



Mining in Florida, 2007

The State of Florida, home to 234 mining operations, provided direct employment to 10,520 people and another 44,940 people indirectly from mining activity occurring both in and outside the state for a total of 55,460 jobs statewide.

Mining jobs in Florida are high paying – 43 percent higher than the average wage in the state. The average annual wage in the mining industry in Florida was \$57,000 in 2007. Total direct earnings from the State of Florida's mining payroll were \$600 million. Including earnings from indirect economic activity from the mining industry in Florida and elsewhere, a total of \$2,180 million was earned by workers in Florida. Income and payroll taxes from Florida payrolls, including federal, state and local, and FICA totaled nearly \$726 million.

Florida mining operations created \$3,200 million worth of mineral, metal and fuel products. The economic activity indirectly generated by the mining industry in Florida and other states generated an additional \$4,880 million in output from suppliers and other industries in Florida. In total, \$8,080 million in output was generated in Florida by the mining industry.

American mining produces the critical raw materials necessary to the foundation of our economy. From the minerals and materials used in housing, automobiles and computers, to the mined coal and uranium that generates more than half our nation's electricity.

Mining in the State of Florida generates 0.1 percent of the state's GDP.

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	Output (\$ million)	Employment	Payroll (\$ million)	Taxes on Personal Income		
				Federal (\$ million)	State & Local (\$ million)	FICA (\$ million)
Total Mining						
Direct	3,200	10,520	600	n/a	n/a	n/a
Indirect	4,880	44,940	1,580	n/a	n/a	n/a
In-state	1,970	17,410	730	n/a	n/a	n/a
Out-of-state*	<u>2,910</u>	<u>27,530</u>	<u>850</u>	n/a	n/a	n/a
Total	8,080	55,460	2,180	409	-	317
Coal Mining						
Direct	-	230	20	n/a	n/a	n/a
Indirect	970	10,950	320	n/a	n/a	n/a
In-state	-	520	20	n/a	n/a	n/a
Out-of-state*	<u>970</u>	<u>10,430</u>	<u>300</u>	n/a	n/a	n/a
Total	970	11,180	340	64	-	49
Metal Mining						
Direct	110	280	20	n/a	n/a	n/a
Indirect	830	5,760	210	n/a	n/a	n/a
In-state	70	530	30	n/a	n/a	n/a
Out-of-state*	<u>760</u>	<u>5,230</u>	<u>180</u>	n/a	n/a	n/a
Total	940	6,040	230	44	-	34
Nonmetallic Mineral Mining						
Direct	3,080	10,010	560	n/a	n/a	n/a
Indirect	3,090	28,230	1,050	n/a	n/a	n/a
In-state	1,900	16,360	680	n/a	n/a	n/a
Out-of-state*	<u>1,190</u>	<u>11,870</u>	<u>370</u>	n/a	n/a	n/a
Total	6,170	38,240	1,610	301	-	234

* generated within the state from mining activity occurring outside the state.

Totals may not sum due to independent rounding.

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