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State of Iowa	1,265,064	1,255,162	1,229,609	-2.8%	80,890	80,392	81,042	0.2%	33,752,570	34,451,490	34,819,886	3.2%	26,681	27,448	28,318	6.1%
Adair	2,301	2,165	1,877	-18.4%	217	219	193	-11.1%	51,047	48,189	41,965	-17.8%	22,185	22,258	22,357	0.8%
Adams	1,063	853	879	-17.3%	125	120	132	5.6%	19,053	16,762	18,395	-3.5%	17,924	19,651	20,927	16.8%
Allamakee	4,897	4,968	4,924	0.6%	412	406	417	1.2%	93,684	105,842	111,277	18.8%	19,131	21,305	22,599	18.1%
Appanoose	3,684	3,760	3,676	-0.2%	329	314	328	-0.3%	75,698	77,949	85,038	12.3%	20,548	20,731	23,133	12.6%
Audubon	1,476	1,302	1,308	-11.4%	211	205	202	-4.3%	24,582	25,557	27,043	10.0%	16,654	19,629	20,675	24.1%
Benton	4,637	4,612	4,645	0.2%	635	628	626	-1.4%	100,828	106,136	112,331	11.4%	21,744	23,013	24,183	11.2%
Black Hawk	60,326	60,268	59,300	-1.7%	3,169	3,152	3,144	-0.8%	1,576,984	1,619,097	1,626,333	3.1%	26,141	26,865	27,426	4.9%
Boone	7,045	6,915	7,567	7.4%	574	573	591	3.0%	162,338	171,306	188,213	15.9%	23,043	24,773	24,873	7.9%
Bremer	8,030	7,730	7,468	-7.0%	641	615	626	-2.3%	198,037	197,629	206,821	4.4%	24,662	25,566	27,694	12.3%
Buchanan	5,363	5,397	5,059	-5.7%	538	520	521	-3.2%	125,668	126,797	127,028	1.1%	23,432	23,494	25,109	7.2%
Buena Vista	8,419	8,207	8,446	0.3%	602	585	583	-3.2%	181,963	182,110	191,492	5.2%	21,613	22,190	22,673	4.9%
Butler	2,305	2,135	2,251	-2.3%	375	366	375	0.0%	45,469	44,991	48,729	7.2%	19,726	21,073	21,648	9.7%
Calhoun	2,295	2,325	2,274	-0.9%	309	295	296	-4.2%	40,004	44,598	42,421	6.0%	17,431	19,182	18,655	7.0%
Carroll	10,182	10,082	10,497	3.1%	837	853	858	2.5%	211,319	221,700	239,288	13.2%	20,754	21,990	22,796	9.8%
Cass	5,756	5,288	5,121	-11.0%	497	491	502	1.0%	125,748	114,591	108,977	-13.3%	21,846	21,670	21,280	-2.6%
Cedar	4,113	4,114	4,092	-0.5%	494	494	504	2.0%	79,980	82,853	85,375	6.7%	19,446	20,139	20,864	7.3%
Cerro Gordo	23,266	22,434	22,003	-5.4%	1,487	1,466	1,480	-0.5%	573,288	567,293	562,827	-1.8%	24,641	25,287	25,580	3.8%
Cherokee	4,493	4,522	4,468	-0.6%	390	390	392	0.5%	104,012	110,384	108,942	4.7%	23,150	24,410	24,383	5.3%
Chickasaw	4,297	3,550	3,470	-19.2%	402	401	411	2.2%	91,681	77,377	80,717	-12.0%	21,336	21,796	23,261	9.0%
Clarke	4,123	3,848	3,556	-13.8%	227	221	224	-1.3%	81,944	84,804	81,058	-1.1%	19,875	22,038	22,795	14.7%
Clay	8,141	8,237	7,569	-7.0%	643	641	638	-0.8%	182,672	187,918	183,196	0.3%	22,439	22,814	24,203	7.9%
Clayton	5,844	5,283	5,364	-8.2%	527	555	546	3.6%	123,553	124,769	122,929	-0.5%	21,142	23,617	22,917	8.4%
Clinton	19,285	19,459	18,893	-2.0%	1,271	1,282	1,296	2.0%	466,162	478,712	475,108	1.9%	24,172	24,601	25,147	4.0%
Crawford	5,712	5,930	5,875	2.9%	466	464	466	0.0%	135,800	133,347	136,883	0.8%	23,775	22,487	23,299	-2.0%
