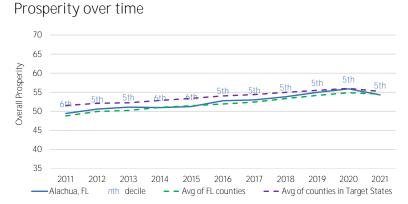
Alachua, FL: Overall Prosperity 54.3 (5th decile*)







Breakdown of performance	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Deciles - US Counties (1 to 10) 2021	10-year decile change	Ranks - FL (1 to 67) 2021
Overall Prosperity	49.4	^~	54.3	5	1	24
Inclusive Societies	50.3		54.7	6	1	40
Safety and Security	42.1	/	48.4	9	1	51
Personal Freedom	59.7		62.1	3	1	61
Governance	39.5	~~~~	55.4	5	A 3	1
Social Capital	59.7	1_	52.8	4	▼ 1	3
Open Economies	44.2	~~~	49.4	6	1	22
Business Environment	40.8	~~	44.6	6	1	12
Infrastructure	52.2	<u> </u>	55.2	3		34
Economic Quality	39.6		48.2	9	▼ 1	32
Empowered People	53.7		58.8	4	1	25
Living Conditions	52.2	^^	58.3	8	▼ 1	51
Health	47.9	^^^	54.3	5	^ 2	22
S Education	59.1	~/~	65.4	1	1	4
Natural Environment	55.7		57.1	3		35

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Alachua, FL (5th decile*): Pillar an	d elem	nent sc	ores													
Safety and Security	į	2.1	verall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021 48.4	2021 9	Counties De 10-yr dec	cile tile chng.	FL Rank 2021 51	Personal Freedom	n	2011 59.7	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 62.1	2021 3	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	FL Rank 2021 61
Mass Killings and Injuries 159	6 10	0.0		86.8	10	•	9	53	Agency	30%	52.7		51.7	10	▼ 1	1
Violent Crime 509	6 4°	1.7		44.1	9	^	1	48	Freedom of Association and Speech	15%	47.6		47.2	1	a 2	1
Property Crime 359	6 17	7.8		38.0	8	_	2	44	Absence of Legal Discrimination	25%	65.6	J.	69.1	1		1
									Social Tolerance	30%	67.9	~~	74.0	3	▲ 1	65
Governance	į.	9.5	verall Prosperity 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 55.4	2021 5	Counties De 10-yr dec	cile cile chng.	FL Rank 2021	Social Capital		2011 59.7	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 52.8	2021 4	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	FL Rank 2021
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Political Accountability 30 th Rule of Law 35 th	1	1.0	<i>~</i>	77.6 41.0	2	_	2	1	Personal and Family Relationships Social Networks	25% 25%	58.3 73.3	+	67.7 55.5	3	▼ 1 ▼ 2	12
Government Integrity 359		1.7	Δ	50.9	4		2	1	Institutional Trust	20%	89.9		56.3	8	▼ 7	61
Government integrity 35:	6 3	1.7	V	50.9	4		2	'	Civic and Social Participation	30%	29.4	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	35.6	6	4	11
									One and second is tropared.	50%	2		55.5		·	
	i		verall Prosperity 10-yr trend		2021			FL Rank 2021	四			Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	FL Rank 2021
Business Environmen	t 40	0.8	٧~,	44.6	6	^	1	12	Infrastructure		52.2	1	55.2	3		34
Financing Ecosystems 40'	% 38	8.4	V	44.3	3	_	1	12	Communications	40%	43.9		43.9	5	= .	43
Domestic Market Contestability 30 th	6 18	3.8		19.9	9	-	-	1	Resources	25%	47.7	<i></i>	59.8	3	A 4	33
Burden of Regulation 109	6 6	7.5		67.2	1	^	1	1	Transport	35%	64.9	V	64.9	1		5
Labor Market Flexibility 109	6 78	B.4		61.9	6	•	4	1								
Price Distortions 109	6 51	1.7		80.0	3	_	6	1								
	20		verall Prosperity	2021	US (Counties De		FL Rank 2021								
Economic Quality	39	9.6	~^	48.2	9	•	1	32								
Fiscal Sustainability 255	6 52	2.7	1	56.4	6	•	3	60								
Productivity and Competitiveness 259	6 23	3.2	~~	29.7	10	-		37								
Dynamism 20 ^t	6 51	1.9	1	54.1	6	_	-	51								
Labor Force Engagement 30°	% 34	4.2		52.9	5	•	2	5								
A Linda of Consultations	- 1		verall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	Counties De 10-yr dec		FL Rank 2021			2011	10-yr trend	2021	2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	FL Rank 2021
Living Conditions		2.2	7	58.3	8	_	1	51	Health		47.9	/	54.3	5	^ 2	22
Material Resources 259	- 1	7.5	~/	52.3	8	=		57	Behavioral Risk Factors	15%	53.2	JV,	58.1	4	▲ 3	20
Nutrition 159		0.4		59.6	6	A	1	43	Preventative Interventions	15%	41.8	~~	58.7	2	A 4	5
Water Services 159		2.0	JV	44.8	8	^	1	49	Care Systems	15%	25.0	~	49.9	6	<u>2</u>	11
Shelter 159		8.4 —	\vee	54.3	8	_	•	43	Mental Health	15%	59.0		55.9	6	1	23
Connectedness 159 Protection from Harm 159		5.6 2.7 ^	^^	84.6 58.4	7	-	2	31 43	Physical Health Longevity	20%	49.8 55.2	1	44.3 60.6	6	A 1	26 34
FIGURE CONTROLL TO A CONTROLL	. 0.		verall Prosperity	30.4	USC	Counties De		FL Rank	Lungevity	2070		Overall Prosperity		USC	ounties Decile	FL Rank
Education	- 1	9.1	10-yr trend	2021 65.4	2021	10-yr dec		2021	Natural Environm	nent	2011 55.7	10-yr trend	2021 57.1	3	10-yr decile chng.	²⁰²¹
0,									/			/1				
Pre-Primary Education 5%		8.3	X	45.0	7	•	3	17	Emissions Evacure to Air Pollution	25%	55.4		55.8	3		24
