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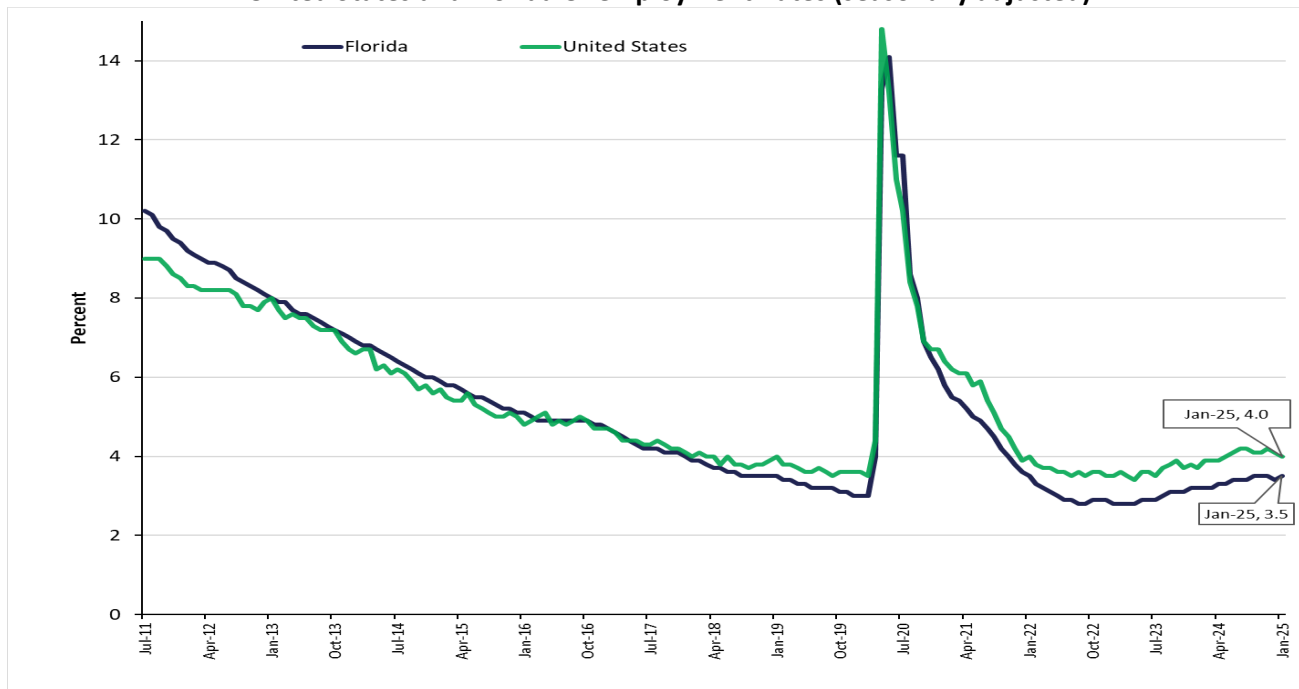
Florida's January Figures Released

NOTE TO EDITORS: Every March, the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Florida Department of Commerce release January employment and unemployment estimates as well as revised historical data. Today's report is the result of that annual process, which is known as "benchmarking." Benchmark revisions are a standard part of the estimation process and take place at this time every year in each state nationwide. As a result of this annual benchmarking process, the release of January and February 2025 employment data is scheduled for March 17 and March 28, respectively. Also, new and changed metro areas are being introduced with this release (see page 3 for a list of the changes).

Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.5 percent in January 2025, up 0.1 percentage point from the December 2024 rate, and up 0.3 percentage point from a year ago. There were 390,000 jobless Floridians out of a labor force of 11,188,000. The U.S. seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.0 percent in January.

Florida's seasonally adjusted total nonagricultural employment was 10,018,600 in January 2025, an increase of 16,500 jobs (+0.2 percent) over the month. The state gained 139,000 jobs over the year, an increase of 1.4 percent. Nationally, the number of jobs rose 1.3 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 January.
- The industries gaining jobs over the year included education and health services (+47,800 jobs, +3.2 percent); total government (+25,400 jobs, +2.2 percent); trade, transportation, and utilities (+23,700 jobs, +1.2 percent); leisure and hospitality (+13,500 jobs, +1.0 percent); construction (+10,700 jobs, +1.7 percent); other services (+9,100 jobs, +2.4 percent); financial activities (+4,200 jobs, +0.6 percent); manufacturing (+3,100 jobs, +0.7 percent); and professional and business services (+1,600 jobs, +0.1 percent).
- The industry losing jobs over the year was information (-100 jobs, -0.1 percent).

Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In January 2025, Miami-Dade County had the state's lowest unemployment rate (2.4 percent), followed by Monroe County (2.7 percent), and Wakulla County at (3.2 percent).
- Sumter County had the highest unemployment rate (6.9 percent) in Florida in January 2025, followed by Taylor County (6.5 percent), and Citrus County (5.8 percent).

Area Nonagricultural Employment (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

- In January 2025, 22 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 (+32,100 jobs, +2.2 percent), followed by the Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD (+26,200 jobs, +2.0 percent), and the Tampa MD (+14,900 jobs, +1.4 percent).
- The metro areas losing jobs over the year were the St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo MD (-1,500 jobs, -0.3 percent), the Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA (-400 jobs, -0.7 percent), and the Naples-Marco Island MSA (-300 jobs, -0.2 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/>

The mission of the Florida Department of Commerce is to promote economic prosperity for all Floridians and businesses through successful workforce, community, and economic development strategies. Please visit www.floridajobs.org for more information.

The next Florida Employment and Unemployment release will be March 28, 2025, at 10:00 A.M.

New and changed Metropolitan Areas are being introduced.

