

2021 Florida Shelter Animal Census
Data from 151 of 154 shelters reporting as of
5-23-2022
Aggregated by county

County	County Human Population	Cat & Dog Live Intake	Cat & Dog Live Outcome	Cat & Dog Live Outcome Rate
Alachua	284,607	6,503	5,896	91%
Baker	28,692	405	282	70%
Bay	178,282	3,909	2,209	57%
Bradford	27,955	889	722	81%
Brevard	616,742	9,650	8,745	91%
Broward	1,955,375	15,200	12,184	80%
Calhoun	13,683	139	105	76%
Charlotte	190,570	4,440	3,691	83%
Citrus	155,615	3,001	2,560	85%
Clay	221,440	5,141	5,081	99%
Collier	382,680	6,359	5,397	85%
Columbia	69,809	2,070	1,689	82%
Desoto	34,031	1,924	1,020	53%
Dixie	16,804	328	318	97%
Duval	1,016,809	16,234	14,503	89%
Escambia	324,458	6,018	5,329	89%
Flagler	119,662	2,711	2,296	85%
Franklin	12,364	1,112	875	79%
Gadsden	43,813	337	17	5%
Gilchrist	18,126	640	506	79%
Glades	12,130	371	148	40%
Gulf	14,824	376	319	85%
Hamilton	13,226	249	189	76%
Hardee	25,269	724	690	95%
Hendry	40,540	2,366	1,544	65%
Hernando	196,540	3,713	3,336	90%
Highlands	102,065	4,702	3,003	64%
Hillsborough	1,490,374	22,904	20,704	90%
Holmes	19,665	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Indian River	161,702	3,889	3,461	89%
Jackson	47,198	318	309	97%
Jefferson	14,590	215	173	80%
Lafayette	7,937	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Lake	400,142	6,943	6,654	96%
Lee	782,579	12,529	11,142	89%
Leon	295,921	4,220	3,387	80%
Levy	43,577	1,482	1,029	69%
Liberty	7,464	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Madison	18,122	560	470	84%

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Manatee	411,209	6,328	5,485	87%
Marion	381,176	10,004	8,990	90%
Martin	159,053	3,446	3,852	112%
Miami-Dade	2,731,939	38,356	35,536	93%
Monroe	83,411	2,000	1,222	61%
Nassau	93,012	4,037	3,766	93%
Okaloosa	213,204	3,666	3,314	90%
Okeechobee	39,148	2,397	1,166	49%
Orange	1,457,940	18,347	16,267	89%
Osceola	406,460	3,565	2,318	65%
Palm Beach	1,502,495	22,992	20,703	90%
Pasco	575,891	9,103	8,065	89%
Pinellas	964,490	17,397	14,636	84%
Polk	748,365	16,905	12,458	74%
Putnam	73,673	1,362	1,243	91%
Santa Rosa	285,533	3,202	2,770	87%
Sarasota	340,060	6,822	6,018	88%
Seminole	191,911	6,041	3,636	60%
St. Johns	441,508	5,117	3,671	72%
St. Lucie	477,455	4,875	3,750	77%
Sumter	134,593	1,720	1,493	87%
Suwannee	43,676	1,556	1,343	86%
Taylor	20,957	1,138	997	88%
Union	15,799	225	225	100%
Volusia	563,358	7,932	7,287	92%
Wakulla	34,311	817	1,036	127%
Walton	77,941	5,497	3,235	59%
Washington	24,995	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
STATEWIDE TOTAL	21,898,945	357,418	304,465	85%

1. Calendar year 2021 cat and dog intake and outcome data are self-reported by brick and mortar animal shelters
2. Intake and outcome types are defined by Shelter Animals Count: www.shelteranimalscount.org/data/basic-data-matrix
3. Live intakes include owner relinquishment, stray, transfer in, other and owner requested euthanasia
4. Live outcomes include adoption, return to owner, transfer out, return to field, and other
5. Live Outcome Rate was calculated as (live outcome)/(live intake)
6. 151 of 154 shelters reported data, representing 98% of all shelters and an estimated 99% of all sheltered animals in Florida.
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8. Data updated 5-23-22