

IDA

2004 ANNUAL COUNTY PROFILE

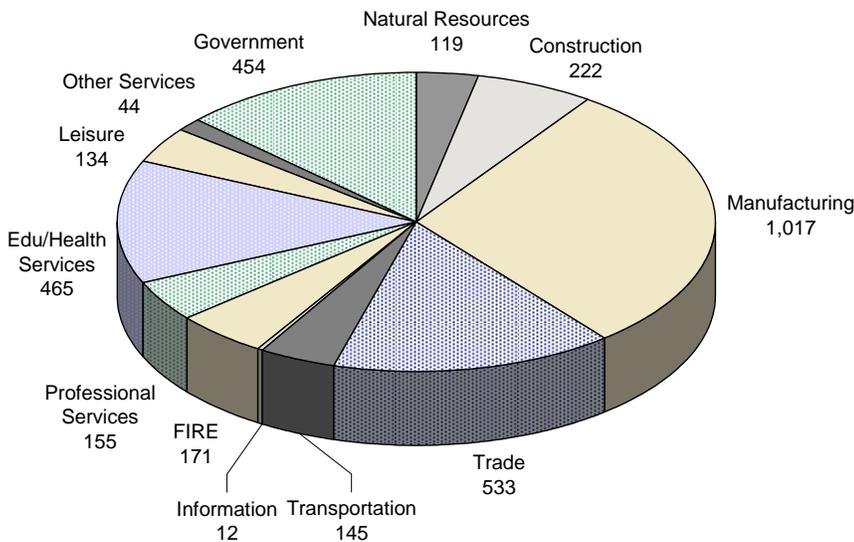
Executive Summary

As of 2003, Ida County's largest private sector was Manufacturing, representing 29.29 percent (1,017) of the county's total covered employment of 3,472. The county's total employment decreased by 2.33 percent since 2002, but the average annual wage increased by 2.91 percent to \$26,825 for all industries.

Ida County's average weekly wage for all industries was \$516 for 2003. This was an increase of 2.99 percent since 2002. The highest average weekly wage for a private sector was Professional & Business Services, averaging \$799 with gross total wages of \$6.4 million. This sector had the largest percentage increase in average weekly wage of 160.26 percent (\$492) between 2002 and 2003, due primarily to an increase in the Management of Companies industry in 2003.



2003 Industry Breakout by Employment in Ida County



Note: Government includes public education and health institutions

Ten Largest Employers by Employment

Based on Annual 2003 Employment by Private Industry

Rank	Name of Company	Industry
1	Godbersen-Smith Const Co	Manufacturing
2	Midwest Industries	Manufacturing
3	VTI Architectural Products	Manufacturing
4	Ida County Community Hospital	Health Services
5	Good Samaritan Society	Health Services
6	V T Industries	Mgmt of Companies
7	United Bank Of Iowa	Finance and Insurance
8	Morningside Care Center	Health Services
9	Willow Dale Care Center	Health Services
10	Wally's Food Pride	Retail Trade

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Covered Employment (2003)

		%
Total Employment	3,472	0.25 ¹
Average Weekly Wage	\$516	87.3 ²
Largest Private Sector: Manufacturing	1,017	0.46 ³

¹ Percent is based on statewide covered employment of 1,404,476

² Percent is based on statewide average weekly wage of \$591

³ Percent is based on statewide covered sector employment

Census Statistics

		Rank
2003 Population	7,512	93
Growth % since 1990	-10.2%	93
2003 Unemployment Rate	3.8%	71
2002 Per Capita Personal Income	\$25,179	60
2000 Median Household Income	\$34,805	67