Area Name	Change	Component Counties
Gainesville MSA	Added Levy County	Alachua and Gilchrist and Levy
Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	Name Change and Gulf County Removed and Washington County Added	Bay and Washington
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	2 Metro Divisions	Hernando and Hillsborough and Pasco and Pinellas
St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo Division	New Metro Division	Pinellas
Tampa Division	New Metro Division	Hernando and Hillsborough and Pasco
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Division	Name Change Only	Broward
Naples-Marco Island MSA	Name Change Only	Collier
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota	Name Change Only	Manatee and Sarasota
Wildwood-The Villages MSA	Code Change to 48680 and Name Change	Sumter

LABOR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION
RELEASE DATE: MARCH 17, 2025

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

	Current Month January 2025	Month Ago December 2024	Year Ago January 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent

STATE OF FLORIDA

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	19,254,000	19,233,000	18,898,000	21,000	0.1	356,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	11,188,000	11,170,000	11,122,000	18,000	0.2	66,000	0.6
Employment	10,798,000	10,785,000	10,768,000	13,000	0.1	30,000	0.3
Unemployment	390,000	385,000	353,000	5,000	1.3	37,000	10.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5	3.4	3.2	0.1	--	0.3	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	272,685,000	269,638,000	267,540,000	3,047,000	1.1	5,145,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	170,744,000	168,547,000	167,339,000	2,197,000	1.3	3,405,000	2.0
Employment	163,895,000	161,661,000	161,190,000	2,234,000	1.4	2,705,000	1.7
Unemployment	6,849,000	6,886,000	6,149,000	-37,000	-0.5	700,000	11.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.0	4.1	3.7	-0.1	--	0.3	--

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

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STATE OF FLORIDA

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	19,254,000	19,233,000	18,898,000	21,000	0.1	356,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	11,201,000	11,125,000	11,061,000	76,000	0.7	140,000	1.3
Employment	10,789,000	10,774,000	10,707,000	15,000	0.1	82,000	0.8
Unemployment	412,000	351,000	355,000	61,000	17.4	57,000	16.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7	3.2	3.2	0.5	--	0.5	--

UNITED STATES

Civilian Noninstitutional							
Population 16+	272,685,000	269,638,000	267,540,000	3,047,000	1.1	5,145,000	1.9
Civilian Labor Force	169,814,000	167,746,000	166,428,000	2,068,000	1.2	3,386,000	2.0
Employment	162,347,000	161,294,000	159,650,000	1,053,000	0.7	2,697,000	1.7
Unemployment	7,467,000	6,452,000	6,778,000	1,015,000	15.7	689,000	10.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	3.8	4.1	0.6	--	0.3	--

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

	January 2025	December 2024	January 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Nonagricultural Employment	10,018,600	10,002,100	9,879,600	16,500	0.2	139,000	1.4
Total Private	8,848,200	8,835,700	8,734,600	12,500	0.1	113,600	1.3
Goods Producing	1,089,200	1,093,100	1,075,400	-3,900	-0.4	13,800	1.3
Mining, Logging, and Construction	658,400	663,400	647,700	-5,000	-0.8	10,700	1.7
Construction	652,700	657,800	642,000	-5,100	-0.8	10,700	1.7
Manufacturing	430,800	429,700	427,700	1,100	0.3	3,100	0.7
Durable Goods	297,300	295,600	294,500	1,700	0.6	2,800	1.0
Nondurable Goods	133,500	134,100	133,200	-600	-0.4	300	0.2
Service Producing	8,929,400	8,909,000	8,804,200	20,400	0.2	125,200	1.4
Private Service Providing	7,759,000	7,742,600	7,659,200	16,400	0.2	99,800	1.3
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,009,900	2,008,700	1,986,200	1,200	0.1	23,700	1.2
Wholesale Trade	400,500	400,100	395,300	400	0.1	5,200	1.3
Retail Trade	1,164,700	1,163,300	1,155,200	1,400	0.1	9,500	0.8
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	444,700	445,300	435,700	-600	-0.1	9,000	2.1
Information	158,000	158,100	158,100	-100	-0.1	-100	-0.1
Financial Activities	688,900	688,100	684,700	800	0.1	4,200	0.6
Finance and Insurance	468,900	468,500	464,900	400	0.1	4,000	0.9
Real Estate, Rental, and Leasing	220,000	219,600	219,800	400	0.2	200	0.1
Professional and Business Services	1,616,900	1,617,500	1,615,300	-600	*	1,600	0.1
Professional and Technical Services	757,500	755,900	748,200	1,600	0.2	9,300	1.2
Management of Companies and Enterprises	139,000	138,500	136,400	500	0.4	2,600	1.9
Administrative and Waste Services	720,400	723,100	730,700	-2,700	-0.4	-10,300	-1.4
Education and Health Services	1,562,600	1,555,400	1,514,800	7,200	0.5	47,800	3.2
Educational Services	218,300	217,900	208,400	400	0.2	9,900	4.8
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,344,300	1,337,500	1,306,400	6,800	0.5	37,900	2.9
Leisure and Hospitality	1,337,000	1,330,900	1,323,500	6,100	0.5	13,500	1.0
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	267,700	268,200	264,800	-500	-0.2	2,900	1.1
Accommodation and Food Services	1,069,300	1,062,700	1,058,700	6,600	0.6	10,600	1.0
Other Services	385,700	383,900	376,600	1,800	0.5	9,100	2.4

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**Nonagricultural Employment in Florida
Seasonally Adjusted**

	January 2025	December 2024	January 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Total Government	1,170,400	1,166,400	1,145,000	4,000	0.3	25,400	2.2
Federal Government	164,100	162,600	158,700	1,500	0.9	5,400	3.4
State Government	256,100	255,700	251,300	400	0.2	4,800	1.9
Local Government	750,200	748,100	735,000	2,100	0.3	15,200	2.1