Primary Education 20 th Secondary Education 25 th		0.3	~~	70.0	7	A	2	21 26	Exposure to Air Pollution Forest, Land and Soil	25%	50.8 59.5		55.3 59.8	8		46 46
Tertiary Education 25:		7.2		59.5	1	_		26	Freshwater	20%	69.6		69.9	6	_ :	29
Adult Skills 25:		1.0	~	76.9	1	_		3	Preservation Efforts	10%	33.7		33.7	2		1
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co Der 2011	cile 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co Der 2011
Mass Killings and Injuries (10th)			15%	100.0		86.8	1	10	Violent Crime (9th)			50%	41.7	√ ^	44.1	10
Mass shooting deaths	GVA	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Murder	NACJD	deaths /100,000 population	1.5	2.0		1.5	7
Mass shooting injuries	GVA	injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0	\mathbb{V}	18.6	1	10	Rape	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	59.2	-~_	80.3	10
Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	595.6		359.1	10
Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Robbery	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	148.7		100.7	10
Terrorism events	GTD	events /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co Der 2011									
Property Crime (8th)			35%	17.8		38.0	10	8								
Burglary	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.5	1,136.3		466.8	10	7								
Motor vehicle theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	272.7		198.5	10	9								
Larceny theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	2,883.7	1	2,216.4	10	10								
Identity theft	FTC	reports /100,000 population	0.5	252.0		252.0	6	5								
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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counti Decile 2011 2			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Agency (10th)			30%	52.7		51.7		10	Freedom of Association and Speech (1st)			15%	47.6	lo-yr deld	47.2	3
Fatal police shootings of unarmed civilians	WaPo	deaths /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Statewide free speech in public places	Cato	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	2
Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	2.09		1.63	9	9	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1
Statewide adult incarceration	BJS	number /100,000 adult population	1.0	990.0		870.0	6	5	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.024		0.028	7
Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	121.3		54.8	9	7	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.5	4
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	3.0		4.2	6	10								
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Absongs of Logal	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 2	021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 2021
Absence of Legal Discrimination (1st)			25%	65.6		69.1	1	1	Social Tolerance (3rd)			30%	67.9	~~~	74.0	4 3
Statewide religious freedom restoration act enacted	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.5		0.5	1	2	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.8	__\	0.4	4
Statewide employment anti-discrimination law	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	1.0		1.0	1	1	Ethnic slur google traffic	Google	index, 0-100	1.0	26.6		26.6	8
Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	1.0		1.0	1	1	Statewide same sex marriage support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	52.0		66.0	4
Statewide affirmative action in public services							2	2	Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law			0.5	70.0		72.0	4
banned	Cato	coding, 0-2	0.5	1.0		1.0	2	-	support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	70.0	¥		
banned Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	Cato MAP	coding, 0-2 coding, 0-9	0.5	1.0		1.5	8	9	support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	70.0	V		
Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood		0-2 coding,						9	support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	70.0	V		
Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	MAP	0-2 coding, 0-9 coding,	0.5	1.0		1.5	8	9	support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	70.0	V		
Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	MAP	0-2 coding, 0-9 coding,	0.5	1.0		1.5	8	9	support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	70.0	¥		Ī
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co Der 2011	unties tile 2021	
Political Accountability (2nd)			30%	61.0	~	77.6	1		Rule of Law (8th)
Statewide Elections Performance Index	MIT	index score, 0-1	1.5	0.68	~~~	0.76	5	4	Statewide Justice Index
