

Florida's Refugee Population Statistical Report

October 1st, 2005 – September 30th, 2006

Federal Fiscal Year 2006



Courtesy of the US Coast Guard

Prepared By:

Florida Department of Children & Families
Refugee Services

**State of Florida Arrivals and Clients Receiving Services
Federal Fiscal Year 2006**

Immigration Status

Status	Clients Served *	Percent
Asylee	2,451	16.32%
Entrant	2,205	14.69%
Parolee	9,414	62.70%
Refugee	944	6.29%
Total	15,014	100.00%

Status	Arrivals	Percent
Entrant	2,921	20.44%
Parolee	9,045	63.30%
Refugee	2,324	16.26%
Total	14,290	100.00%

Status	Clients Served and Arrivals	Percent
Asylee	2,451	8.36%
Entrant	5,126	17.49%
Parolee	18,459	62.99%
Refugee	3,268	11.15%
Total	29,304	100.00%

* Excludes clients in FFY 2006 arrivals.

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County by Origin and Status**

COUNTY	Refugees			Entrant		Parolees		Asylees			Total
	Cubans	Haitians	Others	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Others	
ALACHUA	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4
BAY	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
BREVARD	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	0	7	14
BROWARD	48	3	25	62	10	357	7	4	115	247	878
CHARLOTTE	7	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	4	17
CLAY	0	0	1	0	0	11	0	0	0	1	13
COLLIER	63	6	0	76	3	240	12	2	23	17	442
DADE	1,614	34	65	3,969	175	14,894	62	163	262	638	21,876
DUVAL	87	4	299	3	2	84	3	0	14	27	523
ESCAMBIA	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
FLAGLER	0	0	21	1	0	5	0	0	0	4	31
HAMILTON	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
HENDRY	0	0	0	2	0	29	0	0	0	0	31
HERNANDO	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	1	0	0	8
HIGHLANDS	7	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	9
HILLSBOROUGH	220	1	73	179	7	850	3	29	11	84	1,457
HOLMES	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	5
INDIAN RIVER	0	0	0	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	9
LAKE	0	0	0	26	1	59	0	0	1	11	98
LEE	17	0	1	45	2	190	4	1	13	12	285
LEON	0	0	3	1	0	6	0	0	0	1	11

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COUNTY	Refugees			Entrant		Parolees		Asylees			Total
	Cubans	Haitians	Others	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Others	
LEVY	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
MANATEE	1	0	1	4	1	9	0	0	0	1	17
MARION	3	0	5	7	0	15	0	0	0	0	30
MARTIN	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	4	7
MONROE	4	0	0	67	2	72	0	2	8	3	158
OKALOOSA	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
OKEECHOBEE	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	8
ORANGE	101	5	90	47	48	371	9	6	95	186	958
OSCEOLA	7	0	1	8	0	54	0	0	0	15	85
PALM BEACH	110	24	14	160	24	558	6	11	158	64	1,129
PASCO	10	0	19	3	0	16	0	0	0	9	57
PINELLAS	60	0	24	8	1	77	0	6	1	74	251
POLK	13	0	2	26	0	45	0	1	13	4	104
SARASOTA	23	1	74	124	2	265	5	14	4	8	520
SEMINOLE	24	0	2	6	0	52	0	2	3	59	148
ST JOHNS	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
ST LUCIE	18	0	3	5	1	23	5	0	2	5	62
SUWANNEE	14	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	20
VOLUSIA	12	0	0	3	0	11	0	0	0	0	26
WALTON	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTAL	2,465	78	725	4,847	279	18,343	116	242	724	1,485	29,304

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Origin by County**

COUNTY	CUBA	HAITI	OTHER	TOTAL
ALACHUA	4	0	0	4
BAY	0	0	1	1
BREVARD	8	0	7	15
BROWARD	469	135	274	878
CHARLOTTE	13	0	4	17
CLAY	11	0	2	13
COLLIER	381	44	17	442
DADE	20,621	533	721	21,875
DUVAL	174	23	326	523
ESCAMBIA	0	0	1	1
FLAGLER	6	0	25	31
HAMILTON	3	0	0	3
HENDRY	31	0	0	31
HERNANDO	8	0	0	8
HIGHLANDS	9	0	0	9
HILLSBOROUGH	1,276	22	159	1,457
HOLMES	5	0	0	5
INDIAN RIVER	9	0	0	9
LAKE	85	2	11	98
LEE	253	19	13	285
LEON	7	0	4	11
LEVY	3	0	0	3
MANATEE	14	1	2	17
MARION	25	0	5	30
MARTIN	2	1	4	7
MONROE	145	10	3	158
OKALOOSA	1	0	0	1
OKEECHOBEE	8	0	0	8
ORANGE	522	157	279	958
OSCEOLA	69	0	16	85
PALM BEACH	838	212	79	1,129
PASCO	29	0	28	57
PINELLAS	150	2	99	251
POLK	85	13	6	104
SARASOTA	425	12	83	520
SEMINOLE	84	3	61	148
ST. JOHNS	3	0	0	3
ST. LUCIE	46	8	8	62
SUWANNEE	20	0	0	20
VOLUSIA	26	0	0	26
WALTON	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	25,869	1,197	2,238	29,304

