

ST. PETE-CLEARWATER INTERNATIONAL

PIE



Airport: St. Pete-Clearwater International Airport (PIE)

City: Clearwater, Florida

County: Pinellas

Sponsor: Pinellas County

Role: Primary Commercial Service (Small Hub)

CFASPP Region: West Central (cfaspp.com)

FDOT District: 7

Website: [Fly2PIE](https://fly2pie.com)



PHOTO SOURCE: MAXAR - 2022.

St. Pete-Clearwater International Airport (PIE) is a Primary Small Hub commercial service airport located in Pinellas County, approximately 10 miles north of downtown St. Petersburg. The airport offers two paved runways, the longest of which measures 9,730 feet long by 150 feet wide (Runway 18-36).

In 2023, the airport served nearly 2.5 million passengers (a new record high) with July being the busiest month. The airport is served by Allegiant Air and Sun Country Airlines, two low-cost carriers primarily serving the leisure market. These airlines provide nonstop service to 65 destinations in the United States. Air charters are available to Gulfport-Biloxi, Mississippi and Atlantic City, New Jersey.

PIE also accommodates air charters for Major League Baseball's National League during the Grapefruit League's Spring Training events. In addition to passenger service, PIE supports air cargo/freight, military, and law enforcement activities. PIE is home to an active U.S. Coast Guard Air Station and U.S. Army Reserve Unit and is frequently used by the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office Aviation Unit. The adjacent 2,000-acre Airport Industrial Park is a designated Foreign Trade Zone, further enhancing PIE's economic contribution to its community and the state.



ECONOMIC IMPACT



\$3.4B
ECONOMIC IMPACT (OUTPUT)



\$1.8B
VALUE ADDED



\$1.0B
PAYROLL



20,774
JOBS

Source: Florida Aviation Economic Impact Study.



GENERAL AVIATION ROLES



FLIGHT TRAINING



CORPORATE



TOURISM



RECREATIONAL / SPORT



BUSINESS / RECREATIONAL

COMMERCIAL AVIATION ROLES



AIR CARGO



TOURISM



BUSINESS



INTERNATIONAL

Source: FASP 2043 Update.

For more information on airport roles, please refer to the FAA's National Plan of Integrated Airport Systems (NPIAS).



ACTIVITY FORECASTS

OPERATIONS

230,987

2043

133,037

2023

ENPLANEMENTS

2,170,218

2043

1,311,334

2023

Source: FASP 2043 Update.



AIRPORT CHARACTERISTICS

1 Non-Stop Service to Over 65 Destinations

2 Served Nearly 2.5 Million Passengers in 2023

3 Home to U.S. Coast Guard Air Station

RUNWAY INFORMATION (2)

Runway 18-36: 9,730' x 150'

Runway 4-22: 6,000' x 150'



Overview of the FASP 2043 Update:

Per Florida statute, the Florida Aviation System Plan (FASP) is periodically updated to summarize the airport and aviation needs in Florida while remaining consistent with the goals of the Florida Transportation Plan (FTP). The FASP 2043 Update focuses on reviewing the applicability of the various goals, objectives, and performance measures to support two primary goals: 1) provide for more efficiency in decision making within FDOT to support funding and development decisions, and 2) provide airports within the system with recommendations for development that support their individual missions while contributing to the overall strength and health of the Florida airport system.

