

Palm Beach

(Jan. 1, 2008 - Dec. 31, 2008)

1. Population¹ 1,294,654

2. MSW Management (tons)²

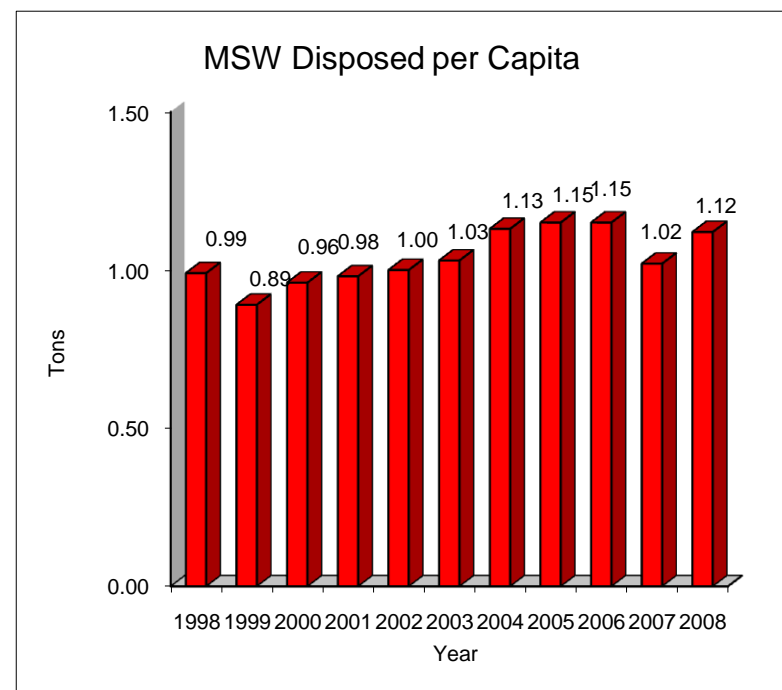
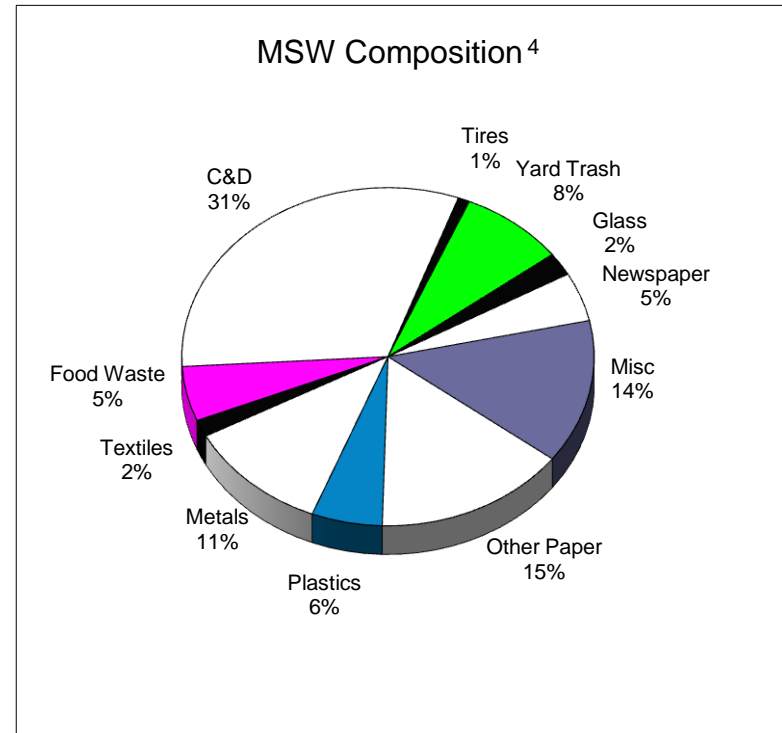
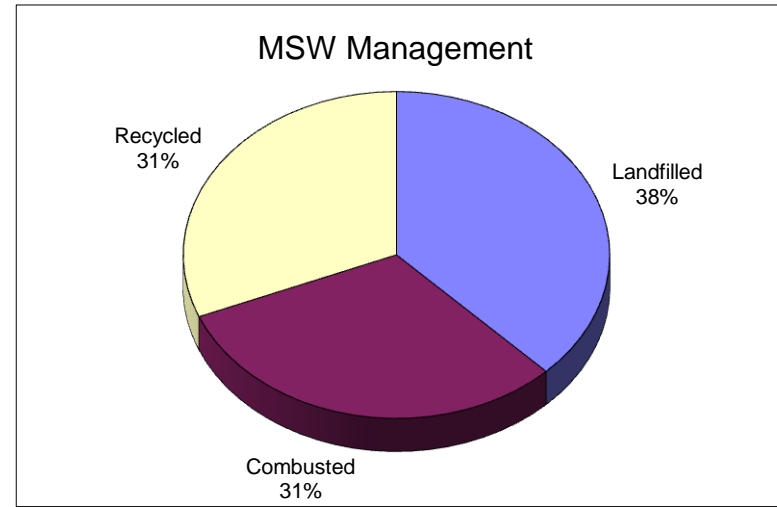
A. Landfilled	792,055
B. Combusted	656,628
C. Recycled	656,204
D. Total	2,104,887
E. Total Pounds per Capita Per Day	8.91

3. MSW Collected & Recycled	Collected (tons)	Recycled (%)
A. Minimum 4 of 8 ³		
1. Newspaper	98,621	70%
2. Glass	46,660	11%
3. Aluminum Cans	10,604	14%
4. Plastic Bottles	23,330	25%
5. Steel Cans	14,846	57%
6. Cardboard	171,792	33%
7. Office Paper	31,813	13%
8. Yard Trash	172,759	28%
B. Other Recyclables		
9. C&D Debris	662,778	19%
10. White Goods	30,649	94%
11. Tires	19,088	0%
12. Process Fuel	0	100%
C. Other Wastes	821,948	24%
D. Total Recycling Rate (%)		31%
E. Adjusted Recycling Rate (%) ⁵		31%

F. % Change In Waste Reduction Per Capita from Year to Year
(A negative number indicates an increase in the MSW disposal rate per capita.)

Year	MSW tons per capita	% Change
2003	1.03	3%
2004	1.13	8%
2005	1.15	1%
2006	1.15	-1%
2007	1.02	-12%
2008	1.12	10%

G. Participation in Recycling ⁶	Units	Percent ⁷
1. Single-family Curbside	404,886	80%
2. Multi-family Curbside ⁸	233,531	75%
3. Commercial ⁹	61,005	
a) Scheduled collection		20%
b) On call collection		0%



¹ Official 2005 Governor's Office estimate.

² From 2005 Municipal Solid Waste Data Report.

³ Counties must recycle a significant portion for a minimum of 4 out of 8 of these materials.

⁴ Some materials have been combined: Metals include Aluminum Cans, Steel Cans, Ferrous and Non-ferrous metals, and White Goods;

Other Paper includes Corrugated, Office and Other Paper; and Plastics include Plastic Bottles and Other Plastics.

⁵ The legislature established a goal of 30 percent for all counties with a population of over 100,000.

⁶ Participation means availability and usage of recycling services.

⁷ Percentage of total county units (single/multi-family dwellings and commercial establishments) participating in recycling.

⁸ Includes apartments, condominiums and others.

⁹ May also include government and institutional.

* Calendar year data.