Statewide gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	25.6		34.4	2	2	Statewide judicial integrity
Statewide state campaign disclosure	NIMP	index, 0-1	1.0	0.6		0.8	4	5	
Statewide term limits	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1	1	
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Co Der	unties	
Covernment Integrity (4th)		Sim.	35%	2011 51.7	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 50.9	2011	2021	
Government Integrity (4th)		expert survey,			√ _				
Statewide legal corruption perceptions	ICS	3-15 expert survey,	1.0	10.0		10.0	7	4	
Statewide illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	3-15	1.0	8.0		6.0	5	3	
Statewide Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.5863	W	0.3753	9	9	
Statewide State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	18.0	ļ	30.0	3	7	
Statewide public record request compliance	Cuillier	percentage	1.0	38.7		38.7	6	6	
Statewide Online Spending Transparency Index	USPIRG	index score, 0-100	0.5	92.5		76.0	1	7	
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Cou Deci 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Personal and Family Relationships (5th)			25%	58.3	lo-yr trend	67.7	4		Social Networks (3rd)			25%	73.3	1 Syruena	55.5	1
Statewide divorce	CDC	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	4.2	مر	3.5	8	9	Favors between neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	74.2		60.9	1
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	36.8	~~~	32.3	9	7	Frequently talk with neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	84.5		63.9	1
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	21.5		10.0	2	1	Trust in people in neighborhood	0	percentage	1.5	73.8	1	61.0	1
Statewide parent's attendance of children's activities	NSCH	percentage	0.5	89.2		95.7	8	3	Statewide supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	51.3	-	51.2	7
Shared meals with household members	0	percentage	0.5	115.1		83.1	1	9	Statewide trust in people	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.5	7
Frequently hear from family and friends	0	percentage	1.0	74.8		84.5	10	6								
Close friends	0	average	1.0	7.4		7.4	1	1								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value	2021	US Cou Deci 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-vr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Institutional Trust (8th)			20%	2011 89.9	10-yr trend	56.3	1	8	Civic and Social Participation (6th)			30%	29.4	No.	35.6	10
Confidence in corporations	0	percentage	1.0	76.8	1	63.9	1	9	Statewide volunteer rate	Census	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	0.27	1	0.27	10
Confidence in the media	0	percentage	1.0	100.0		53.4	1	8	Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	0.5	29.7	M	27.3	9
Statewide trust in federal government	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4		0.4	4	4	Statewide volunteering intensity (microdata)	Census	hours, per capita	0.5	66.0	WY	59.5	1
									Statewide active in neighborhood	Census	percentage	1.0	20.5		19.2	7
									Statewide helping the community	CNCS	instances, /1,000	0.5	2.41		2.40	2
									Statewide helping the community (microdata)	Census	percentage	0.5	1.4		5.2	1
									(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000 population	1.0	0.343	~	0.368	5
									Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	1.2		1.2	8
	1								Religious organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	15.7	/\	21.1	9
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									Sport or recreation organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	5.5		15.7	10

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Alachua, FL: Business Environr	nent (6tr	i decile*): Ele	ement a	nd indi	cator scor	es							Italies: Indica	tor contains	imputed values
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Financing Ecosystems (3rd)			40%	38.4	10-yr trend	44.3	4 3	Domestic Market Contestability (9th)			30%	²⁰¹¹ 18.8	10-yr trend	19.9	9 9
Venture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	20.0	M	115.1	4 2	Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	56.0		56.0	8 8
Number of venture capital deals	NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	5.4		14.2	3 2	Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	s	1.0	318.0		318.0	9 (
Assets under management	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	82.0	M	89.3	4 2	Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	693.0		693.0	9 9