Ranking based on Iowa's 99 counties

2004 QUARTERLY CENSUS OF EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES PROFILE

2003 Covered Employment and Reporting Units by Industry in Ida County

Reporting Units				Employment		
2002	2003	% Change		2002	2003	% Change
294	307	4.42%	Total All Industries	3,555	3,472	-2.33%
264	278	5.30%	Private Business	3,094	3,018	-2.46%
10	14	40.00%	Ag/Natural Resources & Mining	119	119	0.00%
32	31	-3.13%	Construction	217	222	2.30%
15	18	20.00%	Manufacturing	1,057	1,017	-3.78%
67	65	-2.99%	Trade	550	533	-3.09%
18	18	0.00%	<i>Wholesale Trade</i>	159	154	-3.14%
49	47	-4.08%	<i>Retail Trade</i>	390	379	-2.82%
31	35	12.90%	Transportation & Utilities	169	145	-14.20%
3	4	33.33%	Information	12	12	0.00%
23	26	13.04%	Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	162	171	5.56%
19	19	0.00%	Professional & Business Services	155	155	0.00%
27	27	0.00%	Education & Health Services	470	465	-1.06%
20	21	5.00%	Leisure & Hospitality	140	134	-4.29%
18	19	5.56%	Other Services	44	44	0.00%
31	30	-3.23%	Government	460	454	-1.30%
4	4	0.00%	<i>State</i>	11	11	0.00%
21	20	-4.76%	<i>Local</i>	407	401	-1.47%
6	6	0.00%	<i>Federal</i>	43	43	0.00%

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Ida County's
Largest
Industries by
Worksites

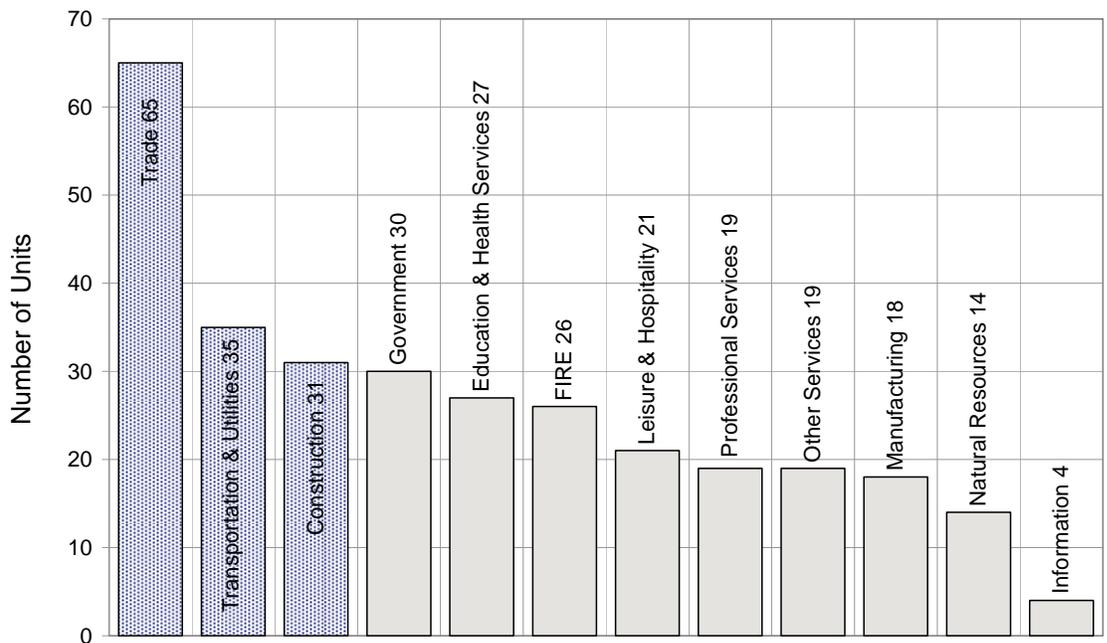
Wholesale & Retail
Trade
65

Transportation &
Utilities
35

Construction
31

Reporting Units by Industry in 2003 in Ida County

A Unit is Defined as a Worksite



Trade - Wholesale & Retail Trade
F.I.R.E. - Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate;