**State of Florida Arrivals and Clients Receiving Services
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Origin by Age**

ORIGIN	0-4	5-18	19-59	>60	TOTAL
AFGHANISTAN	0	2	8	0	10
ALBANIA	1	8	10	1	20
ARMENIA	0	2	3	0	5
BELARUS	0	4	3	0	7
BOSNIA	0	0	2	1	3
BRAZIL	0	0	3	0	3
BURMA	5	25	40	1	71
BURUNDI	0	2	0	0	2
CAMBODIA	0	1	0	0	1
CAMEROON	1	8	10	1	20
CHILE	1	1	1	0	3
CHINA	0	8	24	0	32
COLOMBIA	22	272	661	22	977
COSTA RICA	0	2	3	0	5
CUBA	729	4,112	20,227	802	25,870
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	0	2	2	0	4
ECUADOR	0	5	5	1	11
EGYPT	0	1	1	0	2
Eritrea	0	0	9	0	9
ESTONIA	0	0	1	0	1
Ethiopia	1	5	10	0	16
GEORGIA	0	1	1	0	2
GUATEMALA	2	3	0	0	5
GUYANA	0	2	1	0	3
HAITI	19	346	823	9	1,197
HONDURAS	0	4	4	0	8
IRAN	1	3	25	1	30
IRAQ	0	1	0	0	1
JAMAICA	0	1	1	0	2
KENYA	0	1	1	0	2
Liberia	3	19	25	0	47
MACEDONIA	0	1	1	0	2
Mauritania	0	1	1	0	2
MEXICO	2	1	5	0	8
MYANMAR	0	3	2	0	5
NAMIBIA	0	0	1	0	1
NETHERLANDS	0	1	0	0	1
NIGERIA	1	0	0	0	1
PAKISTAN	0	3	4	0	7

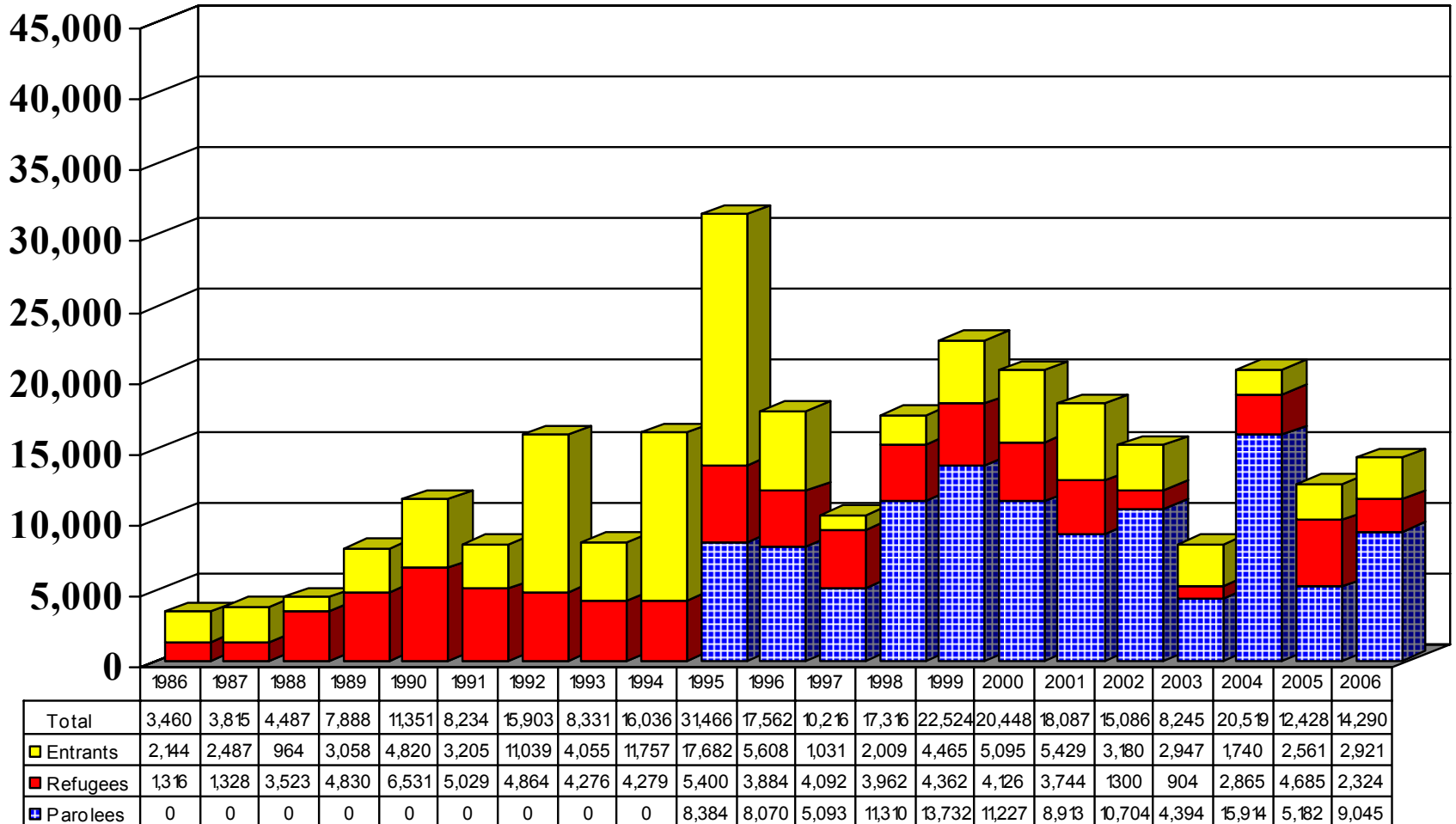
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ORIGIN	0-4	5-18	19-59	>60	TOTAL
PANAMA	0	0	1	0	1
PERU	1	7	8	0	16
PHILIPPINES	0	3	0	0	3
ROMANIA	0	1	0	0	1
RUSSIA	12	65	84	10	171
Rwanda	2	2	2	0	6
Senegal	1	2	1	0	4
SERBIA	0	3	4	0	7
SIERRA LEONE	1	1	6	0	8
Somalia	0	8	9	0	17
SOUTH AFRICA	0	1	2	0	3
SPAIN	0	0	1	0	1
SRI LANKA	0	0	1	0	1
Sudan	1	9	19	0	29
THAILAND	0	1	1	0	2
TOGO	0	1	3	0	4
Ukraine	7	0	1	0	8
TURKEY	0	1	2	0	3
UKRAINE	0	26	36	7	69
UNKNOWN	0	10	33	1	44
USSR/EUN	1	7	9	1	18
UZBEKISTAN	0	4	13	0	17
VENEZUELA	6	69	268	12	355
VIETNAM	9	31	69	1	110
YEMEN	2	0	0	0	2
YUGOSLAVIA	0	0	2	0	2
Zaire	0	0	6	0	6
TOTAL	831	5,103	22,499	871	29,304