Venture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	4.3	1	1.6	3 6	Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	15.0		15.0	9 (
New foreign direct investment	BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	203.4	-	135.7	7 7	Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	-0.024	V	-0.019	7
Bank branch access	FDIC	number /square mile	1.5	0.061		0.070	2 2								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Burden of Regulation (1st)			10%	2011 67.5	10-yr trend	67.2	2011 2021	Labor Market Flexibility (6th)			10%	²⁰¹¹ 78.4	10-yr trend	61.9	2011 2021
Statewide Federal Regulation and State Enterprise Index	QuantGov	index score	1.0	0.79	\	0.82	1 1	Statewide collective bargaining agreement coverage	FI	percent	1.0	7.9	M	6.7	4 4
Statewide state regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.587		1.536	6 2	Statewide employee health insurance cost	НЈК	s	0.5	3,975.0		5,220.0	1 4
								Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	1.7		1.0	1 4
							US Countles	Statewide minimum wage	DOL	S	1.0	7.3	100	8.6	3 6
	Source				Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021								
Price Distortions (3rd)			10%	51.7	7	80.0	9 3								
Statewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.25	N	0.15	9 9								
Statewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	5.59	~~~	5.94	2 1								

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Co De	ounties		Source	Unit	Weight		Value	no coman	US Counties Decile
					10-yr trend		2011	2021					2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011 2021
Communications (5th)			40%	43.9		43.9	5	5	Resources (3rd)			25%	47.7	1	59.8	7 3
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	45.2		45.2	6	6	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.08		0.00	6 1
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	13.2		13.2	5	5	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0114		0.0114	8 8
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	100.0		100.0	1	1	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	0.079		0.056	8 8
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	7.0		7.0	1	1	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	69.2	-	66.8	2 2
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	0.87	_~/	0.77	3 2
							HS Co	ounties								
	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		De 2011									
Transport (1st)			35%	64.9	Y	64.9	1	1								
Statewide number of airports	BTS	number /square mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1								
Road condition	BTS	percent	1.5	2.4		2.4	7	7								
Statewide railroad length	AAR	miles /square mile	1.0	0.1		0.1	5	5								
Bus transit route mileage	BTS	miles /square mile	0.5	0.3		0.3	1	1								
Public road density	BTS	miles /square mile	1.0	0.7		0.7	3	3								
Bridge condition	BTS	percent	0.5	0.00	V	0.00	1	1								
Distance to airport	BTS	km	1.0	8.5		8.5	1	1								

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	Source						US Coun Decile 2011			Source		Weight				
Fiscal Sustainability (6th)			25%	52.7	مامر	56.4	3	6	Productivity and Competitiveness (10th)			25%	23.2	~~	29.7	10 10
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	8.0		8.0	1	1	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	513.1		609.8	10 10
Statewide state reserves capacity	0	days	1.0	31.8	V~	37.4	5	8	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	1,462.8		1,786.6	2 2
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	0.96		0.96	8	8	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	51.1	~~	54.9	8 8
Statewide state budget balance	0	\$/capita	1.0	-275.2		159.8	1	7								
Statewide state pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	65.4	M	57.5	1	1								
Debt-to-GDP ratio	Census	percent	1.0	2.45		6.63	5	7								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Coun Decile			Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Dynamism (6th)			20%	²⁰¹¹ 51.9	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 54.1	2011	6	Labor Force Engagement (5th)			30%	34.2	10-yr trend	52.9	7 5
Startup concentration	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	139.2	h	98.7	1	1	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	8.0		5.4	5 4
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	6.50	M	6.37	1	1	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	15.4	~/	11.5	5 6
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	67.0	~~	77.9	9	9	Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	27.0	1	36.0	7 2
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	100.0		100.0	1	1	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	6.4	$\sqrt{}$	4.9	9 7