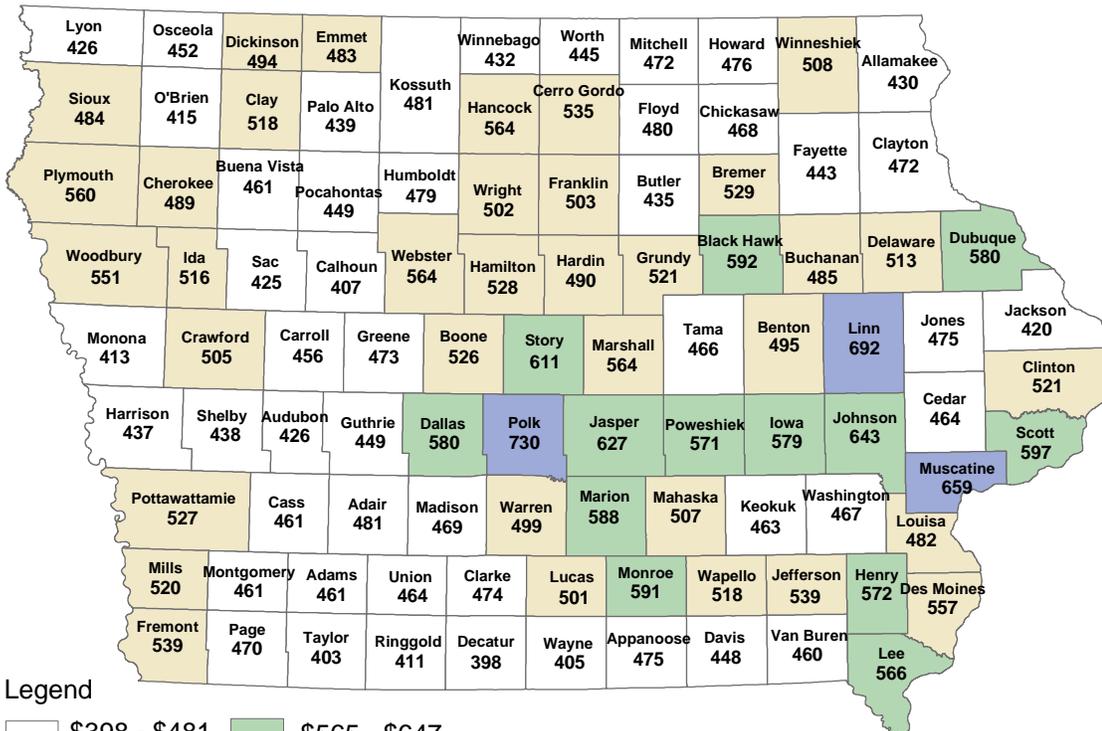
Natural Resources - Agriculture, Natural Resources, & Mining.

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2003 Average Annual and Weekly Wage by Industry in Ida County

Average Annual Wage				Average Weekly Wage		
2002	2003	% Change		2002	2003	% Change
\$ 26,068	\$ 26,825	2.91%	Total All Industries	\$ 501	\$ 516	2.99%
\$ 26,471	\$ 27,226	2.85%	Private Business	\$ 509	\$ 524	2.95%
\$ 20,985	\$ 24,228	15.45%	Ag/Natural Resources & Mining	\$ 404	\$ 466	15.35%
\$ 32,740	\$ 32,289	-1.38%	Construction	\$ 630	\$ 621	-1.43%
\$ 36,097	\$ 34,169	-5.34%	Manufacturing	\$ 694	\$ 657	-5.33%
\$ 17,842	\$ 18,672	4.65%	Trade	\$ 343	\$ 359	4.66%
\$ 26,914	\$ 28,561	6.12%	<i>Wholesale Trade</i>	\$ 518	\$ 549	5.98%
\$ 14,189	\$ 14,654	3.28%	<i>Retail Trade</i>	\$ 273	\$ 282	3.30%
\$ 31,977	\$ 30,293	-5.27%	Transportation & Utilities	\$ 615	\$ 583	-5.20%
\$ 16,944	\$ 18,827	11.12%	Information	\$ 326	\$ 362	11.04%
\$ 28,920	\$ 28,111	-2.79%	Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	\$ 556	\$ 541	-2.70%
\$ 15,954	\$ 41,543	160.39%	Professional & Business Services	\$ 307	\$ 799	160.26%
\$ 20,852	\$ 21,065	1.02%	Education & Health Services	\$ 401	\$ 405	1.00%
\$ 7,129	\$ 7,648	7.28%	Leisure & Hospitality	\$ 137	\$ 147	7.30%
\$ 17,431	\$ 16,554	-5.03%	Other Services	\$ 335	\$ 318	-5.07%
\$ 23,415	\$ 24,163	3.19%	Government	\$ 450	\$ 465	3.33%
\$ 33,356	\$ 35,941	7.75%	<i>State</i>	\$ 641	\$ 691	7.80%
\$ 21,896	\$ 22,645	3.42%	<i>Local</i>	\$ 421	\$ 435	3.33%
\$ 34,703	\$ 34,742	0.11%	<i>Federal</i>	\$ 667	\$ 668	0.15%

