Housing Units and Households in Iowa: 1980 - 2004

		Households 2		
	Housing		Lower	Upper
Date ¹	units	Number	bound	bound
2004	1,292,976			
2003	1,272,179	1,158,018	1,146,474	1,169,562
2002	1,259,083	1,145,564	1,134,578	1,156,550
2001	1,246,409	1,143,554	1,126,676	1,160,432
2000	1,235,299	1,141,291	1,133,760	1,148,822
2000 census	1,232,511	1,149,276		
1998	1,208,296	1,103,360		
1997	1,200,189	1,101,533		
1996	1,191,531	1,099,266		
1995	1,181,027	1,092,727		
1994	1,170,445	1,082,568		
1993	1,161,545	1,082,916		
1992	1,153,601	1,082,236		
1991	1,148,563	1,068,947		
1990 census	1,143,669	1,064,325		
1989	1,142,309	1,063,928		
1988	1,141,181	1,058,464		
1987	1,141,154	1,047,399		
1986	1,141,512	1,048,359		
1985	1,142,001	1,054,816		
1984	1,140,582	1,056,660		
1983	1,138,778	1,049,382		
1982	1,138,563	1,054,664		
1981	1,137,554	1,060,547		
1980 census	1,131,299	1,053,033		

¹ All census data are for April 1. Housing unit estimates are for July 1 of each year. Household estimates before the 2000 census are for July 1 of each year. Household estimates after the 2000 census are based on twelve monthly samples during the calendar year.

Note: Caution is urged in making year-to-year comparisons of housing unit estimates. When the Census Bureau releases new housing estimates for the current year, it also revises estimates for previous years in the decade.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census

2000-2004 housing units: Population Division, Table HU-EST2004-01 - State Housing Unit Estimates, July 21, 2005

2002+ households: American Community Survey, Table P007

2000-2001 households: Decennial Supplementary Survey, Table P007

1980-1998 housing units and households: Population Division, http://eire.census.gov/popest/archives/1990.php#household

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² Household data after the 2000 census are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate is represented through the use of a confidence interval. The confidence interval computed here is a 90 percent confidence interval and can be interpreted roughly as providing 90 percent certainty that the true number falls between the lower and upper bounds.