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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	January 2025	December 2024	January 2024	Change from			
					Dec 2024 to Jan 2025 Level	Dec 2024 to Jan 2025 Percent	Jan 2024 to Jan 2025 Level	Jan 2024 to Jan 2025 Percent
00000000	Total Nonfarm	9,997,700	10,107,300	9,856,500	-109,600	-1.1%	141,200	1.4%
05000000	Total Private	8,816,000	8,927,300	8,700,000	-111,300	-1.2%	116,000	1.3%
06000000	Goods Producing	1,082,600	1,100,400	1,065,900	-17,800	-1.6%	16,700	1.6%
07000000	Service-Providing	8,915,100	9,006,900	8,790,600	-91,800	-1.0%	124,500	1.4%
08000000	Private Service Providing	7,733,400	7,826,900	7,634,100	-93,500	-1.2%	99,300	1.3%
10000000	Mining and Logging	5,700	5,600	5,700	100	1.8%	0	0.0%
10212000	Mining (except Oil and Gas)	3,400	3,400	3,400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
15000000	Mining, Logging and Construction	654,500	667,800	640,500	-13,300	-2.0%	14,000	2.2%
20000000	Construction	648,800	662,200	634,800	-13,400	-2.0%	14,000	2.2%
20236000	Construction of Buildings	134,000	134,000	130,200	0	0.0%	3,800	2.9%
20237000	Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	85,800	86,600	81,500	-800	-0.9%	4,300	5.3%
20238000	Specialty Trade Contractors	429,000	441,600	423,100	-12,600	-2.9%	5,900	1.4%
20238200	Building Equipment Contractors	187,800	193,300	186,800	-5,500	-2.8%	1,000	0.5%
30000000	Manufacturing	428,100	432,600	425,400	-4,500	-1.0%	2,700	0.6%
31000000	Durable Goods	295,700	296,700	293,000	-1,000	-0.3%	2,700	0.9%
31332000	Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	45,900	46,200	45,800	-300	-0.6%	100	0.2%
31334000	Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	47,400	47,800	47,900	-400	-0.8%	-500	-1.0%
31334200	Communications Equipment Manufacturing	5,200	5,300	5,400	-100	-1.9%	-200	-3.7%
31336000	Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	57,600	57,700	58,000	-100	-0.2%	-400	-0.7%
31336400	Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing	34,100	34,200	33,300	-100	-0.3%	800	2.4%
31339000	Miscellaneous Manufacturing	37,500	37,800	36,500	-300	-0.8%	1,000	2.7%
32000000	Non-Durable Goods	132,400	135,900	132,400	-3,500	-2.6%	0	0.0%
32311000	Food Manufacturing	39,400	40,500	38,800	-1,100	-2.7%	600	1.5%
32312000	Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	13,700	14,000	14,000	-300	-2.1%	-300	-2.1%
32322000	Paper Manufacturing	7,300	7,400	7,600	-100	-1.4%	-300	-3.9%
32323000	Printing and Related Support Activities	15,400	15,900	16,100	-500	-3.1%	-700	-4.3%
32325000	Chemical Manufacturing	29,100	29,600	28,300	-500	-1.7%	800	2.8%
40000000	Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,019,000	2,071,700	1,992,000	-52,700	-2.5%	27,000	1.4%
41000000	Wholesale Trade	399,700	403,100	394,000	-3,400	-0.8%	5,700	1.4%
41423000	Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	218,400	219,600	215,200	-1,200	-0.5%	3,200	1.5%
41423400	Professional and Commercial Equipment and Supplies Merchant Wholesalers	59,100	59,700	58,500	-600	-1.0%	600	1.0%
41423600	Household Appliances and Electrical and Electronic Goods Merchant Wholesalers	24,800	25,100	24,900	-300	-1.2%	-100	-0.4%
41423800	Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies Merchant Wholesalers	39,900	40,400	38,600	-500	-1.2%	1,300	3.4%
41424000	Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	157,200	158,800	154,100	-1,600	-1.0%	3,100	2.0%
41424400	Grocery and Related Product Merchant Wholesalers	63,100	63,900	62,900	-800	-1.3%	200	0.3%
41425000	Wholesale Trade Agents and Brokers	24,100	24,700	24,700	-600	-2.4%	-600	-2.4%
42000000	Retail Trade	1,169,100	1,197,700	1,155,500	-28,600	-2.4%	13,600	1.2%
42441000	Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	169,000	169,400	161,300	-400	-0.2%	7,700	4.8%
42441100	Automobile Dealers	108,100	108,600	101,500	-500	-0.5%	6,600	6.5%
42444000	Building Material and Garden Equipment and Supplies Dealers	97,400	99,200	98,600	-1,800	-1.8%	-1,200	-1.2%
42445000	Food and Beverage Retailers	271,200	271,900	264,100	-700	-0.3%	7,100	2.7%

