

Population Estimates and Rankings for Population, Numerical Change, and Percent Change
for Iowa Micropolitan Areas (2003 definition): 2000-2006

Area name ¹	July 1, 2006 population estimate		April 1, 2000 population estimates base		Population change			
	Total	Rank	Total	Rank	Numerical		Percent	
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Boone, IA	26,584	11	26,224	11	360	4	1.4%	4
Burlington, IA-IL	48,704	4	50,564	3	-1,860	14	-3.7%	13
Clinton, IA	49,782	3	50,149	4	-367	10	-0.7%	9
Fort Dodge, IA	38,960	7	40,235	6	-1,275	12	-3.2%	11
Fort Madison-Keokuk, IA-MO	43,643	5	45,468	5	-1,825	13	-4.0%	14
Marshalltown, IA	39,555	6	39,311	7	244	5	0.6%	5
Mason City, IA	52,082	2	54,356	1	-2,274	15	-4.2%	15
Muscatine, IA	54,741	1	53,905	2	836	2	1.6%	3
Newton, IA	37,409	8	37,213	8	196	6	0.5%	6
Oskaloosa, IA	22,298	12	22,335	12	-37	7	-0.2%	8
Ottumwa, IA	36,010	9	36,051	9	-41	8	-0.1%	7
Pella, IA	32,987	10	32,054	10	933	1	2.9%	2
Spencer, IA	16,801	15	17,372	14	-571	11	-3.3%	12
Spirit Lake, IA	16,924	14	16,424	15	500	3	3.0%	1
Storm Lake, IA	20,091	13	20,411	13	-320	9	-1.6%	10

¹ Micropolitan areas as defined in 2003

Note: Change is calculated from the April 1, 2000 estimates base. The estimates base includes modifications to the Census 2000 Population as documented in the Count Question Resolution program, updates from the Boundary and Annexation Survey, and geographic program revisions. Caution is urged in making year-to-year comparisons of population estimates. When the Census Bureau releases new population estimates for the current year, it also revises estimates for previous years in the decade.

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