Dallas	9,796	10,047	13,679	39.6%	817	856	1,038	27.1%	259,615	275,790	401,751	54.7%	26,502	27,450	29,370	10.8%
Davis	1,603	1,537	1,532	-4.4%	179	185	200	11.7%	32,108	31,251	32,293	0.6%	20,030	20,332	21,079	5.2%
Decatur	2,294	2,346	2,300	0.3%	162	170	166	2.5%	32,602	35,297	36,875	13.1%	14,212	15,046	16,033	12.8%
Delaware	4,913	4,822	4,582	-6.7%	483	494	483	0.0%	107,575	109,795	110,399	2.6%	21,896	22,770	24,094	10.0%
Des Moines	21,097	20,787	19,109	-9.4%	1,221	1,215	1,210	-0.9%	527,416	527,829	539,256	2.2%	25,000	25,392	28,220	12.9%
Dickinson	7,772	7,377	7,072	-9.0%	704	694	712	1.1%	192,061	184,941	181,835	-5.3%	24,712	25,070	25,712	4.0%
Dubuque	49,988	48,677	47,196	-5.6%	2,659	2,645	2,631	-1.1%	1,272,379	1,247,157	1,277,725	0.4%	25,454	25,621	27,073	6.4%
Emmet	3,493	3,618	3,627	3.8%	313	320	332	6.1%	77,567	81,294	83,035	7.0%	22,206	22,469	22,894	3.1%
Fayette	7,526	6,980	6,215	-17.4%	657	645	627	-4.6%	146,712	136,224	133,029	-9.3%	19,494	19,516	21,405	9.8%
Floyd	4,597	4,510	4,465	-2.9%	453	460	447	-1.3%	97,155	101,767	102,597	5.6%	21,134	22,565	22,978	8.7%
Franklin	3,196	3,016	2,911	-8.9%	336	329	330	-1.8%	73,740	73,900	77,181	4.7%	23,073	24,503	26,514	14.9%
Fremont	1,528	1,471	1,171	-23.4%	193	185	169	-12.4%	30,246	29,216	26,322	-13.0%	19,795	19,861	22,478	13.6%
Greene	2,671	2,588	2,465	-7.7%	299	295	302	1.0%	54,170	53,811	54,032	-0.3%	20,281	20,793	21,920	8.1%
Grundy	2,869	2,816	2,814	-1.9%	308	317	305	-1.0%	70,339	77,251	78,713	11.9%	24,517	27,433	27,972	14.1%
Guthrie	1,868	1,850	2,093	12.0%	300	296	322	7.3%	33,857	34,497	46,303	36.8%	18,125	18,647	22,123	22.1%

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Hamilton	6,937	6,173	6,534	-5.8%	451	437	406	-10.0%	170,528	163,367	170,787	0.2%	24,582	26,465	26,138	6.3%
Hancock	3,046	3,148	3,230	6.0%	339	329	336	-0.9%	69,082	70,933	75,053	8.6%	22,680	22,533	23,236	2.5%
Hardin	7,211	7,045	6,706	-7.0%	636	624	614	-3.5%	148,718	158,395	153,183	3.0%	20,624	22,483	22,843	10.8%
Harrison	3,242	3,199	2,456	-24.2%	366	349	351	-4.1%	59,457	60,613	51,736	-13.0%	18,340	18,947	21,065	14.9%
Henry	12,058	11,989	11,654	-3.4%	565	562	575	1.8%	284,928	286,324	298,182	4.7%	23,630	23,882	25,586	8.3%
Howard	3,586	3,445	3,320	-7.4%	276	258	272	-1.4%	80,160	77,299	79,581	-0.7%	22,354	22,438	23,970	7.2%
Humboldt	3,571	3,369	3,272	-8.4%	331	320	344	3.9%	81,512	84,863	80,450	-1.3%	22,826	25,189	24,587	7.7%
Ida	3,324	3,298	3,212	-3.4%	264	263	268	1.5%	82,698	81,630	84,815	2.6%	24,879	24,751	26,406	6.1%
Iowa	9,285	9,459	8,604	-7.3%	500	493	517	3.4%	270,225	273,616	226,145	-16.3%	29,103	28,927	26,284	-9.7%
Jackson	5,357	5,202	5,526	3.2%	573	585	594	3.7%	93,606	93,854	109,399	16.9%	17,474	18,042	19,797	13.3%
