

LOGISTICS & DISTRIBUTION

INDUSTRY SECTOR BRIEF

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WHEN YOUR BUSINESS CAN BE ANYWHERE,
THERE'S NO LIMIT TO HOW FAR YOU CAN TAKE IT.

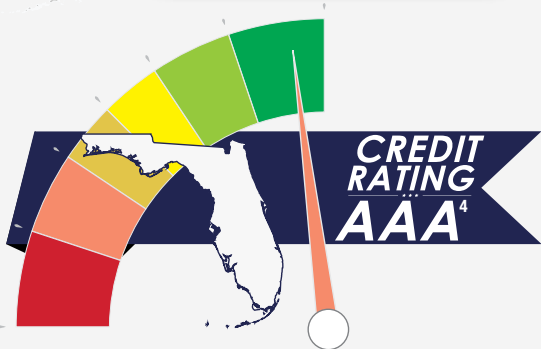
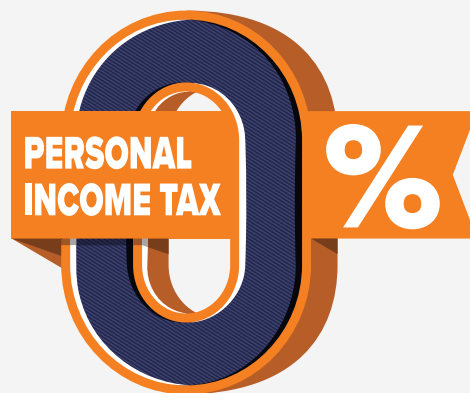
As a leading international trade center, Florida excels at getting people, products, and services anywhere - fast. Most key global shipping lines and airline alliances, (including specialized cargo operators), 3PFs and VALs have a presence in Florida. **We're generating a robust talent base and supply chain that benefits all.**

BUSINESS CLIMATE

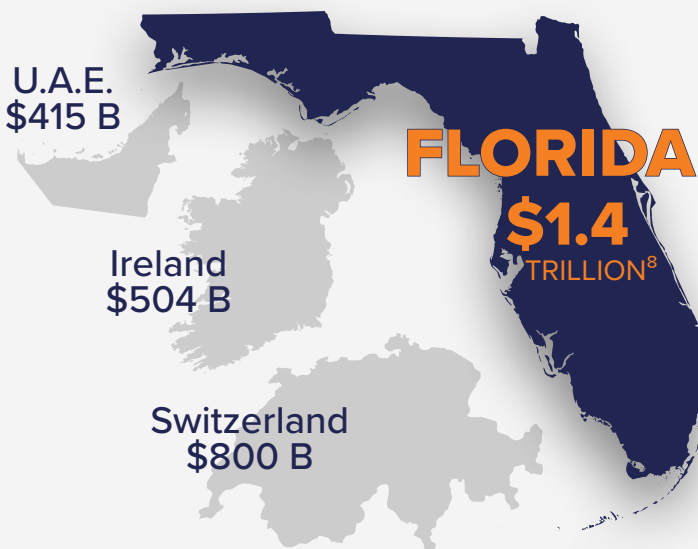
Consistently ranked one of the best states for business, Florida is committed to keeping regulatory requirements and business taxes low. That, along with a strong economy and zero personal state income tax, make it a great place to do business. **We'll pave the way for it.**



FLORIDA HAS THE
4TH BEST TAX CLIMATE
 IN THE U.S.³



14TH LARGEST GLOBAL ECONOMY,
 IF FLORIDA WERE A COUNTRY⁷



BOUNDLESS MARKETS

Florida is an economic superstate - home to 22+ million residents⁵ and home-away-from-home for 137+ million annual visitors.⁶ Whether you and your customers are serving Florida's large market, the U.S., Latin America, or the globe, **Florida can help you find new growth opportunities anywhere.**

Source: 1 Lightcast; 2 Chief Executive; 3 The Tax Foundation; 4 S&P Global; 5 U.S. Census Bureau; 6 Visit Florida; 7 Florida Chamber of Commerce; 8 Bureau of Economic Analysis

TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE

Florida has one of the most extensive multi-modal transportation systems in the world, giving you the ability to move your product anywhere across the globe. **So the only thing easier than operating your business in Florida is moving your product out.**



19 Commercial Service Airports⁹



3 Spaceport Facilities¹⁰



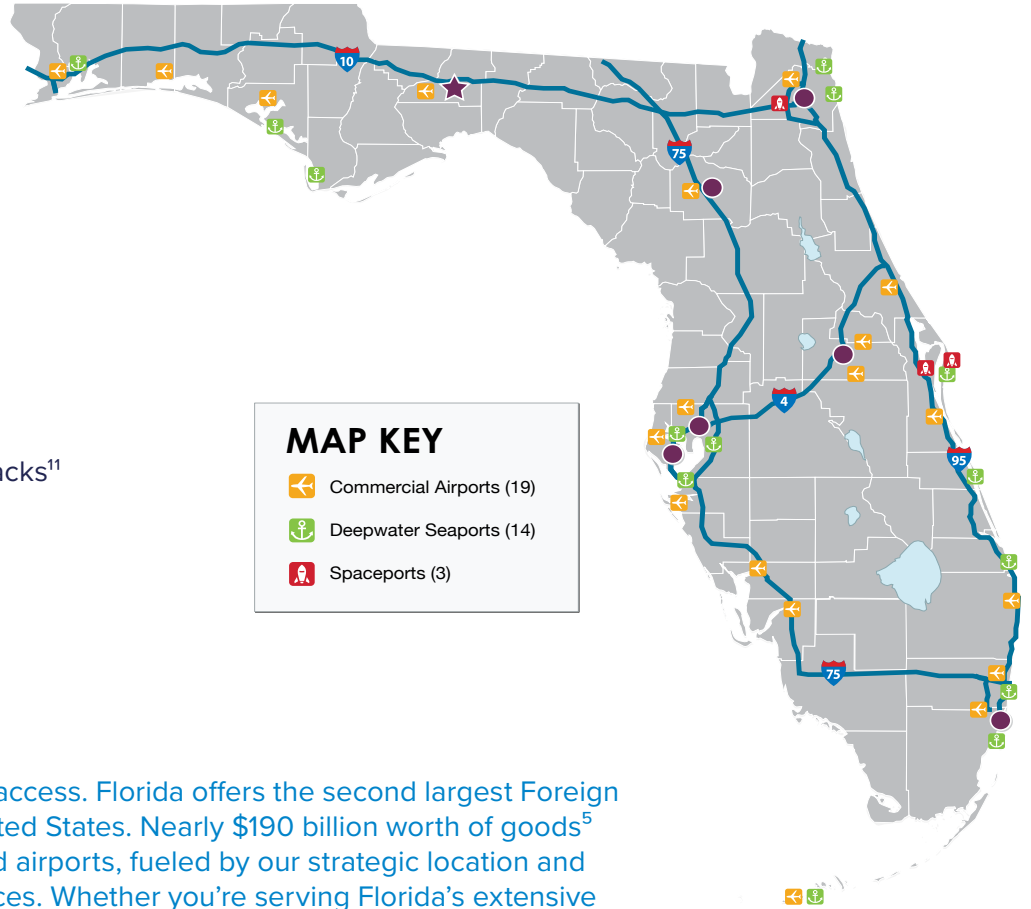
14 Deepwater Seaports⁹



2,700+ Miles of Freight Rail Tracks¹¹



120,000+ Miles of Roadway⁹



Success today requires global access. Florida offers the second largest Foreign Trade Zone Network in the United States. Nearly \$190 billion worth of goods⁵ flow through Florida's ports and airports, fueled by our strategic location and impressive trade support services. Whether you're serving Florida's extensive market, the U.S., Latin America, or the globe, **no other state can expand your reach like Florida.**

In 2022,

**FLORIDA
BUSINESSES**

exported

\$68 BILLION

to more than 180 countries⁵



FLORIDA'S LOGISTICS & DISTRIBUTION CLUSTER

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Largest FTZ Network in the United States¹²

