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LABOR LABOR

FORCE EMP UNEMP RATE FORCE EMP UNEMP RATE

IOWA (SEASONALLY ADJ). 1704800 1644400 60400 3.5 1706200 1647500 58700 3.4

MULTIPLE-COUNTY MSA'S: (NOT SEASONALLY ADJ.)

CEDAR RAPIDS MSA ..... 142900 138200 4700 3.3 143300 138600 4700 3.3

DES MOINES-W DSM MSA . 342700 332500 10200 3.0 343400 333300 10100 2.9

IOWA CITY MSA ........ 97100 94800 2300 2.4 97200 95000 2200 2.2

SIOUX CITY MSA ....... 93600 90700 2900 3.1 93700 90800 3000 3.2

WATERLOO - CF MSA .... 92400 89100 3300 3.6 92400 89000 3400 3.7

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COUNTIES: (NOT SEASONALLY ADJ.)

ADAIR ................ 4370 4260 110 2.5 4280 4170 120 2.7

ADAMS ................ 2260 2200 60 2.7 2210 2150 60 2.5

ALLAMAKEE ............ 7990 7710 280 3.5 7850 7560 290 3.7

APPANOOSE ............ 6300 6000 300 4.8 6200 5940 260 4.2

AUDUBON .............. 3480 3370 100 2.9 3390 3290 110 3.2

BENTON (PART OF MSA).. 13900 13400 400 3.1 13800 13400 400 3.1

BLACK HAWK

(PART OF MSA)...... 71300 68600 2700 3.8 71400 68600 2800 3.9

BOONE (MICRO) ........ 15550 15160 380 2.5 15460 15090 370 2.4

BREMER (PART OF MSA) . 14300 13800 400 2.9 14200 13800 400 2.9

BUCHANAN ............. 11570 11190 380 3.3 11460 11090 370 3.3

BUENA VISTA (MICRO) .. 11800 11430 360 3.1 11670 11320 340 2.9

BUTLER ............... 8560 8250 310 3.6 8470 8160 310 3.6

CALHOUN .............. 4540 4380 160 3.6 4480 4320 170 3.7

CARROLL .............. 11320 11060 260 2.3 11100 10860 240 2.1

CASS ................. 7530 7330 210 2.7 7380 7190 190 2.6

CEDAR ................ 10950 10640 310 2.8 10890 10580 310 2.8

CERRO GORDO

(PART OF MICRO) ... 22720 21980 740 3.3 22780 22030 750 3.3

CHEROKEE ............. 6430 6170 270 4.2 6300 6040 260 4.1

CHICKASAW ............ 6790 6560 240 3.5 6680 6450 230 3.5

CLARKE ............... 4780 4610 170 3.5 4780 4620 160 3.4

CLAY ................. 8850 8580 270 3.0 8840 8570 270 3.0

CLAYTON .............. 10370 10070 300 2.9 10160 9820 350 3.4

CLINTON (MICRO) ...... 24320 23220 1100 4.5 24400 23310 1090 4.5

CRAWFORD ............. 8870 8600 280 3.1 9030 8570 460 5.0

DALLAS (PART OF MSA) . 42700 41700 1100 2.5 42700 41700 1000 2.3

DAVIS (PART OF MICRO). 4270 4040 230 5.4 4180 4000 180 4.3

DECATUR .............. 4530 4420 110 2.5 4470 4340 120 2.8

DELAWARE.............. 10830 10540 290 2.7 10720 10440 280 2.6

DES MOINES

(PART OF MICRO) ... 20710 19870 850 4.1 20910 20040 870 4.1