Jasper	13,757	13,854	13,990	1.7%	842	831	844	0.2%	472,304	469,213	493,684	4.5%	34,332	33,868	35,288	2.8%
Jefferson	7,291	7,393	6,593	-9.6%	699	670	685	-2.0%	204,791	200,191	179,179	-12.5%	28,088	27,078	27,177	-3.2%
Johnson	51,087	52,276	51,016	-0.1%	2,666	2,638	2,725	2.2%	1,304,325	1,401,994	1,449,039	11.1%	25,531	26,819	28,404	11.2%
Jones	4,546	4,457	4,442	-2.3%	501	494	509	1.6%	90,630	91,300	96,984	7.0%	19,936	20,485	21,833	9.5%
Keokuk	1,846	1,753	1,773	-4.0%	271	269	267	-1.5%	37,971	38,422	37,689	-0.7%	20,569	21,918	21,257	3.3%
Kossuth	5,516	5,451	5,112	-7.3%	544	542	550	1.1%	116,400	123,515	118,447	1.8%	21,102	22,659	23,170	9.8%
Lee	16,534	15,285	14,815	-10.4%	1,044	1,009	1,011	-3.2%	426,177	409,413	392,682	-7.9%	25,776	26,785	26,506	2.8%
Linn	114,593	111,650	109,075	-4.8%	5,308	5,283	5,404	1.8%	3,760,240	3,687,280	3,488,875	-7.2%	32,814	33,025	31,986	-2.5%
Louisa	2,847	2,816	2,804	-1.5%	215	224	218	1.4%	63,087	63,893	63,915	1.3%	22,159	22,689	22,794	2.9%
Lucas	2,707	2,767	2,732	0.9%	218	210	210	-3.7%	65,203	69,767	66,170	1.5%	24,087	25,214	24,220	0.6%
Lyon	2,469	2,611	2,631	6.6%	369	368	362	-1.9%	45,813	49,651	54,327	18.6%	18,555	19,016	20,649	11.3%
Madison	2,774	2,824	2,923	5.4%	345	342	370	7.2%	58,370	60,366	64,588	10.7%	21,042	21,376	22,096	5.0%
Mahaska	6,301	6,411	6,354	0.8%	586	601	603	2.9%	131,645	134,916	144,994	10.1%	20,893	21,044	22,819	9.2%
Marion	18,156	18,204	16,316	-10.1%	810	807	829	2.3%	522,568	488,508	454,824	-13.0%	28,782	26,835	27,876	-3.1%
Marshall	15,506	15,553	15,270	-1.5%	922	918	918	-0.4%	388,366	411,712	414,240	6.7%	25,046	26,472	27,128	8.3%
Mills	2,701	2,848	2,886	6.8%	240	254	270	12.5%	66,924	70,692	71,472	6.8%	24,777	24,822	24,765	-0.1%
Mitchell	3,107	2,995	3,103	-0.1%	350	338	337	-3.7%	65,619	67,910	71,206	8.5%	21,120	22,674	22,947	8.7%
Monona	2,684	2,576	2,574	-4.1%	291	277	288	-1.0%	48,752	49,991	51,135	4.9%	18,164	19,406	19,866	9.4%
Monroe	2,599	2,472	1,761	-32.2%	207	203	188	-9.2%	66,276	62,485	33,951	-48.8%	25,501	25,277	19,279	-24.4%
Montgomery	4,423	4,067	3,886	-12.1%	347	331	333	-4.0%	97,140	85,004	88,557	-8.8%	21,962	20,901	22,789	3.8%
Muscatine	20,301	19,974	19,527	-3.8%	998	990	990	-0.8%	670,114	650,239	645,330	-3.7%	33,009	32,554	33,048	0.1%
O'Brien	5,149	5,207	5,172	0.4%	562	549	537	-4.4%	98,438	102,151	108,767	10.5%	19,118	19,618	21,030	10.0%
Osceola	1,806	1,860	1,864	3.2%	210	202	211	0.5%	37,719	40,351	41,869	11.0%	20,885	21,694	22,462	7.5%
Page	6,825	6,213	6,326	-7.3%	501	492	509	1.6%	176,986	151,730	160,487	-9.3%	25,932	24,421	25,369	-2.2%
Palo Alto	2,698	2,522	2,765	2.5%	316	330	331	4.7%	46,461	49,963	58,234	25.3%	17,221	19,811	21,061	22.3%
Plymouth	9,249	9,023	8,693	-6.0%	678	663	692	2.1%	234,450	242,833	260,647	11.2%	25,349	26,913	29,984	18.3%
