257,540	11,471	4.3%
Wakulla County	17,941	17,250	691	3.9%	17,974	17,340	634	3.5%	17,852	17,299	553	3.1%
Walton County	41,726	39,985	1,741	4.2%	41,861	40,287	1,574	3.8%	42,044	40,685	1,359	3.2%
Washington County	9,445	8,925	520	5.5%	9,422	8,959	463	4.9%	9,585	9,156	429	4.5%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	11,233,000	10,741,000	492,000	4.4%	11,255,000	10,799,000	456,000	4.1%	11,209,000	10,785,000	424,000	3.8%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	11,196,000	10,772,000	424,000	3.8%	11,196,000	10,779,000	417,000	3.7%	11,172,000	10,787,000	385,000	3.4%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	171,035,000	163,288,000	7,747,000	4.5%	171,646,000	163,799,000	7,847,000	4.6%	168,763,000	161,348,000	7,415,000	4.4%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	170,778,000	163,394,000	7,384,000	4.3%	170,342,000	163,106,000	7,236,000	4.2%	168,496,000	161,425,000	7,071,000	4.2%

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NOTE: Items may not add to totals or compute to displayed percentages due to rounding. All data are subject to revision.

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS BY METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (MSA) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISION (MD)  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MSA/MD	AUGUST 2025				JULY 2025				AUGUST 2024			
	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY- MENT	UNEMPLOYMENT LEVEL	RATE
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	376,529	358,286	18,243	4.8%	375,592	358,767	16,825	4.5%	375,157	360,197	14,960	4.0%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	144,789	138,715	6,074	4.2%	145,465	139,872	5,593	3.8%	145,918	141,013	4,905	3.4%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	325,204	308,600	16,604	5.1%	325,803	310,421	15,382	4.7%	324,804	310,877	13,927	4.3%
Gainesville MSA	169,007	160,342	8,665	5.1%	170,045	161,995	8,050	4.7%	167,437	160,321	7,116	4.2%
Homosassa Springs MSA	54,362	50,791	3,571	6.6%	53,396	50,096	3,300	6.2%	54,588	51,640	2,948	5.4%
Jacksonville MSA	864,939	825,550	39,389	4.6%	868,501	831,747	36,754	4.2%	864,753	831,589	33,164	3.8%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	362,567	342,896	19,671	5.4%	361,880	343,645	18,235	5.0%	360,902	343,553	17,349	4.8%
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	3,322,641	3,200,796	121,845	3.7%	3,333,735	3,220,033	113,702	3.4%	3,321,272	3,211,002	110,270	3.3%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Division	1,093,872	1,048,890	44,982	4.1%	1,094,217	1,052,567	41,650	3.8%	1,092,326	1,053,446	38,880	3.6%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,446,713	1,404,635	42,078	2.9%	1,455,674	1,415,395	40,279	2.8%	1,447,355	1,406,011	41,344	2.9%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	782,056	747,271	34,785	4.4%	783,844	752,071	31,773	4.1%	781,591	751,545	30,046	3.8%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	184,624	175,750	8,874	4.8%	184,302	176,303	7,999	4.3%	184,815	177,422	7,393	4.0%
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	402,806	383,599	19,207	4.8%	404,487	386,775	17,712	4.4%	398,861	383,140	15,721	3.9%
Ocala MSA	161,203	152,349	8,854	5.5%	161,441	153,316	8,125	5.0%	160,148	152,608	7,540	4.7%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,550,414	1,484,430	65,984	4.3%	1,556,187	1,495,017	61,170	3.9%	1,544,462	1,487,406	57,056	3.7%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	307,192	292,771	14,421	4.7%	308,750	295,517	13,233	4.3%	307,320	295,319	12,001	3.9%
Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	102,431	97,860	4,571	4.5%	102,211	98,010	4,201	4.1%	104,010	100,282	3,728	3.6%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	242,381	231,000	11,381	4.7%	242,608	231,950	10,658	4.4%	242,942	233,539	9,403	3.9%
Port St. Lucie MSA	243,165	231,014	12,151	5.0%	243,478	232,294	11,184	4.6%	242,588	232,147	10,441	4.3%
Punta Gorda MSA	77,992	73,613	4,379	5.6%	77,652	73,663	3,989	5.1%	77,313	73,806	3,507	4.5%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	67,919	64,133	3,786	5.6%	67,760	64,370	3,390	5.0%	68,037	64,883	3,154	4.6%
Sebring MSA	36,781	34,407	2,374	6.5%	36,859	34,661	2,198	6.0%	36,825	34,820	2,005	5.4%
Tallahassee MSA	207,350	197,568	9,782	4.7%	208,733	199,540	9,193	4.4%	206,651	198,560	8,091	3.9%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,715,097	1,639,336	75,761	4.4%	1,715,161	1,645,142	70,019	4.1%	1,711,342	1,645,468	65,874	3.8%
St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo MD	501,548	480,742	20,806	4.1%	505,206	485,849	19,357	3.8%	507,282	489,411	17,871	3.5%
Tampa MD	1,213,549	1,158,594	54,955	4.5%	1,209,955	1,159,293	50,662	4.2%	1,204,060	1,156,057	48,003	4.0%
Wildwood-The Villages MSA	34,982	32,335	2,647	7.6%	34,887	32,412	2,475	7.1%	34,602	32,376	2,226	6.4%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	11,233,000	10,741,000	492,000	4.4%	11,255,000	10,799,000	456,000	4.1%	11,209,000	10,785,000	424,000	3.8%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	11,196,000	10,772,000	424,000	3.8%	11,196,000	10,779,000	417,000	3.7%	11,172,000	10,787,000	385,000	3.4%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	171,035,000	163,288,000	7,747,000	4.5%	171,646,000	163,799,000	7,847,000	4.6%	168,763,000	161,348,000	7,415,000	4.4%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	170,778,000	163,394,000	7,384,000	4.3%	170,342,000	163,106,000	7,236,000	4.2%	168,496,000	161,425,000	7,071,000	4.2%