State of Florida Arrivals

Federal Fiscal Year, 1986-2006

October 1, 2005- September 30, 2006



Sources: Office of Refugee Resettlement, Refugee Data Center (WRAPS), United States Catholic Conference (USCC), Church World Service (CWS), Department of Health, Refugee Health Office, and Immigration and Naturalization Services.

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County by Origin and Status**

COUNTY	Refugees			Entrant		Parolees	Total
	Cubans	Haitians	Others	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	
ALACHUA	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
BAY	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
BREVARD	0	0	0	2	0	2	4
BROWARD	41	0	22	50	7	247	367
CHARLOTTE	7	0	0	0	0	3	10
CLAY	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
COLLIER	53	0	0	44	1	195	293
DADE	1,134	0	28	2,401	7	7,390	10,960
DUVAL	72	0	250	2	0	34	358
ESCAMBIA	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
FLAGLER	0	0	18	0	0	5	23
HAMILTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HENDRY	0	0	0	2	0	28	30
HERNANDO	0	0	0	1	0	3	4
HIGHLANDS	7	0	0	0	0	0	7
HILLSBOROUGH	151	0	57	99	0	274	581
HOLMES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
INDIAN RIVER	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
LAKE	0	0	0	24	1	53	78
LEE	14	0	0	30	0	118	162
LEON	0	0	3	1	0	5	9

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	Cubans	Haitians	Others	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	
LEVY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MANATEE	0	0	1	2	1	2	6
MARION	3	0	3	2	0	13	21
MARTIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MONROE	4	0	0	51	0	46	101
OKALOOSA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OKEECHOBEE	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
ORANGE	90	0	74	23	6	155	348
OSCEOLA	7	0	1	4	0	24	36
PALM BEACH	62	0	11	117	1	283	474
PASCO	6	0	17	1	0	14	38
PINELLAS	35	0	16	1	0	36	88
POLK	9	0	0	21	0	28	58
SARASOTA	4	0	63	6	0	31	104
SEMINOLE	12	0	1	2	0	11	26
ST JOHNS	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
ST LUCIE	16	0	3	2	0	15	36
SUWANNEE	14	0	0	1	0	1	16
VOLUSIA	11	0	0	2	0	6	19
WALTON	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
TOTAL	1,754	0	570	2,897	24	9,045	14,290

**State of Florida Clients Receiving Services
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COUNTY	Refugees			Entrant		Parolees		Asylees			Total
	Cubans	Haitians	Others	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Others	
ALACHUA	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
BAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BREVARD	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	7	10
BROWARD	7	3	3	12	3	110	7	4	115	247	511
CHARLOTTE	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	4	7
CLAY	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3
COLLIER	10	6	0	32	2	45	12	2	23	17	149
DADE	480	34	37	1,568	168	7,504	62	163	262	638	10,916
DUVAL	15	4	49	1	2	50	3	0	14	27	165
ESCAMBIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLAGLER	0	0	3	1	0		0	0	0	4	8
HAMILTON	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
HENDRY	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
HERNANDO	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	4
HIGHLANDS	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
HILLSBOROUGH	69	1	16	80	7	576	3	29	11	84	876
HOLMES	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
INDIAN RIVER	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	4
LAKE	0	0	0	2	0	6	0	0	1	11	20
LEE	3	0	1	15	2	72	4	1	13	12	123
LEON	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2