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

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					Dec 2024 to Jan 2025 Level	Dec 2024 to Jan 2025 Percent	Jan 2024 to Jan 2025 Level	Jan 2024 to Jan 2025 Percent
42449000	Furniture, Home Furnishings, Electronics, and Appliance Retailers	65,800	68,400	67,900	-2,600	-3.8%	-2,100	-3.1%
42449100	Furniture and Home Furnishings Retailers	35,200	36,400	35,900	-1,200	-3.3%	-700	-1.9%
42449200	Electronics and Appliance Retailers	30,600	32,000	32,000	-1,400	-4.4%	-1,400	-4.4%
42455000	General Merchandise Retailers	229,800	240,200	225,700	-10,400	-4.3%	4,100	1.8%
42455100	Department Stores	71,400	78,100	69,700	-6,700	-8.6%	1,700	2.4%
42455200	Warehouse Clubs, Supercenters, and Other General Merchandise Retailers	158,400	162,100	156,000	-3,700	-2.3%	2,400	1.5%
42456000	Health and Personal Care Retailers	87,300	90,400	89,600	-3,100	-3.4%	-2,300	-2.6%
42457000	Gasoline Stations and Fuel Dealers	49,400	50,200	49,600	-800	-1.6%	-200	-0.4%
42458000	Clothing, Clothing Accessories, Shoe, and Jewelry Retailers	96,900	105,000	96,800	-8,100	-7.7%	100	0.1%
42459000	Sporting Goods, Hobby, Musical Instrument, Book, and Miscellaneous Retailers	102,300	103,000	101,900	-700	-0.7%	400	0.4%
43000000	Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	450,200	470,900	442,500	-20,700	-4.4%	7,700	1.7%
43220000	Utilities	26,500	26,600	26,400	-100	-0.4%	100	0.4%
43400089	Transportation and Warehousing	423,700	444,300	416,100	-20,600	-4.6%	7,600	1.8%
43481000	Air Transportation	59,000	59,500	59,800	-500	-0.8%	-800	-1.3%
43483000	Water Transportation	19,600	19,900	19,400	-300	-1.5%	200	1.0%
43484000	Truck Transportation	63,000	64,600	67,100	-1,600	-2.5%	-4,100	-6.1%
43488000	Support Activities for Transportation	73,400	76,700	73,200	-3,300	-4.3%	200	0.3%
43492000	Couriers and Messengers	69,700	78,600	66,300	-8,900	-11.3%	3,400	5.1%
43493000	Warehousing and Storage	109,700	114,100	104,800	-4,400	-3.9%	4,900	4.7%
50000000	Information	157,600	160,200	157,500	-2,600	-1.6%	100	0.1%
50513000	Publishing Industries	43,100	43,800	43,400	-700	-1.6%	-300	-0.7%
50516000	Broadcasting and Content Providers	16,700	17,100	16,700	-400	-2.3%	0	0.0%
50517000	Telecommunications	45,500	46,600	46,800	-1,100	-2.4%	-1,300	-2.8%
50517111	Wired Telecommunications Carriers	34,200	35,100	35,100	-900	-2.6%	-900	-2.6%
50518000	Computing Infrastructure Providers, Data Processing, Web Hosting, and Related	30,200	30,800	29,800	-600	-1.9%	400	1.3%
55000000	Financial Activities	686,700	693,400	681,300	-6,700	-1.0%	5,400	0.8%
55520000	Finance and Insurance	467,600	470,700	463,900	-3,100	-0.7%	3,700	0.8%
55522000	Credit Intermediation and Related Activities including Monetary Authorities - Cer	177,900	178,700	180,000	-800	-0.4%	-2,100	-1.2%
55522100	Depository Credit Intermediation including Monetary Authorities - Central Bank	121,900	122,400	122,700	-500	-0.4%	-800	-0.7%
55524000	Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	221,200	223,500	218,500	-2,300	-1.0%	2,700	1.2%
55524100	Insurance Carriers	101,500	102,100	100,800	-600	-0.6%	700	0.7%
55524200	Agencies, Brokerages, and Other Insurance Related Activities	119,700	121,400	117,700	-1,700	-1.4%	2,000	1.7%
55530000	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	219,100	222,700	217,400	-3,600	-1.6%	1,700	0.8%
55531000	Real Estate	166,800	170,400	166,700	-3,600	-2.1%	100	0.1%
60000000	Professional and Business Services	1,599,500	1,628,000	1,605,400	-28,500	-1.8%	-5,900	-0.4%
60540000	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	752,000	760,600	746,700	-8,600	-1.1%	5,300	0.7%
60541100	Legal Services	111,600	112,900	111,300	-1,300	-1.2%	300	0.3%
60541200	Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, and Payroll Services	91,200	90,600	91,300	600	0.7%	-100	-0.1%
60541300	Architectural, Engineering, and Related Services	110,500	114,600	108,000	-4,100	-3.6%	2,500	2.3%
60541500	Computer Systems Design and Related Services	137,000	137,700	139,400	-700	-0.5%	-2,400	-1.7%
60541600	Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	160,100	164,000	159,900	-3,900	-2.4%	200	0.1%

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60550000	Management of Companies and Enterprises	139,000	139,500	135,900	-500	-0.4%	3,100	2.3%
60560000	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	708,500	727,900	722,800	-19,400	-2.7%	-14,300	-2.0%
60561000	Administrative and Support Services	676,400	695,200	690,900	-18,800	-2.7%	-14,500	-2.1%
60561300	Employment Services	219,700	232,900	234,900	-13,200	-5.7%	-15,200	-6.5%
60561400	Business Support Services	67,700	70,300	74,500	-2,600	-3.7%	-6,800	-9.1%
60561500	Travel Arrangement and Reservation Services	27,500	27,800	27,600	-300	-1.1%	-100	-0.4%
60561600	Investigation and Security Services	76,700	77,000	78,200	-300	-0.4%	-1,500	-1.9%
60561700	Services to Buildings and Dwellings	199,300	201,800	191,000	-2,500	-1.2%	8,300	4.3%
60562000	Waste Management and Remediation Services	32,100	32,700	31,900	-600	-1.8%	200	0.6%
65000000	Private Education and Health Services	1,559,400	1,561,800	1,509,400	-2,400	-0.2%	50,000	3.3%
65610000	Private Educational Services	216,100	220,500	206,900	-4,400	-2.0%	9,200	4.4%
65611100	Private Elementary and Secondary Schools	91,300	92,600	84,700	-1,300	-1.4%	6,600	7.8%
65611300	Private Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	65,500	67,600	61,700	-2,100	-3.1%	3,800	6.2%
65620000	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,343,300	1,341,300	1,302,500	2,000	0.1%	40,800	3.1%
65621000	Ambulatory Health Care Services	621,000	620,300	600,000	700	0.1%	21,000	3.5%
65621100	Offices of Physicians	262,800	263,900	256,000	-1,100	-0.4%	6,800	2.7%
65621600	Home Health Care Services	88,300	87,300	81,800	1,000	1.1%	6,500	7.9%
65622000	Hospitals	366,600	368,900	355,800	-2,300	-0.6%	10,800	3.0%
65623000	Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	200,300	198,200	190,400	2,100	1.1%	9,900	5.2%
65623100	Nursing Care Facilities (Skilled Nursing Facilities)	94,600	93,600	88,900	1,000	1.1%	5,700	6.4%
65623300	Continuing Care Retirement Communities and Assisted Living Facilities for the Elderly	71,400	70,600	69,400	800	1.1%	2,000	2.9%
65624000	Social Assistance	155,400	153,900	156,300	1,500	1.0%	-900	-0.6%
70000000	Leisure and Hospitality	1,324,200	1,326,400	1,313,900	-2,200	-0.2%	10,300	0.8%
70710000	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	268,100	269,600	263,000	-1,500	-0.6%	5,100	1.9%
70713000	Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation Industries	215,600	216,300	209,300	-700	-0.3%	6,300	3.0%
70713100	Amusement Parks and Arcades	85,800	86,700	83,300	-900	-1.0%	2,500	3.0%
70720000	Accommodation and Food Services	1,056,100	1,056,800	1,050,900	-700	-0.1%	5,200	0.5%
70721000	Accommodation	203,500	203,600	190,800	-100	0.0%	12,700	6.7%
70722000	Food Services and Drinking Places	852,600	853,200	860,100	-600	-0.1%	-7,500	-0.9%
80000000	Other Services	387,000	385,400	374,600	1,600	0.4%	12,400	3.3%
80811000	Repair and Maintenance	101,200	99,900	95,600	1,300	1.3%	5,600	5.9%
80811100	Automotive Repair and Maintenance	66,200	65,400	63,100	800	1.2%	3,100	4.9%
80812000	Personal and Laundry Services	110,600	111,900	108,700	-1,300	-1.2%	1,900	1.7%
80813000	Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, and Similar Organizations	175,200	173,600	170,300	1,600	0.9%	4,900	2.9%
90000000	Government	1,181,700	1,180,000	1,156,500	1,700	0.1%	25,200	2.2%
90910000	Federal Government	163,600	164,300	158,400	-700	-0.4%	5,200	3.3%
90920000	State Government	257,300	256,100	251,500	1,200	0.5%	5,800	2.3%
90921611	State Government Educational Services	145,300	144,400	141,500	900	0.6%	3,800	2.7%
90922000	State Government Excluding Education	112,000	111,700	110,000	300	0.3%	2,000	1.8%
90930000	Local Government	760,800	759,600	746,600	1,200	0.2%	14,200	1.9%
90931611	Local Government Educational Services	351,300	351,800	352,200	-500	-0.1%	-900	-0.3%