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)  
AUGUST 2025 (PRELIMINARY)

1	Sumter County	7.6%
2	Taylor County	7.5%
3	Citrus County	6.6%
4	Glades County	6.5%
4	Highlands County	6.5%
6	Hamilton County	6.0%
6	Hardee County	6.0%
8	Union County	5.8%
9	Charlotte County	5.6%
9	Dixie County	5.6%
9	Indian River County	5.6%
9	Lafayette County	5.6%
13	DeSoto County	5.5%
13	Gadsden County	5.5%
13	Hendry County	5.5%
13	Madison County	5.5%
13	Marion County	5.5%
13	Washington County	5.5%
19	Flagler County	5.4%
19	Polk County	5.4%
21	Levy County	5.3%
21	Putnam County	5.3%
21	Suwannee County	5.3%
24	Alachua County	5.1%
24	Columbia County	5.1%
24	Franklin County	5.1%
24	Hernando County	5.1%
24	Liberty County	5.1%
24	Okeechobee County	5.1%
24	St. Lucie County	5.1%
31	Calhoun County	5.0%
31	Jackson County	5.0%
31	Volusia County	5.0%
34	Bradford County	4.9%
35	Collier County	4.8%
35	Escambia County	4.8%
35	Gilchrist County	4.8%
35	Lee County	4.8%
35	Sarasota County	4.8%
40	Brevard County	4.7%

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTIES RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)  
AUGUST 2025 (PRELIMINARY)

40	Holmes County	4.7%
40	Leon County	4.7%
40	Manatee County	4.7%
40	Martin County	4.7%
40	Pasco County	4.7%
46	Baker County	4.6%
46	Clay County	4.6%
46	Duval County	4.6%
46	Lake County	4.6%
46	Santa Rosa County	4.6%
51	St. Johns County	4.5%
	<b>United States</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
52	Bay County	4.4%
52	Hillsborough County	4.4%
52	Nassau County	4.4%
52	Osceola County	4.4%
52	Palm Beach County	4.4%
	<b>Florida</b>	<b>4.4%</b>
57	Gulf County	4.3%
57	Jefferson County	4.3%
59	Okaloosa County	4.2%
59	Orange County	4.2%
59	Walton County	4.2%
62	Broward County	4.1%
62	Pinellas County	4.1%
64	Seminole County	4.0%
65	Wakulla County	3.9%
66	Monroe County	3.1%
67	Miami-Dade County	2.9%

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STATE OF FLORIDA  
METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS (MSAs) AND METROPOLITAN DIVISIONS (MDs)  
RANKED BY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE  
(NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)  
AUGUST 2025 (PRELIMINARY)

1	Wildwood-The Villages MSA	7.6%
2	Homosassa Springs MSA	6.6%
3	Sebring MSA	6.5%
4	Punta Gorda MSA	5.6%
4	Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	5.6%
6	Ocala MSA	5.5%
7	Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	5.4%
8	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	5.1%
8	Gainesville MSA	5.1%
10	Port St. Lucie MSA	5.0%
11	Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	4.8%
11	Naples-Marco Island MSA	4.8%
11	North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	4.8%
14	Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	4.7%
14	Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	4.7%
14	Tallahassee MSA	4.7%
17	Jacksonville MSA	4.6%
18	Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	4.5%
18	Tampa MD	4.5%
	<b>United States</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
20	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	4.4%
	<b>Florida</b>	<b>4.4%</b>
21	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	4.3%
22	Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	4.2%
23	Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise MD	4.1%
23	St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo MD	4.1%
25	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	2.9%