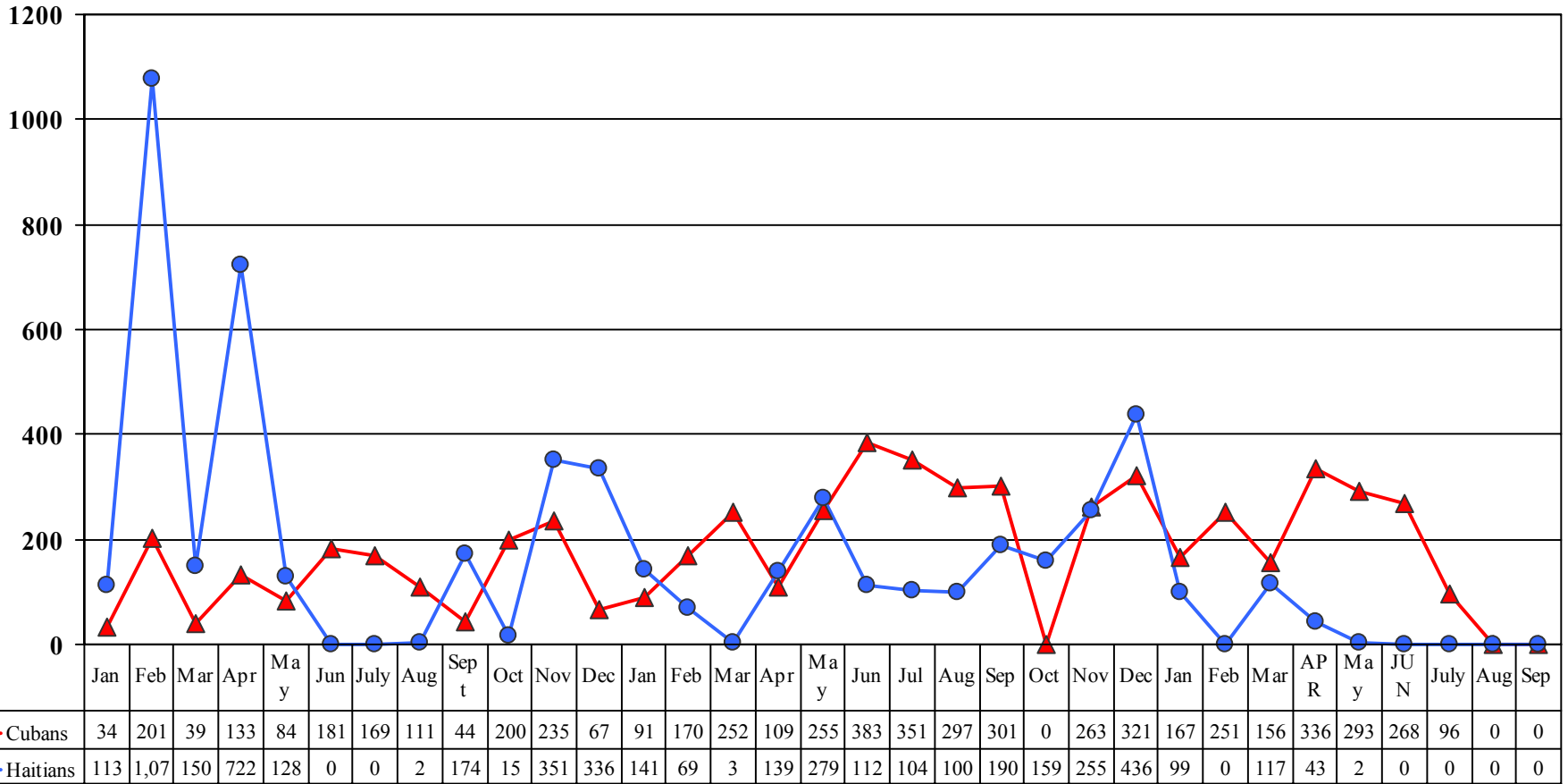
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	Cubans	Haitians	Others	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Cubans	Haitians	Others	
LEVY	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
MANATEE	1	0	0	2	0	7	0	0	0	1	11
MARION	0	0	2	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	9
MARTIN	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	4	7
MONROE	0	0	0	16	2	26	0	2	8	3	57
OKALOOSA	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
OKEECHOBEE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ORANGE	11	5	16	24	42	216	9	6	95	186	610
OSCEOLA	0	0	0	4	0	30	0	0	0	15	49
PALM BEACH	48	24	3	43	23	275	6	11	158	64	655
PASCO	4	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	9	19
PINELLAS	25	0	8	7	1	41	0	6	1	74	163
POLK	4	0	2	5	0	17	0	1	13	4	46
SARASOTA	19	1	11	118	2	234	5	14	4	8	416
SEMINOLE	12	0	1	4	0	41	0	2	3	59	122
ST JOHNS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ST LUCIE	2	0	0	3	1	8	5	0	2	5	26
SUWANNEE	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	4
VOLUSIA	1	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	7
WALTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	711	78	155	1,950	255	9,298	116	242	724	1,485	15,014