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	number /100,000 population	1.5	0.0	Λ	0.0	10	10	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	60.9	1	59.7	6 5
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	440.3		695.1	2	2								
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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit		2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 202
Material Resources (8th)			25%	47.5	~_	52.3	8 8	Nutrition (6th)			15%	40.4	~~	59.6	7
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	32.2	~~	30.0	8 8	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	81.9		86.1	7
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	23.8	~	21.4	9 9	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	93.9	~~	95.6	7
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	15.56	_/	12.35	10 10	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	56.80		57.50	6
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	40.1		40.1	7 7	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	79.6		82.0	2
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	6.3		6.6	3 3								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr tr <u>e</u> nd	2021	US Counties Decile 2011202
Water Services (8th)			15%	42.0	/\/	44.8	9 8	Shelter (8th)			15%	48.4	V	54.3	8
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	93.3	/	93.5	8 7	Homelessness	HUD	number / 10,000 population	0.5	21.0	V	17.3	9
Public drinking water violations	CHR	Score, 0 or 1	1.0	1.0	/\/	1.0	5 7	Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	percentage	0.5	67.4	V	61.9	8
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	percentage	1.0	98.92		99.22	7 4	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage	1.0	1.63	W	1.94	5
								Availability of affordable housing	UI	units / 100 extremely low income tenants	1.0	9.0		21.0	7
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(2nd)	Source	Unit	Unit		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021	Ductaction from House (7th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	A		Decile 2011 202
Connectedness (3rd)			15%	75.6	/	84.6		Protection from Harm (7th)		number /	15%		₩ \	58.4	5
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	84.8		84.8		Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	100,000 population number /	1.0	23.5	NA A	22.8	2
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	73.8	/	83.3	2 2	Traffic deaths	CDC	100,000 population	1.0	12.3	~ ~ ~ /	16.1	2

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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021	Danis at the second	Source			2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 202
Behavioral Risk Factors (4th)			15%	53.2	<i>/</i> /\	58.1	7 4	Preventative Interventions (2nd)			15%	41.8	~~	58.7	6
Obesity	CDC	percentage	1.0	24.9	my	27.4	2	Adult dentist visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	61.0		60.7	6
Smoking	CHR	percentage	1.5	19.5	$/\!\!\!/\!\!\!\!/$	17.9	5	Adult doctor visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	64.6		77.1	8
Alcohol use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	7.3		5.6	9	Colorectal cancer screening	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	65.1]	81.7	7
Illicit drug use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	3.31		3.28	10	Statewide child medical visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	91.5		76.8	1
Pain reliever misuse	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	4.6		4.6	10 10	Statewide HPV immunizations	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	40.4		56.0	6
								Pap smear test	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	76.3		83.6	9
								Statewide child immunization	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	68.2	V	76.2	1
								Statewide child dentist visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	74.9	Λ	75.2	10 1
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value	25	US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Care Systems (6th)			15%	²⁰¹¹ 25.0	10-yr trend	49.9	8 6	Mental Health (6th)			15%	59.0	10-yr trend	55.9	7
Statewide child mental health access	NSCH	percentage	1.0	63.5	1	43.6	9	7 Suicide	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	1.0	12.5	1~1	11.7	4
Adults with no health care coverage	CHR	percentage	0.5	30.2	-	13.2	9	Drug overdose deaths	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	13.2	<u> </u>	10.9	7