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Series	Industry Title	January	December	January	Dec 2024 to Jan 2025	Change from	
		2025	2024	2024	Level	Percent	Jan 2024 to Jan 2025 Level Percent
90932000	Local Government excluding Educational Services	409,500	407,800	394,400	1,700	0.4%	15,100 3.8%

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	JANUARY 2025				DECEMBER 2024				JANUARY 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
Alachua County	143,800	137,969	5,831	4.1%	142,580	137,678	4,902	3.4%	141,522	136,501	5,021	3.5%
Baker County	12,209	11,745	464	3.8%	12,158	11,771	387	3.2%	11,991	11,625	366	3.1%
Bay County	92,144	88,482	3,662	4.0%	91,402	88,466	2,936	3.2%	89,448	86,215	3,233	3.6%
Bradford County	10,405	9,953	452	4.3%	10,248	9,879	369	3.6%	10,289	9,930	359	3.5%
Brevard County	307,261	295,014	12,247	4.0%	304,502	294,481	10,021	3.3%	302,484	292,074	10,410	3.4%
Broward County	1,091,243	1,053,736	37,507	3.4%	1,083,109	1,051,577	31,532	2.9%	1,078,369	1,045,030	33,339	3.1%
Calhoun County	5,149	4,940	209	4.1%	5,058	4,891	167	3.3%	4,964	4,791	173	3.5%
Charlotte County	78,040	74,282	3,758	4.8%	77,116	73,991	3,125	4.1%	76,860	73,799	3,061	4.0%
Citrus County	54,052	50,933	3,119	5.8%	53,454	50,921	2,533	4.7%	53,451	50,777	2,674	5.0%
Clay County	115,336	110,921	4,415	3.8%	114,901	111,239	3,662	3.2%	113,435	109,663	3,772	3.3%
Collier County	187,592	180,539	7,053	3.8%	185,101	179,422	5,679	3.1%	186,618	180,736	5,882	3.2%
Columbia County	28,306	27,046	1,260	4.5%	28,044	26,936	1,108	4.0%	27,709	26,588	1,121	4.0%
DeSoto County	12,761	12,140	621	4.9%	12,521	12,035	486	3.9%	12,533	12,041	492	3.9%
Dixie County	5,914	5,630	284	4.8%	5,867	5,624	243	4.1%	5,837	5,586	251	4.3%
Duval County	526,226	506,035	20,191	3.8%	524,500	507,484	17,016	3.2%	518,164	500,169	17,995	3.5%
Escambia County	149,172	143,080	6,092	4.1%	147,306	142,278	5,028	3.4%	147,125	141,839	5,286	3.6%
Flagler County	55,538	53,002	2,536	4.6%	54,952	52,902	2,050	3.7%	54,842	52,637	2,205	4.0%
Franklin County	4,376	4,178	198	4.5%	4,294	4,135	159	3.7%	4,395	4,213	182	4.1%
Gadsden County	17,673	16,892	781	4.4%	17,492	16,816	676	3.9%	17,296	16,583	713	4.1%
Gilchrist County	8,219	7,893	326	4.0%	8,137	7,879	258	3.2%	8,064	7,806	258	3.2%
Glades County	3,962	3,750	212	5.4%	3,868	3,701	167	4.3%	3,919	3,730	189	4.8%
Gulf County	6,734	6,484	250	3.7%	6,683	6,478	205	3.1%	6,614	6,398	216	3.3%
Hamilton County	4,140	3,908	232	5.6%	4,103	3,911	192	4.7%	3,965	3,788	177	4.5%
Hardee County	9,926	9,467	459	4.6%	9,907	9,527	380	3.8%	10,233	9,860	373	3.6%
Hendry County	21,730	20,891	839	3.9%	21,411	20,670	741	3.5%	21,179	20,431	748	3.5%
Hernando County	91,614	87,532	4,082	4.5%	90,862	87,410	3,452	3.8%	90,125	86,618	3,507	3.9%
Highlands County	36,994	34,939	2,055	5.6%	36,730	35,037	1,693	4.6%	36,425	34,706	1,719	4.7%
Hillsborough County	815,901	785,862	30,039	3.7%	810,148	784,470	25,678	3.2%	804,265	777,420	26,845	3.3%
Holmes County	7,858	7,527	331	4.2%	7,780	7,504	276	3.5%	7,719	7,452	267	3.5%
Indian River County	68,081	64,978	3,103	4.6%	67,250	64,686	2,564	3.8%	68,277	65,575	2,702	4.0%
Jackson County	18,275	17,512	763	4.2%	18,378	17,745	633	3.4%	18,240	17,511	729	4.0%
Jefferson County	7,141	6,880	261	3.7%	7,051	6,838	213	3.0%	6,980	6,768	212	3.0%
Lafayette County	2,625	2,499	126	4.8%	2,579	2,473	106	4.1%	2,572	2,468	104	4.0%
Lake County	199,145	191,372	7,773	3.9%	197,186	190,839	6,347	3.2%	194,659	187,963	6,696	3.4%
Lee County	376,942	361,774	15,168	4.0%	373,181	360,826	12,355	3.3%	374,872	361,999	12,873	3.4%
Leon County	167,284	161,025	6,259	3.7%	165,774	160,374	5,400	3.3%	163,817	158,570	5,247	3.2%
Levy County	19,201	18,357	844	4.4%	19,053	18,319	734	3.9%	18,925	18,189	736	3.9%
Liberty County	2,510	2,404	106	4.2%	2,472	2,388	84	3.4%	2,473	2,383	90	3.6%
Madison County	6,816	6,469	347	5.1%	6,774	6,511	263	3.9%	6,837	6,542	295	4.3%