Pocahontas	2,156	2,079	1,978	-8.3%	277	264	263	-5.1%	42,083	42,445	41,223	-2.0%	19,519	20,416	20,841	6.8%
Polk	244,122	246,513	240,997	-1.3%	11,523	11,577	11,573	0.4%	7,898,578	8,159,250	8,436,010	6.8%	32,355	33,099	35,005	8.2%
Pottawattamie	29,069	30,412	31,537	8.5%	1,909	1,901	1,932	1.2%	692,947	752,592	767,327	10.7%	23,838	24,747	24,331	2.1%

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Poweshiek	9,094	9,039	8,656	-4.8%	565	579	584	3.4%	231,017	236,333	231,630	0.3%	25,403	26,146	26,759	5.3%
Ringgold	1,120	1,033	909	-18.8%	137	130	135	-1.5%	21,804	22,755	17,213	-21.1%	19,468	22,028	18,936	-2.7%
Sac	2,601	2,640	2,681	3.1%	391	376	384	-1.8%	49,177	48,623	48,624	-1.1%	18,907	18,418	18,137	-4.1%
Scott	81,772	82,860	79,459	-2.8%	4,431	4,452	4,463	0.7%	2,227,950	2,468,081	2,381,694	6.9%	27,246	29,786	29,974	10.0%
Shelby	4,543	4,601	4,454	-2.0%	433	418	422	-2.5%	88,998	92,685	99,223	11.5%	19,590	20,145	22,277	13.7%
Sioux	15,009	14,118	14,175	-5.6%	1,093	1,109	1,119	2.4%	332,652	323,966	349,111	4.9%	22,164	22,947	24,629	11.1%
Story	28,502	27,973	27,080	-5.0%	1,933	1,927	1,902	-1.6%	664,841	668,566	671,486	1.0%	23,326	23,900	24,796	6.3%
Tama	4,329	4,273	4,341	0.3%	412	394	400	-2.9%	89,202	92,766	98,845	10.8%	20,606	21,710	22,770	10.5%
Taylor	1,296	1,329	1,201	-7.3%	168	161	163	-3.0%	24,399	28,207	30,550	25.2%	18,826	21,224	25,437	35.1%
Union	4,954	5,012	4,664	-5.9%	355	366	359	1.1%	97,244	99,470	103,785	6.7%	19,629	19,846	22,252	13.4%
Van Buren	1,787	1,637	1,522	-14.8%	175	165	159	-9.1%	36,438	36,841	35,086	-3.7%	20,391	22,505	23,053	13.1%
Wapello	13,363	13,584	14,380	7.6%	864	848	846	-2.1%	318,809	338,957	379,789	19.1%	23,858	24,953	26,411	10.7%
Warren	7,579	7,510	7,781	2.7%	779	763	772	-0.9%	136,983	138,788	152,727	11.5%	18,074	18,480	19,628	8.6%
Washington	5,892	5,783	5,832	-1.0%	709	683	667	-5.9%	122,522	126,942	130,791	6.7%	20,795	21,951	22,426	7.8%
Wayne	1,474	1,394	1,444	-2.0%	182	177	179	-1.6%	25,285	25,166	27,476	8.7%	17,154	18,053	19,028	10.9%
Webster	16,479	16,183	15,985	-3.0%	1,180	1,151	1,138	-3.6%	413,777	434,309	446,544	7.9%	25,109	26,837	27,935	11.3%
Winnebago	8,177	7,700	7,771	-5.0%	363	370	371	2.2%	199,677	196,769	222,832	11.6%	24,419	25,554	28,675	17.4%
Winneshiek	10,024	10,155	9,492	-5.3%	623	618	609	-2.2%	206,905	218,468	212,784	2.8%	20,641	21,513	22,417	8.6%
Woodbury	47,549	47,646	46,561	-2.1%	2,932	2,906	2,881	-1.7%	1,168,366	1,177,975	1,169,749	0.1%	24,572	24,723	25,123	2.2%
Worth	1,475	1,313	1,293	-12.3%	180	182	185	2.8%	26,153	26,549	27,309	4.4%	17,731	20,220	21,121	19.1%
Wright	5,088	4,812	4,610	-9.4%	453	429	425	-6.2%	112,115	106,938	101,388	-9.6%	22,035	22,223	21,993	-0.2%

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