Avoided medical care due to cost	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	19.3	M	16.0	7	Serious mental illness	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	1.0	4.32	·\	4.92	4
Hospital rating	HCA	percentage	0.5	73.0	executed.	73.0	6	Statewide disability weighted prevalence from mental illness		years / 100,000 population	1.0	2,280.4		2,172.5	7
Preventable hospitalizations for medicare enrolees	CHR	discharges / 100,000	1.0	5,924.3		4,792.0	2	Self-reported mental health not good	CHR	percentage	1.0	12.7	1	14.8	9
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	Source		Unit		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021		Source			2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 202
Physical Health (6th)			20%	49.8	~	44.3	6 6	Longevity (6th)			20%	55.2		60.6	7
High blood pressure	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	30.8		29.0	6	Under 5 mortality	CDC	deaths / 100,000 under 5 population	1.0	272.0	100	209.3	10 1
Diabetes	CDC	percentage	1.0	8.6	14	9.6	6	5-14 mortality	CDC	deaths / 100,000 5-14 population	0.5	13.1	₩/	12.9	4
Heart attack	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	4.50	-1	5.30	5	15-64 mortality	CDC	deaths / 100,000 15-64 population		280.8	1	300.1	4
Statewide disability weighted prevalence of infectious diseases	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	0.5	420.9		452.1	9	Maternal mortality	IMHE	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	0.34	<u></u>	0.39	5
Self-reported poor physical health	CHR	percentage	1.0	12.4		12.7	7	Mortality risk 65-85	IMHE	percentage	1.0	53.6		49.5	5
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70.0 5% 58.3 45.0 4 7 Primary Education (2nd) 20% 60.3 Census 52.4 3 Math grade 4 level 4.66 Pre-primary enrollment percentage 62.1 SEDA grade level 4.26 Statewide state pre-K quality index score, 0-10 1.0 3.0 Statewide science grade 4 score scale score, 0-300 1.5 150.8 158.1 4.94 English, language and arts grade 4 level SEDA grade level 2.0 4.62 94.2 94.9 Primary enrollment Census 1.0 48.3 60.4 59.5 25% 8 7 Tertiary Education (1st) 25% 57.2 🛶 Math grade 8 level grade level 7 College enrollment scale score, 0-500 152.8 52.0 Statewide science grade 8 score NAEP 1.0 145.7 9 Statewide college graduation rate NCES 1.0 49.4 Statewide university quality for enrolled 8.50 1.5 7.85 QS Rank 1.0 0.157 0.206 SEDA grade level English, language and arts grade 8 level High school graduation rate 88.5 8 Community college graduation rate Secondary enrollment 1.0 94.4 93.7 8 76.9 Adult Skills (1st) 25% 71.0 1 Adult population with at least a high school 1.0 92.6 Adult population with bachelor's degree or higher 43.3 Census 1.0

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Alachua, FL: Natural Environme	ent (3rd	decile*): Ele	ment ar	nd indic	cator scor	es										B
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cor Dec			Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica	ator contain	us Counties Decile
Emissions (3rd)			25%	²⁰¹¹ 55.4	10-yr trend	55.8	2011	2021	Exposure to Air Pollution (8th)			25%	²⁰¹¹ 50.8	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 55.3	2011 2021
CO2 emissions	EPA	index,	2.0	0.81	****	0.59	3		Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1		0.1	2
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	0.5	0.74	لہ	0.82	2	2	PM2.5 emissions	EPA	ton / square mile	1.0	2.09	···\ /	2.43	6
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	0.5	0.74		0.80	2	2	Lead emissions	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	1.241	M	1.163	10 1
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	0.5	0.613		0.920	9	4	Toxic air releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	522.46		70.94	9
Ozone emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	0.5	0.71	_ /	0.75	2	3								
Ozone emissions	2.71	0-1	0.5	0.71		0.70	-									
					Value 10-yr trend		US Cor Dec 2011					Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Forest, Land and Soil (1st)			20%	59.5	~~	59.8	1	1	Freshwater (6th)			20%	69.6		69.9	6 (
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	5.98		5.98	9	9	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	19.6		19.6	9
Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	9.10		9.31	2	2	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	9.8		9.8	8
Statewide compliant underground storage tanks facilities	EPA	percentage	1.0	76.0	m	66.0	1	6	Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	0.22		0.18	3
Statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	35.4		25.6	2	3	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.06		0.06	8