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT  
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	August 2025	July 2025	August 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	9,994,800	9,937,100	9,898,500	57,700	0.6%	96,300	1.0%
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	312,100	309,700	310,100	2,400	0.8%	2,000	0.6%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	131,700	132,100	132,800	-400	-0.3%	-1,100	-0.8%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	228,800	228,000	227,600	800	0.4%	1,200	0.5%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Division	929,300	923,900	922,300	5,400	0.6%	7,000	0.8%
Gainesville MSA	163,500	163,300	161,200	200	0.1%	2,300	1.4%
Homosassa Springs MSA	36,000	35,200	36,200	800	2.3%	-200	-0.6%
Jacksonville MSA	812,200	809,100	806,900	3,100	0.4%	5,300	0.7%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	278,300	275,400	274,700	2,900	1.1%	3,600	1.3%
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,977,200	2,961,400	2,949,200	15,800	0.5%	28,000	0.9%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,345,200	1,336,200	1,329,100	9,000	0.7%	16,100	1.2%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	174,100	173,700	174,300	400	0.2%	-200	-0.1%
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	353,000	353,300	348,400	-300	-0.1%	4,600	1.3%
Ocala MSA	123,800	123,700	122,900	100	0.1%	900	0.7%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,513,800	1,508,300	1,495,800	5,500	0.4%	18,000	1.2%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	258,300	258,000	257,200	300	0.1%	1,100	0.4%
Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	91,500	90,800	92,900	700	0.8%	-1,400	-1.5%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	202,200	200,900	201,900	1,300	0.6%	300	0.1%
Port St. Lucie MSA	176,800	176,300	175,400	500	0.3%	1,400	0.8%
Punta Gorda MSA	58,300	57,900	57,900	400	0.7%	400	0.7%
St. Petersburg - Clearwater - Largo Division	483,000	484,000	486,900	-1,000	-0.2%	-3,900	-0.8%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	59,100	58,800	59,000	300	0.5%	100	0.2%
Sebring MSA	28,500	28,300	28,300	200	0.7%	200	0.7%
Tallahassee MSA	199,200	198,800	197,300	400	0.2%	1,900	1.0%
Tampa Division	1,075,100	1,064,200	1,057,800	10,900	1.0%	17,300	1.6%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,558,100	1,548,200	1,544,700	9,900	0.6%	13,400	0.9%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	702,700	701,300	697,800	1,400	0.2%	4,900	0.7%
Wildwood-The Villages MSA	41,700	41,500	41,300	200	0.5%	400	1.0%

Note: Employment estimates have been rounded to the nearest hundred. Sum of detail may not equal totals due to rounding or the exclusion of certain industries from publication. All data are subject to revision. September 19, 2025.



**Total Nonagricultural Employment**  
**Florida and Selected Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) and Metropolitan Divisions (MDs)**

**Seasonally Adjusted**

Area	August <sup>p</sup> 2025	July <sup>r</sup> 2025	August 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Florida	10,048,400	10,052,500	9,950,200	-4,100	*	98,200	1.0%
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	314,700	315,300	314,400	-600	-0.2%	300	0.1%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	131,300	131,500	131,300	-200	-0.2%	0	0.0%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	229,100	229,700	228,400	-600	-0.3%	700	0.3%
Gainesville MSA	167,900	167,600	165,200	300	0.2%	2,700	1.6%
Homosassa Springs MSA	36,000	36,200	36,200	-200	-0.6%	-200	-0.6%
Jacksonville MSA	815,400	815,000	806,600	400	*	8,800	1.1%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	279,700	279,700	276,300	0	0.0%	3,400	1.2%
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,991,800	2,993,300	2,966,300	-1,500	-0.1%	25,500	0.9%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Division	933,700	934,100	928,400	-400	*	5,300	0.6%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,347,900	1,349,400	1,334,400	-1,500	-0.1%	13,500	1.0%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	708,100	709,200	703,600	-1,100	-0.2%	4,500	0.6%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	176,400	177,100	178,600	-700	-0.4%	-2,200	-1.2%
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	355,900	355,900	352,100	0	0.0%	3,800	1.1%
Ocala MSA	124,600	124,900	123,800	-300	-0.2%	800	0.6%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,520,600	1,521,600	1,499,200	-1,000	-0.1%	21,400	1.4%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	259,200	259,800	257,700	-600	-0.2%	1,500	0.6%
Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	91,200	91,000	91,700	200	0.2%	-500	-0.5%
Pensacola -Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	202,100	202,100	201,200	0	0.0%	900	0.4%
Port St. Lucie MSA	177,700	178,200	176,600	-500	-0.3%	1,100	0.6%
Punta Gorda MSA	58,800	58,900	58,800	-100	-0.2%	0	0.0%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	59,400	59,500	59,800	-100	-0.2%	-400	-0.7%
Sebring MSA	28,700	28,700	28,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Tallahassee MSA	202,300	202,700	201,300	-400	-0.2%	1,000	0.5%
Tampa - St. Petersburg - Clearwater MSA	1,564,800	1,562,600	1,548,600	2,200	0.1%	16,200	1.0%
St. Petersburg - Clearwater - Largo Division	487,000	487,700	488,800	-700	-0.1%	-1,800	-0.4%
Tampa Division	1,079,700	1,074,600	1,060,800	5,100	0.5%	18,900	1.8%
Wildwood-The Villages MSA	41,800	42,100	41,500	-300	-0.7%	300	0.7%

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p = preliminary, r = revised

\* - less than 0.1 percent