Appendix

State of Florida Arrivals (Cuban and Haitian Coast Guard Interceptions)

January 1st, 2004 – Sept 30th, 2006



Federal Fiscal Year

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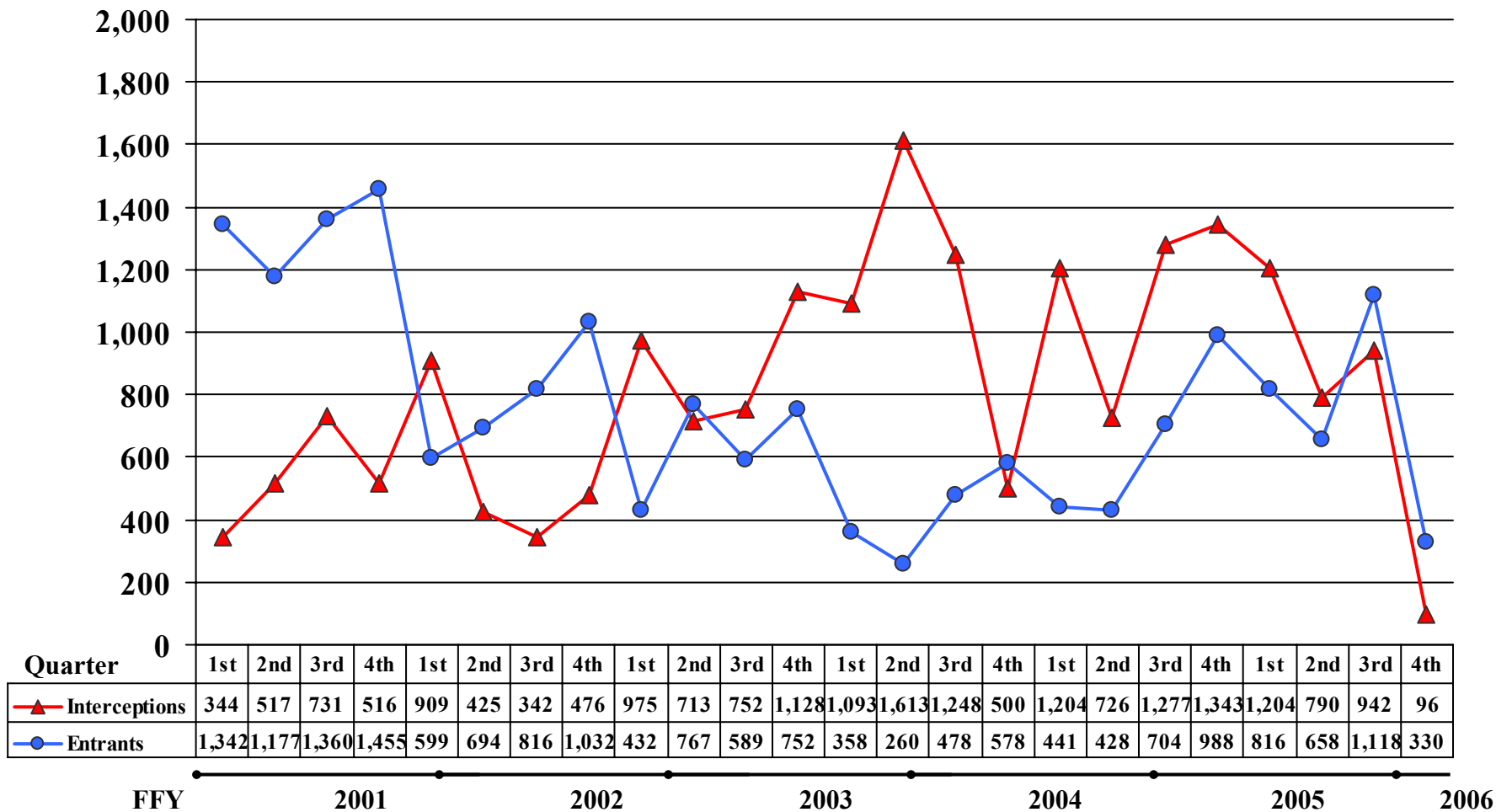
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Source: U.S. Coast Guard

Florida Department of Children and Families, Office of Refugee Services

Total Cubans = 5,762	Total Haitians = 5,315
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State of Florida Arrivals (Coast Guard Interceptions vs. Entrant Arrivals) Federal Fiscal Year, 2001-2006