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

COUNTY	JANUARY 2025				DECEMBER 2024				JANUARY 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	200,061	192,036	8,025	4.0%	197,610	190,927	6,683	3.4%	196,806	190,057	6,749	3.4%
Marion County	160,570	153,211	7,359	4.6%	159,010	152,863	6,147	3.9%	157,223	150,660	6,563	4.2%
Martin County	72,432	69,572	2,860	3.9%	72,019	69,706	2,313	3.2%	71,019	68,525	2,494	3.5%
Miami-Dade County	1,441,653	1,407,738	33,915	2.4%	1,445,779	1,410,954	34,825	2.4%	1,444,180	1,417,307	26,873	1.9%
Monroe County	50,738	49,383	1,355	2.7%	50,013	48,943	1,070	2.1%	49,311	48,193	1,118	2.3%
Nassau County	47,593	45,817	1,776	3.7%	47,357	45,953	1,404	3.0%	46,816	45,297	1,519	3.2%
Okaloosa County	101,500	97,766	3,734	3.7%	100,559	97,522	3,037	3.0%	98,351	95,203	3,148	3.2%
Okeechobee County	16,120	15,413	707	4.4%	15,985	15,408	577	3.6%	15,762	15,175	587	3.7%
Orange County	831,201	801,839	29,362	3.5%	824,417	799,685	24,732	3.0%	813,419	787,621	25,798	3.2%
Osceola County	237,198	228,288	8,910	3.8%	235,373	227,639	7,734	3.3%	231,985	224,140	7,845	3.4%
Palm Beach County	779,603	750,777	28,826	3.7%	774,702	751,033	23,669	3.1%	775,272	750,318	24,954	3.2%
Pasco County	299,204	287,018	12,186	4.1%	296,778	286,516	10,262	3.5%	294,208	283,703	10,505	3.6%
Pinellas County	501,843	482,896	18,947	3.8%	498,097	481,569	16,528	3.3%	500,318	484,544	15,774	3.2%
Polk County	360,687	344,389	16,298	4.5%	358,393	344,462	13,931	3.9%	355,438	341,076	14,362	4.0%
Putnam County	29,649	28,292	1,357	4.6%	29,170	28,026	1,144	3.9%	28,830	27,631	1,199	4.2%
Santa Rosa County	91,013	87,507	3,506	3.9%	89,922	86,989	2,933	3.3%	89,691	86,720	2,971	3.3%
Sarasota County	203,119	194,846	8,273	4.1%	199,915	193,214	6,701	3.4%	199,379	192,441	6,938	3.5%
Seminole County	279,809	270,451	9,358	3.3%	277,607	269,744	7,863	2.8%	273,905	265,782	8,123	3.0%
St. Johns County	156,309	150,525	5,784	3.7%	155,677	150,932	4,745	3.0%	153,648	148,802	4,846	3.2%
St. Lucie County	169,319	161,937	7,382	4.4%	168,219	162,128	6,091	3.6%	165,934	159,555	6,379	3.8%
Sumter County	34,923	32,526	2,397	6.9%	34,129	32,282	1,847	5.4%	33,803	31,727	2,076	6.1%
Suwannee County	17,666	16,885	781	4.4%	17,472	16,855	617	3.5%	17,440	16,768	672	3.9%
Taylor County	5,701	5,330	371	6.5%	5,657	5,318	339	6.0%	5,950	5,547	403	6.8%
Union County	4,298	4,089	209	4.9%	4,244	4,069	175	4.1%	4,128	3,958	170	4.1%
Volusia County	267,761	256,103	11,658	4.4%	265,446	255,698	9,748	3.7%	264,343	254,361	9,982	3.8%
Wakulla County	18,144	17,566	578	3.2%	17,959	17,476	483	2.7%	17,785	17,288	497	2.8%
Walton County	41,033	39,595	1,438	3.5%	40,679	39,528	1,151	2.8%	39,836	38,626	1,210	3.0%
Washington County	9,328	8,900	428	4.6%	9,247	8,905	342	3.7%	9,032	8,671	361	4.0%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	11,201,000	10,789,000	412,000	3.7%	11,125,000	10,775,000	351,000	3.2%	11,061,000	10,707,000	355,000	3.2%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	11,188,000	10,798,000	390,000	3.5%	11,170,000	10,785,000	385,000	3.4%	11,122,000	10,768,000	353,000	3.2%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	169,814,000	162,347,000	7,467,000	4.4%	167,746,000	161,294,000	6,452,000	3.8%	166,428,000	159,650,000	6,778,000	4.1%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	170,744,000	163,895,000	6,849,000	4.0%	168,547,000	161,661,000	6,886,000	4.1%	167,339,000	161,190,000	6,149,000	3.7%

