

Household Relationships in Iowa: 1950 - 2000

Year	Total population	Population in households							
		Total	Householder	Spouse	Child		Other relatives ¹		Total nonrelatives
					Total ³	Under age 18 ²	Total ³	Under age 18 ³	
2000	2,926,324	2,822,155	1,149,276	633,254	831,984	686,153	72,519	29,297	135,122
1990	2,776,755	2,677,235	1,064,325	629,893	833,262	682,157	55,755	21,696	94,000
1980	2,913,808	2,817,473	1,053,033	677,127	951,171	785,953	67,431	26,877	68,711
1970	2,824,376	2,733,699	896,311	645,082	1,078,538	935,611	75,276	27,483	38,492
1960	2,757,537	2,687,341	841,357	637,711	1,073,474	949,334	96,030	24,667	39,659
1950 ⁴	2,611,540	2,529,780	768,080	620,385	929,010	767,280	142,230	37,930	70,075

¹ "Other relatives" includes grandchildren, parents, son- or daughter-in-law, sibling and all other relatives of householder

² Data for 1970, 1980, 1990 and 2000 are for householder's never-married children under age 18. Data for 1950 and 1960 are for householder's children under 18 regardless of marital status

³ 1960 data are based on a 20 percent sample

⁴ 1950 data are based on a 20 percent sample

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Censuses

2000 Census: SF1, Table DP-1

1990 Census: STF1, Tables P015 and P021

1980 Census: General Population Characteristics - Iowa, PC80-1-B17, Table 21

1970 Census: General Population Characteristics - Iowa, PC1-B17, Table 22

1960 Census: 1960 Characteristics of Population, Vol.1 - Part 17, Tables 19 and 106

1950 Census: Vol. II- Characteristics of Population - Part 15, Table 58

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