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	percentage	1.0	51.921		49.929	2	2								
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	19.4		19.4	2	2								
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Cor	unties								
December 1 (0, 1)			Unit	2011		2021	2011	2021								
Preservation Efforts (2nd)			10%	33.7		33.7	2	2								
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	5.7		5.7	2									
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	5.1		5.1	2	2								
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	14.3		14.3	3	3								

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AAR	Association of American Railroads
ACLU	American Civil Liberties Union
ANES	American National Election Studies
ATRF	American Tort Reform Association
Ballotpedia	Ballotpedia
BBN BEA	BroadbandNow
BIEM	United States Bureau of Economic Analysis Brookings Institution Export Monitor
BJS	United States Bureau of Justice Statistics
BLS	United States Bureau of Labour Statistics United States Bureau of Labour Statistics
BRFSS	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
BTS	United States Bureau of Transportation Statistics
Cato	Cato - Freedom in the 50 States
CAWP	Center for American Women and Politics
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CDC	CDC National Environmental Public Health Tracking Network
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention - Diabetes Atlas
Census	Center for Disease Control (WONDER) United States Census Bureau
Census	United States Certists Bureau US Census Bureau
Census	United States Census Bureau, American Community Survey
CHR	County Health Rankings
CJRP	Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement
CNCS	Corporation for National and Community Service, Volunteering & Civil Life in America
CPI	Center for Public Integrity
CPS	Current Population Survey, Civic Engagement Supplement
Cuillier	Dave Cuillier
DOL DUH Nat Srvy	United States Department of Labor Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, The National Survey on Drug Use and Health
EIA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, The National Survey on Drug Use and Health United States Energy Information Administration
EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
FA	Feeding America
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FDIC	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
FI	Fraser Institute
FR	Federal Reserve
FTC Gallup	Federal Trade Commission, Consumer Sentinel Network
Google	Gallup Google Trends
GTD	Global Terrorism Database
GVA	Gun Violence Archive
HCA	Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems
HJK	Henry J Kaiser Family Foundation
HUD	United States Department of Housing and Urban Development
ICS	Institute for Corruption Studies
IMHE	Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation
Inst Just JBEN	Institute for Justice Bennett et al. 2019. "Particulate matter air pollution and national and county life expectancy loss in the USA: A spatiotemporal analysis".
Kauffman	Rauffman Foundation
MAP	Movement Advancement Project
MIT	MIT Election and Data Science Lab coding of state policies
Mukherjee	Mukherjee et al.
NAACP	National Association for the Advancement of Colored People
NACJD	National Archive Of Criminal Justice Data
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress National Content for Assessment of Educations
NCAJ NCES	National Center for Access to Justice National Center for Education Statistics
NCIRD	National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases
NCSL	National Conference of State Legislatures
NIEER	National Institute for Early Education Research
NIMP	National Institute on Money in Politics
NLCD	National Land Cover Database
NSCH	National Survey of Children's Health
NVCA POL	National Venture Capital Association
Pros Now	Polaris Project Prosperity Now Scorecard
PRRI	Public Religion Research Institute
QS Rank	OS World University Rankings
QuantGov	QuantGov
SEDA	Stanford Education Data Archive
SPLC	Southern Poverty Law Center
State OR	State of Oregon
Talk Pov	Talk Poverty
Tax Found UI	Tax Foundation Urban Institute
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USFWS	United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	United States Geological Survey
USPFT	United States Press Freedom Tracker
USPIRG	United States Public Interest Research Group
USPTO	United States Patent and Trademark Office
USRC	United States Religious Census
WaPo	Washington Post
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