DICKINSON (MICRO) .... 9550 9250 300 3.1 9300 8990 320 3.4

DUBUQUE (MSA) ........ 55400 53700 1700 3.0 55500 53800 1700 3.0

EMMET ................ 5790 5610 170 3.0 5680 5510 170 3.0

FAYETTE .............. 11060 10710 350 3.2 10900 10540 370 3.4

FLOYD ................ 8590 8320 270 3.1 8510 8240 260 3.1

FRANKLIN ............. 6180 6010 170 2.8 6050 5870 180 2.9

FREMONT .............. 4310 4180 130 3.0 4220 4100 120 2.8

GREENE ............... 5610 5460 150 2.6 5470 5320 150 2.7

GRUNDY (PART OF MSA) . 6900 6700 200 3.0 6800 6600 200 3.1

GUTHRIE (PART OF MSA) 5900 5700 200 2.7 5800 5700 200 2.8

HAMILTON ............. 7330 7050 280 3.8 7220 6950 280 3.8

HANCOCK .............. 6540 6390 150 2.4 6480 6330 140 2.2

HARDIN ............... 8990 8680 310 3.5 8880 8560 310 3.5

HARRISON (PART OF MSA) 7840 7610 230 2.9 7760 7540 220 2.8

HENRY ................ 9550 9220 330 3.4 9520 9200 320 3.3

HOWARD ............... 5390 5230 170 3.1 5270 5100 170 3.2

HUMBOLDT ............. 5380 5240 150 2.7 5310 5170 130 2.5

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IDA .................. 4040 3940 110 2.7 3960 3860 100 2.5

IOWA ................. 10640 10340 300 2.8 10620 10320 300 2.8

JACKSON .............. 11150 10780 370 3.4 11060 10670 400 3.6

JASPER (MICRO) ....... 19410 18800 610 3.1 19350 18730 630 3.2

JEFFERSON (MICRO) .... 9180 8850 330 3.6 9140 8840 300 3.2

JOHNSON (PART OF MSA) 84300 82300 2000 2.4 84500 82600 1900 2.2

JONES (PART OF MSA) .. 10900 10600 300 3.1 10900 10500 400 3.3

KEOKUK ............... 5850 5620 230 3.9 5780 5580 200 3.5

KOSSUTH .............. 9020 8800 220 2.5 8820 8620 200 2.3

LEE (PART OF MICRO) .. 17160 16290 880 5.1 17170 16290 880 5.1

LINN (PART OF MSA) ... 118100 114200 3900 3.3 118700 114800 3900 3.3

LOUISA ............... 6060 5870 190 3.2 6010 5810 200 3.4

LUCAS ................ 4310 4180 130 3.1 4290 4170 120 2.8

LYON ................. 7430 7300 130 1.7 7270 7170 100 1.4

MADISON (PART OF MSA) 8400 8200 200 2.9 8400 8200 200 2.9

MAHASKA (MICRO) ...... 12010 11600 420 3.5 11960 11580 380 3.2

MARION ....... ....... 17420 16930 490 2.8 17340 16890 450 2.6

MARSHALL (MICRO) ..... 19640 18830 810 4.1 19540 18680 850 4.4

MILLS (PART OF MSA) .. 7620 7360 260 3.5 7590 7330 270 3.5

MITCHELL ............. 5680 5550 130 2.3 5510 5390 120 2.1

MONONA ............... 4800 4630 160 3.4 4720 4570 150 3.2

MONROE ............... 4140 3970 170 4.1 4070 3920 140 3.5

MONTGOMERY ........... 5200 5030 170 3.2 5200 5020 170 3.3

MUSCATINE ............

