Language Spoken at Home for Iowa's Metropolitan Areas (1999 defnition): 2000

	Population 5 years and over: 2000																		
										Lar	nguage oth	er than En	glish						
		Speak						Spanish			Other Indo-European languages			Asian and Pacific Island languages					
						Speak English				Speak English				Speak English				Speak English	
	Total	English only		Total		less than "very well"		Total		less than "very well"		Total		less than "very well"		Total		less than "very well"	
Area	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
State of Iowa	2,738,499	2,578,477	94.2%	160,022	5.8%	68,108	2.5%	79,491	2.9%	36,606	1.3%	49,032	1.8%	15,651	0.6%	25,335	0.9%	13,606	0.5%
Cedar Rapids, IA MSA	178,464	169,838	95.2%	8,626	4.8%	2,830	1.6%	3,437	1.9%	1,187	0.7%	3,077	1.7%	740	0.4%	1,447	0.8%	585	0.3%
DavenportMolineRock Island																			
IAIL MSA	335,426	313,508	93.5%	21,918	6.5%	9,031	2.7%	13,528	4.0%	6,046	1.8%	5,208	1.6%	1,506	0.4%	2,668	0.8%	1,330	0.4%
Scott county (IA part)	147,593	139,307	94.4%	8,286	5.6%	3,365	2.3%	3,980	2.7%	1,569	1.1%	2,291	1.6%	710	0.5%	1,684	1.1%	1,007	0.7%
Des Moines, IA MSA	421,780	387,444	91.9%	34,336	8.1%	16,867	4.0%	16,034	3.8%	8,101	1.9%	9,533	2.3%	3,990	0.9%	7,359	1.7%	3,995	0.9%
Dubuque, IA MSA	83,184	79,868	96.0%	3,316	4.0%	1,301	1.6%	1,652	2.0%	648	0.8%	1,289	1.5%	454	0.5%	285	0.3%	170	0.2%
Iowa City, IA MSA	104,761	93,749	89.5%	11,012	10.5%	3,803	3.6%	3,286	3.1%	1,097	1.0%	3,725	3.6%	958	0.9%	3,156	3.0%	1,461	1.4%
Omaha, NEIA MSA	664,362	611,567	92.1%	52,795	7.9%	23,772	3.6%	31,144	4.7%	16,232	2.4%	12,263	1.8%	3,317	0.5%	6,992	1.1%	3,312	0.5%
Pottawattamie county (IA part)	81,997	78,283	95.5%	3,714	4.5%	1,344	1.6%	2,182	2.7%	886	1.1%	1,052	1.3%	212	0.3%	336	0.4%	161	0.2%
Sioux City, IANE MSA	114,714	98,818	86.1%	15,896	13.9%	8,977	7.8%	11,728	10.2%	6,910	6.0%	1,404	1.2%	284	0.2%	2,438	2.1%	1,710	1.5%
Woodbury county (IA part)	96,157	84,839	88.2%	11,318	11.8%	6,291	6.5%	7,774	8.1%	4,579	4.8%	1,231	1.3%	252	0.3%	2,004	2.1%	1,387	1.4%
WaterlooCedar Falls, IA MSA	120,253	112,431	93.5%	7,822	6.5%	3,461	2.9%	3,104	2.6%	1,328	1.1%	3,623	3.0%	1,641	1.4%	822	0.7%	422	0.4%

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Decennial Census

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