2003 Average Weekly Wage for All Industries by County



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Average Weekly Wage Comparisons

Ida
\$516

Rank
Among All 99
Iowa Counties
-35-

Statewide
\$591

Nation*
\$726

* preliminary data

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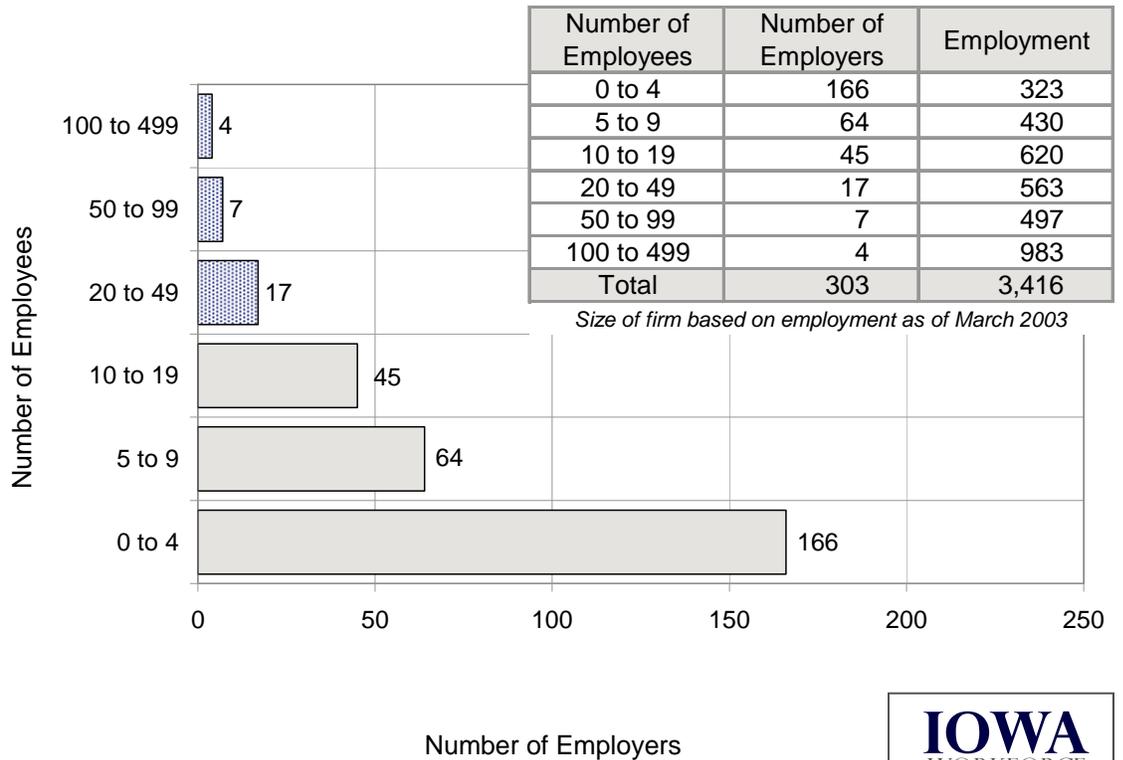
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2003 Size of Firm in Ida County



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