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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	JANUARY 2025				DECEMBER 2024				JANUARY 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
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	376,942	361,774	15,168	4.0%	373,181	360,826	12,355	3.3%	374,872	361,999	12,873	3.4%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	142,533	137,361	5,172	3.6%	141,238	137,050	4,188	3.0%	138,187	133,829	4,358	3.2%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	323,299	309,105	14,194	4.4%	320,398	308,600	11,798	3.7%	319,185	306,998	12,187	3.8%
Gainesville MSA	171,220	164,219	7,001	4.1%	169,770	163,876	5,894	3.5%	168,511	162,496	6,015	3.6%
Homosassa Springs MSA	54,052	50,933	3,119	5.8%	53,454	50,921	2,533	4.7%	53,451	50,777	2,674	5.0%
Jacksonville MSA	857,673	825,043	32,630	3.8%	854,593	827,379	27,214	3.2%	844,054	815,556	28,498	3.4%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	360,687	344,389	16,298	4.5%	358,393	344,462	13,931	3.9%	355,438	341,076	14,362	4.0%
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	3,312,499	3,212,251	100,248	3.0%	3,303,590	3,213,564	90,026	2.7%	3,297,821	3,212,655	85,166	2.6%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Division	1,091,243	1,053,736	37,507	3.4%	1,083,109	1,051,577	31,532	2.9%	1,078,369	1,045,030	33,339	3.1%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,441,653	1,407,738	33,915	2.4%	1,445,779	1,410,954	34,825	2.4%	1,444,180	1,417,307	26,873	1.9%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	779,603	750,777	28,826	3.7%	774,702	751,033	23,669	3.1%	775,272	750,318	24,954	3.2%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	187,592	180,539	7,053	3.8%	185,101	179,422	5,679	3.1%	186,618	180,736	5,882	3.2%
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	403,180	386,882	16,298	4.0%	397,525	384,141	13,384	3.4%	396,185	382,498	13,687	3.5%
Ocala MSA	160,570	153,211	7,359	4.6%	159,010	152,863	6,147	3.9%	157,223	150,660	6,563	4.2%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,547,353	1,491,950	55,403	3.6%	1,534,583	1,487,907	46,676	3.0%	1,513,968	1,465,506	48,462	3.2%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	307,261	295,014	12,247	4.0%	304,502	294,481	10,021	3.3%	302,484	292,074	10,410	3.4%
Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	101,472	97,382	4,090	4.0%	100,649	97,371	3,278	3.3%	98,480	94,886	3,594	3.6%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	240,185	230,587	9,598	4.0%	237,228	229,267	7,961	3.4%	236,816	228,559	8,257	3.5%
Port St. Lucie MSA	241,751	231,509	10,242	4.2%	240,238	231,834	8,404	3.5%	236,953	228,080	8,873	3.7%
Punta Gorda MSA	78,040	74,282	3,758	4.8%	77,116	73,991	3,125	4.1%	76,860	73,799	3,061	4.0%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	68,081	64,978	3,103	4.6%	67,250	64,686	2,564	3.8%	68,277	65,575	2,702	4.0%
Sebring MSA	36,994	34,939	2,055	5.6%	36,730	35,037	1,693	4.6%	36,425	34,706	1,719	4.7%
Tallahassee MSA	210,242	202,363	7,879	3.7%	208,276	201,504	6,772	3.3%	205,878	199,209	6,669	3.2%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,708,562	1,643,308	65,254	3.8%	1,695,885	1,639,965	55,920	3.3%	1,688,916	1,632,285	56,631	3.4%
St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo MD	501,843	482,896	18,947	3.8%	498,097	481,569	16,528	3.3%	500,318	484,544	15,774	3.2%
Tampa MD	1,206,719	1,160,412	46,307	3.8%	1,197,788	1,158,396	39,392	3.3%	1,188,598	1,147,741	40,857	3.4%
Wildwood-The Villages MSA	34,923	32,526	2,397	6.9%	34,129	32,282	1,847	5.4%	33,803	31,727	2,076	6.1%
Florida (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	11,201,000	10,789,000	412,000	3.7%	11,125,000	10,775,000	351,000	3.2%	11,061,000	10,707,000	355,000	3.2%
Florida (Seasonally Adjusted)	11,188,000	10,798,000	390,000	3.5%	11,170,000	10,785,000	385,000	3.4%	11,122,000	10,768,000	353,000	3.2%
United States (Not Seasonally Adjusted)	169,814,000	162,347,000	7,467,000	4.4%	167,746,000	161,294,000	6,452,000	3.8%	166,428,000	159,650,000	6,778,000	4.1%
United States (Seasonally Adjusted)	170,744,000	163,895,000	6,849,000	4.0%	168,547,000	161,661,000	6,886,000	4.1%	167,339,000	161,190,000	6,149,000	3.7%

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

1	Sumter County	6.9%
2	Taylor County	6.5%
3	Citrus County	5.8%
4	Hamilton County	5.6%
4	Highlands County	5.6%
6	Glades County	5.4%
7	Madison County	5.1%
8	DeSoto County	4.9%
8	Union County	4.9%
10	Charlotte County	4.8%
10	Dixie County	4.8%
10	Lafayette County	4.8%
13	Flagler County	4.6%
13	Hardee County	4.6%
13	Indian River County	4.6%
13	Marion County	4.6%
13	Putnam County	4.6%
13	Washington County	4.6%
19	Columbia County	4.5%
19	Franklin County	4.5%
19	Hernando County	4.5%
19	Polk County	4.5%
23	Gadsden County	4.4%
23	Levy County	4.4%
23	Okeechobee County	4.4%
23	St. Lucie County	4.4%
23	Suwannee County	4.4%
23	Volusia County	4.4%
	United States	4.4%
29	Bradford County	4.3%
30	Holmes County	4.2%
30	Jackson County	4.2%
30	Liberty County	4.2%
33	Alachua County	4.1%
33	Calhoun County	4.1%
33	Escambia County	4.1%
33	Pasco County	4.1%
33	Sarasota County	4.1%
38	Bay County	4.0%
38	Brevard County	4.0%

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

38	Gilchrist County	4.0%
38	Lee County	4.0%
38	Manatee County	4.0%
43	Hendry County	3.9%
43	Lake County	3.9%
43	Martin County	3.9%
43	Santa Rosa County	3.9%
47	Baker County	3.8%
47	Clay County	3.8%
47	Collier County	3.8%
47	Duval County	3.8%
47	Osceola County	3.8%
47	Pinellas County	3.8%
53	Gulf County	3.7%
53	Hillsborough County	3.7%
53	Jefferson County	3.7%
53	Leon County	3.7%
53	Nassau County	3.7%
53	Okaloosa County	3.7%
53	Palm Beach County	3.7%
53	St. Johns County	3.7%
	Florida	3.7%
61	Orange County	3.5%
61	Walton County	3.5%
63	Broward County	3.4%
64	Seminole County	3.3%
65	Wakulla County	3.2%
66	Monroe County	2.7%
67	Miami-Dade County	2.4%

