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State of Iowa	2,891,119	69,394	166,885	5.8	\$130,616,512	\$65.22
Adair	8,310	187	459	5.5	\$322,109	\$58.48
Adams	4,503	132	347	7.7	\$248,991	\$59.80
Allamakee	14,487	242	590	4.1	\$431,306	\$60.92
Appanoose	13,677	727	1,728	12.6	\$1,296,235	\$62.51
Audubon	6,916	103	295	4.3	\$203,703	\$57.54
Benton	24,453	377	1,005	4.1	\$739,868	\$61.35
Black Hawk	127,275	4,819	11,288	8.9	\$8,718,989	\$64.37
Boone	26,023	517	1,245	4.8	\$993,128	\$66.47
Bremer	23,292	270	676	2.9	\$480,449	\$59.23
Buchanan	21,084	395	1,076	5.1	\$776,239	\$60.12
Buena Vista	20,427	354	885	4.3	\$639,080	\$60.18
Butler	15,501	243	621	4.0	\$411,965	\$55.28
Calhoun	11,377	245	570	5.0	\$395,529	\$57.83
Carroll	21,705	332	799	3.7	\$534,222	\$55.72
Cass	14,886	325	807	5.4	\$553,522	\$57.16
Cedar	18,102	334	795	4.4	\$615,966	\$64.57
Cerro Gordo	47,091	1,264	2,836	6.0	\$2,132,169	\$62.65
Cherokee	13,381	209	466	3.5	\$338,822	\$60.59
Chickasaw	13,272	183	466	3.5	\$325,063	\$58.13
Clarke	8,701	278	715	8.2	\$547,462	\$63.81
Clay	17,662	337	745	4.2	\$547,655	\$61.26
Clayton	18,952	224	575	3.0	\$393,766	\$57.07
Clinton	50,635	1,757	4,049	8.0	\$3,233,460	\$66.55
Crawford	16,864	411	1,070	6.3	\$791,855	\$61.67
Dallas	36,862	497	1,224	3.3	\$991,621	\$67.51
Davis	8,496	192	438	5.2	\$333,973	\$63.54
Decatur	8,416	415	923	11.0	\$643,043	\$58.06
Delaware	18,380	299	770	4.2	\$530,138	\$57.37
Des Moines	42,620	1,451	3,493	8.2	\$2,802,115	\$66.85
Dickinson	16,076	249	569	3.5	\$427,305	\$62.58
Dubuque	88,996	1,645	4,036	4.5	\$3,000,444	\$61.95
Emmet	11,303	220	532	4.7	\$354,879	\$55.59
Fayette	22,261	555	1,395	6.3	\$1,000,597	\$59.77
Floyd	17,059	408	1,058	6.2	\$744,862	\$58.67
Franklin	10,921	233	549	5.0	\$367,653	\$55.81
Fremont	7,989	249	647	8.1	\$444,255	\$57.22
Greene	10,402	226	570	5.5	\$398,667	\$58.28
Grundy	12,335	125	318	2.6	\$242,682	\$63.60
Guthrie	11,321	244	604	5.3	\$440,798	\$60.82
Hamilton	16,371	315	706	4.3	\$530,378	\$62.60
Hancock	12,043	171	444	3.7	\$322,295	\$60.49
Hardin	18,981	418	983	5.2	\$715,760	\$60.68

