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			2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997
State of Iowa			9,551	9,725	9,779	10,152	9,952	9,471	9,360	9,559	9,355
Adair	6	5	13	13	13	14	20	25	23	15	19
Adams	6	5	7	7	8	8	7	<6	9	11	12
Allamakee	3	1	21	21	31	27	28	28	46	39	41
Appanoose	7	8	78	78	87	92	84	89	104	89	85
Audubon	5	4	21	22	21	19	27	21	26	28	25
Benton	7	6	54	51	79	96	69	74	72	74	72
Black Hawk	2	1	412	409	404	425	472	459	480	516	566
Boone	6	2	51	58	71	87	98	87	72	72	67
Bremer	2	2	46	46	45	46	45	38	35	30	35
Buchanan	3	1	72	70	51	55	66	82	67	56	53
Buena Vista	1	3	88	88	84	56	68	80	64	67	39
Butler	2	2	29	28	35	34	34	23	21	26	30
Calhoun	4	2	25	26	32	22	25	29	23	13	25
Carroll	5	2	38	39	39	52	40	41	36	41	34
Cass	5	4	59	63	53	31	30	29	24	39	29
Cedar	8	7	14	14	17	23	27	21	23	26	23
Cerro Gordo	2	2	212	225	244	227	219	228	224	242	269
Cherokee	1	3	59	57	52	48	38	45	36	23	28
Chickasaw	2	1	16	17	19	21	23	27	23	32	22
Clarke	6	5	35	38	34	25	26	30	27	28	28
Clay	1	3	63	63	52	61	55	53	44	45	41
Clayton	3	1	32	34	27	27	26	27	22	24	24
Clinton	3	7	129	131	170	197	169	152	144	160	171
Crawford	5	3	44	42	49	41	47	47	49	38	26
Dallas	6	5	143	140	132	136	121	124	127	117	106
Davis	7	8	13	15	23	25	20	18	20	17	20
Decatur	6	5	18	20	20	18	22	19	18	19	22
Delaware	3	1	55	54	42	39	47	39	39	45	44
Des Moines	8	8	155	160	161	160	154	146	152	129	134
Dickinson	1	3	75	73	57	74	71	46	51	57	46
Dubuque	3	1	312	299	278	292	307	282	278	274	300
Emmet	1	3	49	49	38	45	34	45	65	64	60
Fayette	3	1	54	53	56	68	71	59	52	66	54
Floyd	2	2	63	64	67	61	62	67	56	57	50
Franklin	2	2	28	29	21	27	22	25	29	20	26
Fremont	5	4	17	18	20	17	19	20	22	29	27
Greene	5	2	28	32	27	35	44	49	56	38	41
Grundy	2	1	10	11	10	19	26	24	23	15	19
Guthrie	5	5	24	24	22	17	34	23	28	21	25
Hamilton	4	2	52	56	41	34	40	40	32	46	46
Hancock	2	2	30	28	17	27	28	22	22	20	22
Hardin	4	2	41	45	35	47	46	48	48	44	48
Harrison	5	4	45	46	53	42	40	52	58	47	38
Henry	8	8	56	52	34	38	51	48	43	50	48
Howard	3	1	15	16	21	23	18	19	21	20	15
Humboldt	4	2	27	32	32	26	36	34	27	24	39
Ida	1	3	13	14	18	12	22	6	15	11	11
Iowa	7	6	24	25	24	33	39	41	40	40	29
Jackson	3	7	40	40	38	38	43	31	31	39	43
Jasper	4	5	100	97	82	72	105	95	94	109	108
Jefferson	7	8	39	41	36	42	52	47	49	54	65
Johnson	7	6	290	286	246	275	284	243	234	214	178
Jones	7	6	45	45	54	46	44	34	32	34	34
Keokuk	7	8	24	29	26	27	27	28	36	41	37
Kossuth	1	3	26	27	26	34	29	19	11	14	31
Lee	8	8	172	170	168	170	158	134	96	85	86
Linn	7	6	810	783	730	731	717	684	662	643	600
Louisa	8	8	21	21	19	24	34	24	31	30	24
Lucas	6	5	30	31	40	31	29	30	29	25	27
Lyon	1	3	29	29	30	27	32	29	23	16	17
Madison	6	5	42	42	34	40	48	38	38	45	27
Mahaska	7	8	70	78	103	90	73	59	63	69	62
Marion	6	5	54	52	44	69	60	65	72	76	60
Marshall	4	2	117	122	121	137	115	128	125	141	114

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Mills	5	4	23	25	42	44	29	21	23	40	53
Mitchell	2	2	11	12	17	15	18	22	24	29	36
Monona	5	3	26	25	22	23	25	29	37	37	37
Monroe	7	8	26	26	32	29	30	20	14	23	20
Montgomery	5	4	43	44	35	33	39	31	34	30	23
Muscatine	8	7	129	128	133	132	159	157	169	169	157
O'Brien	1	3	28	26	21	25	20	22	22	30	38
Osceola	1	3	12	11	8	9	12	10	12	8	<6
Page	5	4	25	26	30	40	38	51	50	40	51
Palo Alto	1	3	15	16	27	23	29	23	15	20	22
Plymouth	1	3	73	74	55	61	52	46	34	47	33
Pocahontas	4	2	15	19	18	23	21	20	17	19	19
Polk	6	5	1599	1,556	1,738	1,766	1,550	1,418	1,434	1,456	1,461
Pottawattamie	5	4	473	574	499	497	440	408	364	361	399
Poweshiek	4	8	57	60	66	65	67	60	54	57	65
Ringgold	6	5	9	10	10	13	11	15	17	16	7
Sac	5	2	35	36	27	24	25	19	15	10	21
Scott	8	7	395	387	442	501	492	496	536	553	544
Shelby	5	4	29	33	25	25	34	20	39	36	32
Sioux	1	3	42	39	26	37	35	33	29	35	27
Story	4	2	133	167	166	163	149	147	157	155	129
Tama	4	6	73	70	69	67	92	98	90	110	79
Taylor	5	5	11	13	10	12	14	15	12	7	6
Union	6	5	36	34	36	30	28	23	26	44	44
Van Buren	7	8	11	12	15	16	19	15	16	11	21
Wapello	7	8	211	223	227	223	202	191	186	171	160
Warren	6	5	87	85	109	114	107	106	98	107	101
Washington	7	8	31	32	41	55	71	75	87	70	69
Wayne	6	5	18	21	23	24	22	22	15	15	12
Webster	4	2	160	207	213	291	255	242	219	249	235
Winnebago	2	2	23	25	19	23	12	23	23	30	38
Winneshiek	3	1	31	32	32	27	29	29	23	32	25
Woodbury	1	3	732	725	725	742	787	765	752	820	758
Worth	2	2	19	20	25	22	18	23	27	28	29
Wright	4	2	36	44	33	56	54	57	48	55	57

¹ DHS Service Areas: 1-Sioux City; 2-Waterloo; 3-Dubuque; 4-Ames; 5-Council Bluffs; 6-Des Moines; 7-Cedar Rapids; 8-Davenport

² Unduplicated total count of children who experience foster care during the year.

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