

# Fact Sheet: Florida State-to-State Migration

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## NEW Migration Data: What It Means for Florida

New data for 2024 reveals how Florida's continued inflow strengthens the talent pool, particularly as new residents arrive from large, high-cost states with diverse skills and experience. While migration has slowed for Florida, and many other states, it has remained net positive and still serves as the driving force of Florida's population growth.

## A Competitive Economic Signal

While migration has slowed, this trend was consistent across many states. Florida remains first in the nation for in-migration, and second for net migration. Florida's top national rankings send a clear message to investors and employers: **Florida remains a place where people want to live, work, and build careers.**

## Where People Are Moving

**Top States People are Moving From to Florida:** New York, Texas, California

**Top States People Are Moving To After Leaving Florida:** Georgia, Texas, North Carolina

## Migration Into and Out of Florida

**573,876 people moved INTO Florida from other US states (2024)**

**506,246 people moved OUT of Florida to other US states (2024)**

**Net Migration:** Florida gained +67,630 new residents (latest data, 2024)

## National Migration Rankings

**#1** Florida leads the nation in In-Migration

**#2** Florida is just behind Texas (#1) in Net Migration

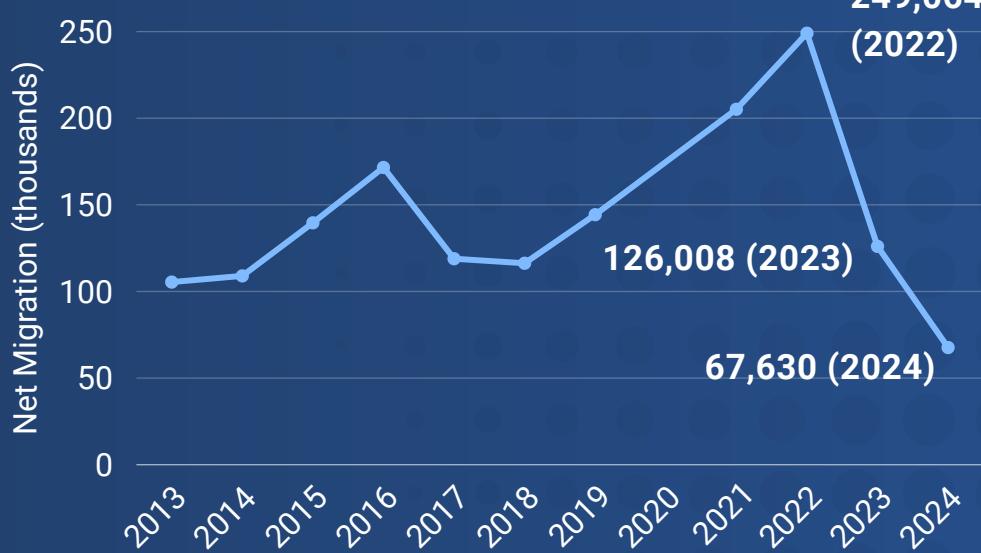
## Year-Over-Year Trends

While net migration slowed, FL remains one of the strongest population magnets in the US.

**2023 Net Migration:** +126,008

**2024 Net Migration:** +67,630

### Florida's Net Migration From Other States



Note: No data was reported in 2020

## The Bottom Line

Florida's net migration is half of what it was last year, but this isn't a signal that Florida is falling behind. States like Texas and North Carolina also saw significant drops in net migration. The numbers are showing that migration is cooling across the country, and Florida remains among the top amidst this slowdown.

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