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Henry	20,033	450	1,052	5.3	\$795,586	\$63.02
Howard	9,966	162	416	4.2	\$275,771	\$55.24
Humboldt	10,473	193	433	4.1	\$302,692	\$58.25
Ida	8,024	104	275	3.4	\$190,968	\$57.87
Iowa	15,423	168	454	2.9	\$346,062	\$63.52
Jackson	20,155	479	1,145	5.7	\$843,536	\$61.39
Jasper	36,087	608	1,410	3.9	\$1,088,658	\$64.34
Jefferson	16,628	508	1,087	6.5	\$906,204	\$69.47
Johnson	106,538	1,430	3,176	3.0	\$2,736,529	\$71.80
Jones	20,587	329	853	4.1	\$650,093	\$63.51
Keokuk	11,444	348	890	7.8	\$626,616	\$58.67
Kossuth	17,552	264	659	3.8	\$440,963	\$55.76
Lee	38,720	1,264	3,104	8.0	\$2,413,448	\$64.79
Linn	185,450	4,196	9,395	5.1	\$7,733,136	\$68.59
Louisa	12,050	321	825	6.8	\$647,570	\$65.41
Lucas	9,395	351	839	8.9	\$637,564	\$63.33
Lyon	11,811	127	356	3.0	\$236,253	\$55.30
Madison	13,585	202	501	3.7	\$377,570	\$62.80
Mahaska	22,126	662	1,553	7.0	\$1,199,308	\$64.35
Marion	31,317	564	1,349	4.3	\$989,797	\$61.14
Marshall	39,242	1,220	2,833	7.2	\$2,330,699	\$68.56
Mills	14,145	304	865	6.1	\$681,148	\$65.62
Mitchell	10,941	131	289	2.6	\$193,511	\$55.80
Monona	10,121	276	623	6.2	\$441,799	\$59.10
Monroe	8,132	290	697	8.6	\$489,504	\$58.53
Montgomery	11,889	334	863	7.3	\$644,908	\$62.27
Muscatine	41,280	1289	3342	8.1	\$2,740,558	\$68.34
O'Brien	15,498	198	480	3.1	\$318,104	\$55.23
Osceola	7,167	95	255	3.6	\$172,473	\$56.36
Page	17,374	502	1,171	6.7	\$815,653	\$58.05
Palo Alto	10,254	219	439	4.3	\$281,681	\$53.47
Plymouth	24,691	278	626	2.5	\$416,754	\$55.48
Pocahontas	8,864	182	416	4.7	\$277,889	\$55.67
Polk	360,985	9,527	22,541	6.2	\$19,329,918	\$71.46
Pottawattamie	85,677	2,594	6,695	7.8	\$5,469,425	\$68.08
Poweshiek	18,989	328	791	4.2	\$615,851	\$64.88
Ringgold	5,447	179	464	8.5	\$312,386	\$56.10
Sac	11,882	222	574	4.8	\$368,290	\$53.47
Scott	157,228	5,792	14,270	9.1	\$11,974,110	\$69.93
Shelby	13,353	211	566	4.2	\$392,843	\$57.84
Sioux	31,473	237	640	2.0	\$437,174	\$56.92

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Story	77,833	966	2,155	2.8	\$1,857,370	\$71.82
Tama	17,950	274	729	4.1	\$529,395	\$60.52
Taylor	7,016	203	544	7.8	\$360,118	\$55.17
Union	12,345	415	990	8.0	\$732,296	\$61.64
Van Buren	7,736	167	428	5.5	\$308,578	\$60.08
Wapello	35,980	1859	4,254	11.8	\$3,246,267	\$63.59
Warren	39,510	499	1,255	3.2	\$974,003	\$64.67
Washington	20,512	355	895	4.4	\$675,115	\$62.86
Wayne	6,910	232	570	8.2	\$401,836	\$58.75
Webster	39,268	1,446	3,321	8.5	\$2,540,018	\$63.74
Winnebago	11,876	193	486	4.1	\$341,562	\$58.57
Winneshiek	21,064	257	601	2.9	\$378,903	\$52.54
Woodbury	103,728	2,426	6,118	5.9	\$4,760,022	\$64.84
Worth	7,929	109	242	3.1	\$176,095	\$60.64
Wright	14,560	274	666	4.6	\$484,209	\$60.59

Note: Eligibility for Food Assistance is at or below 130% of poverty.

Note: 1997 population is from the revised 1990-1999 population estimates released by the U.S. Census Bureau

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