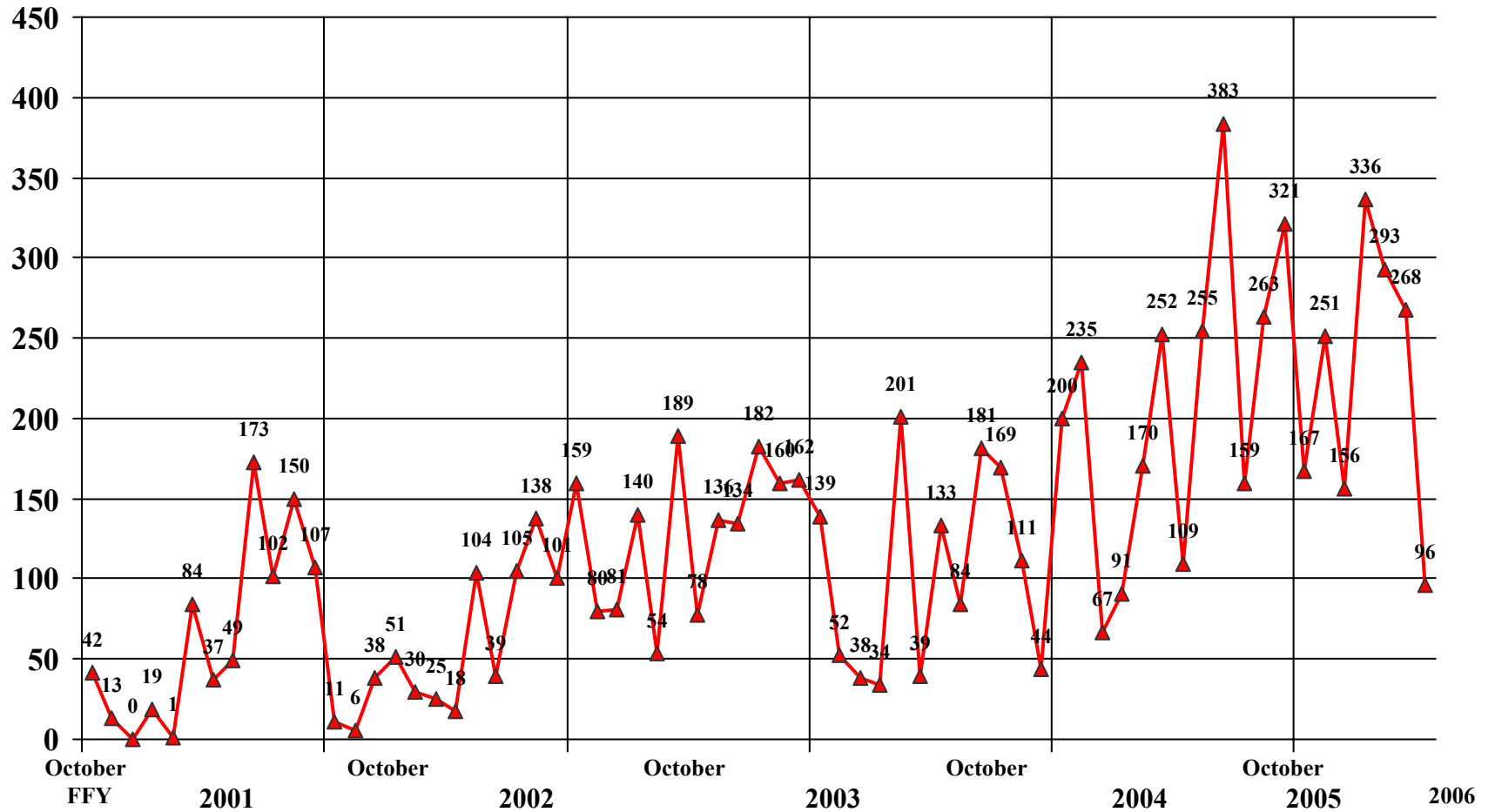


Source: U.S. Coast Guard, Church World Services, United States Catholic Conference

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State of Florida Arrivals (Cuban Coast Guard Interceptions)