(MICRO)........... ... 21960 21190 770 3.5 21910 21130 770 3.5

O BRIEN .............. 8260 8070 190 2.3 8170 7990 180 2.2

OSCEOLA .............. 3560 3470 90 2.6 3440 3360 90 2.5

PAGE ................. 6600 6350 250 3.8 6580 6270 300 4.6

PALO ALTO ............ 4980 4840 140 2.8 4910 4770 140 2.8

PLYMOUTH (PART OF MSA) 15100 14730 370 2.4 14960 14590 370 2.5

POCAHONTAS ........... 4820 4700 110 2.3 4690 4580 110 2.4

POLK (PART OF MSA) ... 258500 250500 8000 3.1 259200 251300 7900 3.1

POTTAWATTAMIE

(PART OF MSA) ..... 49470 47900 1570 3.2 49510 47970 1540 3.1

POWESHIEK ............ 10840 10520 320 2.9 10640 10330 320 3.0

RINGGOLD ............. 2650 2570 70 2.8 2580 2500 70 2.8

SAC .................. 5770 5610 150 2.7 5650 5510 140 2.5

SCOTT (PART OF MSA) .. 84530 80830 3690 4.4 84700 80980 3720 4.4

SHELBY ............... 7220 7040 180 2.5 7140 6960 190 2.6

SIOUX ................ 21190 20800 390 1.9 20730 20400 330 1.6

STORY (MSA) .......... 59200 58000 1200 2.1 59000 57900 1100 1.9

TAMA ................. 9230 8910 320 3.5 9140 8800 330 3.6

TAYLOR ............... 3340 3240 90 2.8 3280 3190 90 2.7

UNION ................ 6790 6560 230 3.4 6730 6510 210 3.2

VAN BUREN ............ 4040 3880 150 3.8 3980 3830 150 3.6

WAPELLO(PART OF MICRO) 17940 16890 1050 5.9 17850 16990 870 4.8

WARREN (PART OF MSA) . 27200 26400 800 2.8 27200 26500 700 2.7

WASHINGTON

(PART OF MSA) ..... 12800 12500 300 2.4 12700 12400 300 2.3

WAYNE ................ 2950 2850 100 3.2 2950 2860 90 3.2

WEBSTER (MICRO) ...... 19690 18960 730 3.7 19760 19010 750 3.8

WINNEBAGO ............ 5230 5050 180 3.3 5150 4990 170 3.3

WINNESHIEK ........... 12850 12510 340 2.6 12620 12280 340 2.7

WOODBURY (PART OF MSA) 56000 54200 1800 3.2 56100 54300 1800 3.2

WORTH (PART OF MICRO). 4260 4120 140 3.2 4200 4060 140 3.2

WRIGHT ............... 7140 6910 230 3.2 6980 6770 220 3.1

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BURLINGTON ........... 24620 23560 1050 4.3 24860 23760 1110 4.4

FORT MADISON-KEOKUK .. 29690 28030 1660 5.6 29680 27980 1700 5.7

MASON CITY ........... 26980 26100 880 3.3 26970 26090 890 3.3

OTTUMWA .............. 22220 20930 1280 5.8 22030 20990 1040 4.7

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CITIES: (NOT SEASONALLY ADJ.)

AMES ................. 40100 39300 800 1.9 40000 39300 700 1.7

ANKENY ............... 30700 30100 700 2.1 30800 30200 600 2.0

BETTENDORF ........... 17150 16550 600 3.5 17110 16580 530 3.1

BURLINGTON ........... 12860 12300 560 4.3 12990 12400 590 4.5

CEDAR FALLS .......... 22800 22200 600 2.7 22800 22200 600 2.5

CEDAR RAPIDS ......... 70700 68300 2400 3.4 71000 68600 2400 3.4

CLINTON .............. 12700 12080 620 4.9 12700 12130 570 4.5

COUNCIL BLUFFS ....... 32390 31330 1050 3.2 32380 31380 1010 3.1

DAVENPORT ............ 49490 47130 2360 4.8 49590 47220 2370 4.8

DES MOINES ........... 112900 108900 4000 3.6 113300 109200 4100 3.6

DUBUQUE .............. 33300 32300 1000 3.1 33300 32300 1000 3.0

FORT DODGE ........... 12550 12060 490 3.9 12590 12090 500 4.0

IOWA CITY ............ 42900 41900 1000 2.3 42900 42000 900 2.1

MARION ............... 19300 18800 500 2.7 19400 18900 500 2.7

MARSHALLTOWN ......... 12740 12180 560 4.4 12710 12080 630 5.0

MASON CITY ........... 14380 13910 470 3.3 14420 13940 480 3.3

OTTUMWA .............. 12310 11580 730 5.9 12220 11650 580 4.7

SIOUX CITY ........... 45000 43500 1500 3.2 45000 43600 1400 3.2

URBANDALE ............ 25100 24500 600 2.4 25200 24600 500 2.2

WATERLOO ............. 35200 33600 1600 4.5 35300 33600 1700 4.8

WEST DES MOINES ...... 38000 37100 900 2.4 38000 37200 800 2.0

U.S. (SEASONALLY ADJ)\* 157028 149120 7908 5.0 157301 149364 7937 5.0

\* FIGURES ROUNDED TO NEAREST THOUSAND

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