450+

Thousand Transportation and Warehousing Workers¹

#3

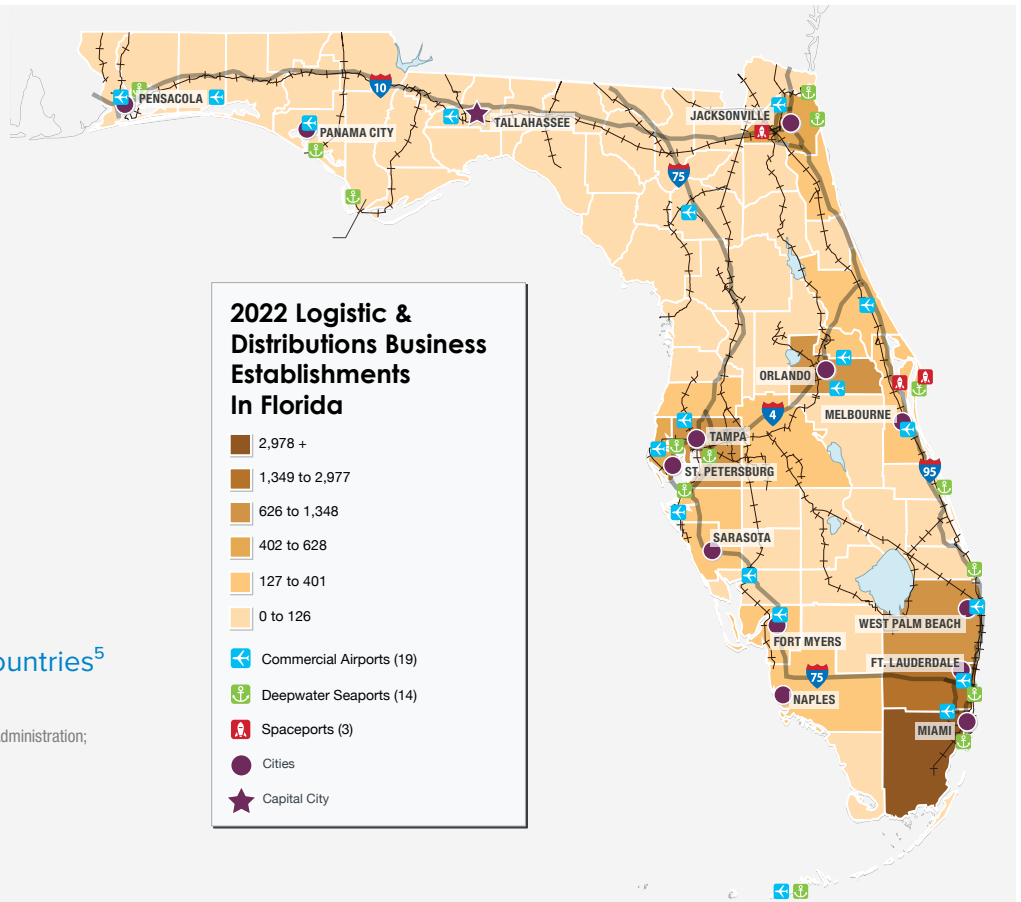
U.S. State for Transportation & Warehousing Establishments¹³

#1

Air Cargo with Latin American Countries⁵

Source: 1 Lightcast; 5 U.S. Census Bureau; 12 International Trade Administration; 13 Bureau of Labor Statistics

Map Source: Lightcast



SERVICES

- Confidential Site Selection & Property Search Assistance
- Industry Sector Expertise
 - Target Sectors: Manufacturing, Aviation/Aerospace, Defense & Homeland Security, Cleantech, Financial & Professional Services, Headquarters, Information Technology, Life Sciences, Logistics & Distribution
- Demographic & Workforce Information
- State Agency Liaison
- Permitting & Regulatory Assistance
- Incentive Programs
- Export Counseling
- Overseas Trade Shows and Trade Missions
- Certificates of Free Sale

WE ARE READY TO ASSIST YOU

For expansion and location assistance:



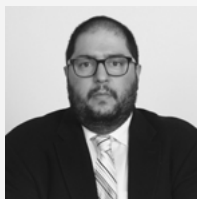
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