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

1	Wildwood-The Villages MSA	6.9%
2	Homosassa Springs MSA	5.8%
3	Sebring MSA	5.6%
4	Punta Gorda MSA	4.8%
5	Ocala MSA	4.6%
5	Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	4.6%
7	Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	4.5%
8	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	4.4%
	United States	4.4%
9	Port St. Lucie MSA	4.2%
10	Gainesville MSA	4.1%
11	Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	4.0%
11	North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	4.0%
11	Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	4.0%
11	Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	4.0%
11	Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	4.0%
16	Jacksonville MSA	3.8%
16	Naples-Marco Island MSA	3.8%
16	St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo MD	3.8%
16	Tampa MD	3.8%
20	Tallahassee MSA	3.7%
20	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	3.7%
	Florida	3.7%
22	Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	3.6%
22	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	3.6%
24	Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise MD	3.4%
25	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	2.4%

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TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
FLORIDA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

Area	January 2025	December 2024	January 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Statewide	9,997,700	10,107,300	9,856,500	-109,600	-1.1%	141,200	1.4%
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	313,900	317,700	313,600	-3,800	-1.2%	300	0.1%
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	130,000	132,000	126,600	-2,000	-1.5%	3,400	2.7%
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	228,100	230,800	226,300	-2,700	-1.2%	1,800	0.8%
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Division	930,600	941,300	922,400	-10,700	-1.1%	8,200	0.9%
Gainesville MSA	167,000	168,800	164,400	-1,800	-1.1%	2,600	1.6%
Homosassa Springs MSA	36,000	36,500	35,900	-500	-1.4%	100	0.3%
Jacksonville MSA	806,900	820,200	795,100	-13,300	-1.6%	11,800	1.5%
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	277,300	281,200	274,600	-3,900	-1.4%	2,700	1.0%
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,980,500	3,017,700	2,944,100	-37,200	-1.2%	36,400	1.2%
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,347,100	1,364,300	1,320,900	-17,200	-1.3%	26,200	2.0%
Naples-Marco Island MSA	178,200	179,600	178,500	-1,400	-0.8%	-300	-0.2%
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	354,100	356,200	349,600	-2,100	-0.6%	4,500	1.3%
Ocala MSA	124,200	125,700	121,800	-1,500	-1.2%	2,400	2.0%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,513,000	1,528,800	1,480,900	-15,800	-1.0%	32,100	2.2%
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	259,000	262,000	255,700	-3,000	-1.1%	3,300	1.3%
Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	90,700	92,300	88,200	-1,600	-1.7%	2,500	2.8%
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	201,000	202,400	198,500	-1,400	-0.7%	2,500	1.3%
Port St. Lucie MSA	176,700	179,500	173,100	-2,800	-1.6%	3,600	2.1%
Punta Gorda MSA	58,800	59,400	58,300	-600	-1.0%	500	0.9%
St. Petersburg - Clearwater - Largo Division	483,800	488,500	485,300	-4,700	-1.0%	-1,500	-0.3%
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	59,500	59,900	59,900	-400	-0.7%	-400	-0.7%
Sebring MSA	28,700	29,200	28,200	-500	-1.7%	500	1.8%
Tallahassee MSA	203,100	204,800	199,400	-1,700	-0.8%	3,700	1.9%
Tampa Division	1,067,900	1,080,400	1,053,000	-12,500	-1.2%	14,900	1.4%
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	1,551,700	1,568,900	1,538,300	-17,200	-1.1%	13,400	0.9%
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	702,800	712,100	700,800	-9,300	-1.3%	2,000	0.3%
Wildwood-The Villages MSA	41,900	42,200	40,600	-300	-0.7%	1,300	3.2%

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. March 17, 2025.

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

Seasonally Adjusted

Area	January ^p 2025	December ^r 2024	January 2024	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				Level	Percent	Level	Percent
Florida	10,018,600	10,002,100	9,879,600	16,500	0.2	139,000	1.4
Cape Coral-Fort Myers MSA	313,700	313,600	312,800	100	*	900	0.3
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin MSA	131,500	131,800	129,800	-300	-0.2	1,700	1.3
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach MSA	228,900	229,000	227,600	-100	*	1,300	0.6
Gainesville MSA	166,700	166,800	164,000	-100	-0.1	2,700	1.6
Homosassa Springs MSA	36,200	36,200	36,000	0	0.0	200	0.6
Jacksonville MSA	808,800	810,100	799,200	-1,300	-0.2	9,600	1.2
Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	277,200	277,300	274,700	-100	*	2,500	0.9
Miami-Ft. Lauderdale-West Palm Beach MSA	2,984,700	2,981,300	2,948,800	3,400	0.1	35,900	1.2
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Division	930,800	929,900	923,200	900	0.1	7,600	0.8
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall MD	1,351,300	1,348,100	1,325,000	3,200	0.2	26,300	2.0
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MD	703,600	703,100	699,800	500	0.1	3,800	0.5
Naples-Marco Island MSA	177,000	176,700	176,000	300	0.2	1,000	0.6
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota MSA	353,200	352,500	348,500	700	0.2	4,700	1.3
Ocala MSA	124,200	124,000	121,800	200	0.2	2,400	2.0
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford MSA	1,521,300	1,514,000	1,488,700	7,300	0.5	32,600	2.2
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville MSA	259,300	259,200	256,500	100	*	2,800	1.1
Panama City-Panama City Beach MSA	92,000	92,200	90,600	-200	-0.2	1,400	1.5
Pensacola -Ferry Pass-Brent MSA	202,200	201,600	200,700	600	0.3	1,500	0.7
Port St. Lucie MSA	177,700	177,800	173,500	-100	-0.1	4,200	2.4
Punta Gorda MSA	58,600	58,400	58,100	200	0.3	500	0.9
Sebastian-Vero Beach MSA	59,500	59,200	59,500	300	0.5	0	0.0
Sebring MSA	28,800	28,800	28,000	0	0.0	800	2.9
Tallahassee MSA	203,000	202,800	199,300	200	0.1	3,700	1.9
Tampa - St. Petersburg - Clearwater MSA	1,558,100	1,555,600	1,544,700	2,500	0.2	13,400	0.9
St. Petersburg - Clearwater - Largo Division	486,500	485,800	489,200	700	0.1	-2,700	-0.6
Tampa Division	1,072,800	1,071,400	1,055,300	1,400	0.1	17,500	1.7
Wildwood-The Villages MSA	41,900	41,800	40,600	100	0.2	1,300	3.2

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p = preliminary, r = revised, * - less than 0.1 percent

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