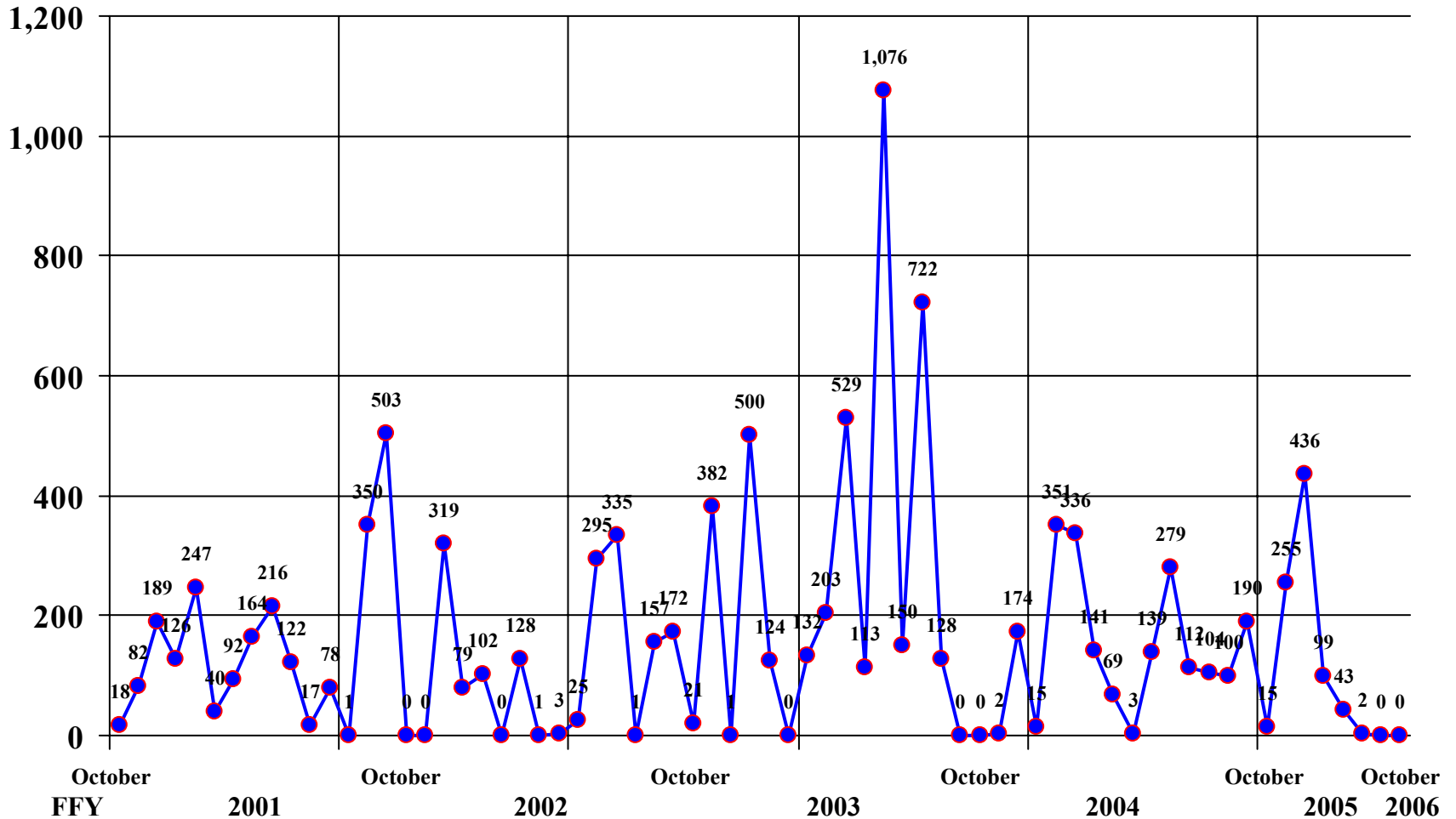
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State of Florida Arrivals (Haitian Coast Guard Interceptions) Federal Fiscal Years 2001-2006

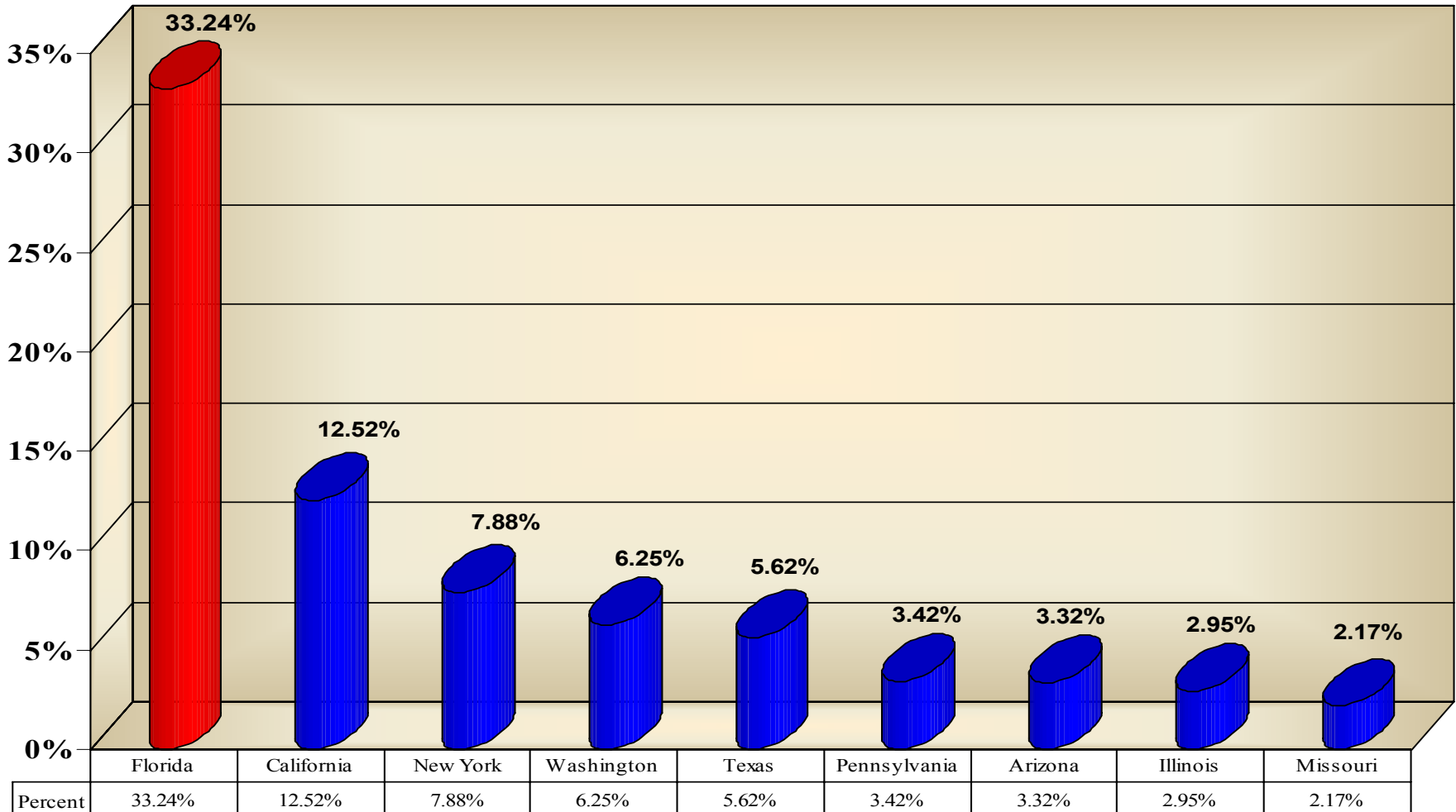


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States Receiving Immigrants

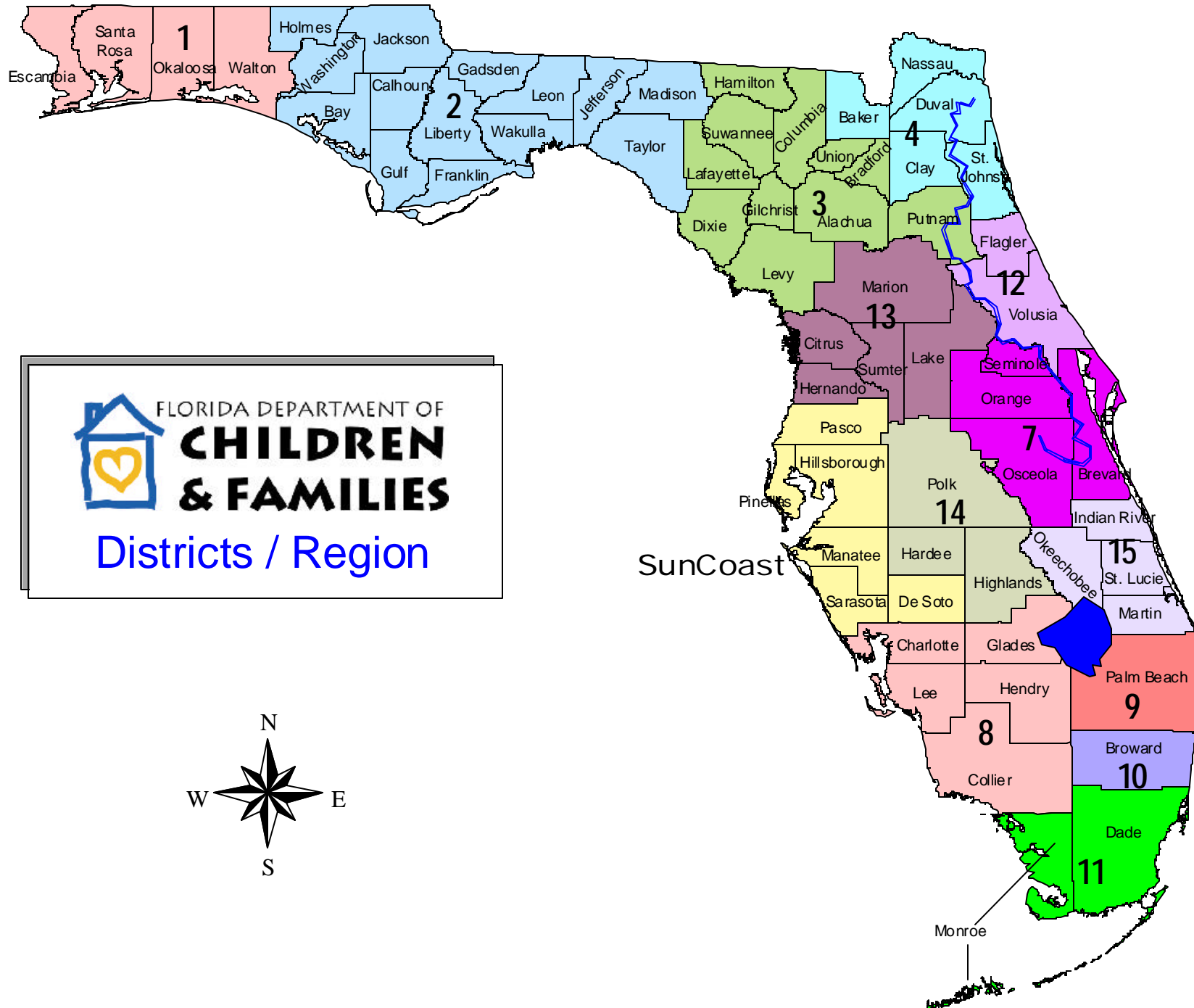
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Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Refugee Resettlement. (Based on Federal Fiscal Years 01-04 Refugee/Entrant/Asylee Arrival Data)

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The 9 states above accounted for 64% of the arrivals to the US in FFY 01-04, while the 40 remaining states accounted for only 36% of all arrivals combined.



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