

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States: 2006-2008
 Data Set: 2006-2008 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
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 Geographic Area: Congressional District 3, Iowa (110th Congress)

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Selected Social	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-)
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE				
Total households	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)
Family households (families)	167,165	2,003	66.2%	0.7
With own children under 18 years	80,234	1,579	31.8%	0.6
Married-couple family	133,110	2,075	52.7%	0.7
With own children under 18 years	57,773	1,530	22.9%	0.6
Male householder, no wife present, family	9,726	800	3.9%	0.3
With own children under 18 years	5,868	639	2.3%	0.3
Female householder, no husband present, family	24,329	1,082	9.6%	0.4
With own children under 18 years	16,593	905	6.6%	0.4
Nonfamily households	85,383	1,978	33.8%	0.7
Householder living alone	70,865	1,972	28.1%	0.7
65 years and over	24,459	1,176	9.7%	0.5
Households with one or more people under 18 years	85,143	1,657	33.7%	0.6
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	55,916	990	22.1%	0.3
Average household size	2.42	0.01	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.97	0.02	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
Population in households	610,199	2,580	610,199	(X)
Householder	252,548	1,886	41.4%	0.2
Spouse	133,047	2,041	21.8%	0.3
Child	177,667	2,195	29.1%	0.3
Other relatives	19,158	1,499	3.1%	0.2
Nonrelatives	27,779	1,688	4.6%	0.3

Unmarried partner	15,067	963	2.5%	0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
Males 15 years and over	239,783	359	239,783	(X)
Never married	68,768	1,526	28.7%	0.6
Now married, except separated	140,036	2,090	58.4%	0.9
Separated	3,393	653	1.4%	0.3
Widowed	5,103	462	2.1%	0.2
Divorced	22,483	1,264	9.4%	0.5
Females 15 years and over				
Females 15 years and over	254,704	311	254,704	(X)
Never married	58,714	1,504	23.1%	0.6
Now married, except separated	137,211	2,253	53.9%	0.9
Separated	4,417	734	1.7%	0.3
Widowed	24,476	899	9.6%	0.4
Divorced	29,886	1,556	11.7%	0.6
FERTILITY				
Number of women 15 to 50 years old who had a birth in the past 12 months	9,117	791	9,117	(X)
Unmarried women (widowed, divorced, and never married)	2,414	410	26.5%	3.8
Per 1,000 unmarried women	34	6	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	59	5	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	21	7	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	117	11	(X)	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	22	5	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	6,649	797	6,649	(X)
Responsible for grandchildren	2,972	485	44.7%	5.5
Years responsible for grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	657	244	9.9%	4
1 or 2 years	764	349	11.5%	4.9
3 or 4 years	428	183	6.4%	2.6
5 or more years	1,123	355	16.9%	4.8

Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	2,972	485	2,972	(X)
Who are female	1,777	298	59.8%	5.1
Who are married	2,296	476	77.3%	7.6
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT				
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	161,852	1,939	161,852	(X)
Nursery school, preschool	12,302	901	7.6%	0.5
Kindergarten	8,759	719	5.4%	0.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	68,068	1,017	42.1%	0.8
High school (grades 9-12)	36,311	1,019	22.4%	0.6
College or graduate school	36,412	1,804	22.5%	0.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Population 25 years and over	414,463	387	414,463	(X)
Less than 9th grade	14,727	1,144	3.6%	0.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	24,825	1,456	6.0%	0.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	135,672	2,541	32.7%	0.6
Some college, no degree	86,667	2,066	20.9%	0.5
Associate's degree	36,963	1,711	8.9%	0.4
Bachelor's degree	82,567	2,338	19.9%	0.6
Graduate or professional degree	33,042	1,437	8.0%	0.3
Percent high school graduate or higher	90.5%	0.4	(X)	(X)
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	27.9%	0.6	(X)	(X)
VETERAN STATUS				
Civilian population 18 years and over	467,276	360	467,276	(X)
Civilian veterans	48,638	1,544	10.4%	0.3
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION				
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a disability	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO				
Population 1 year and over	618,630	723	618,630	(X)
Same house	513,244	4,095	83.0%	0.7
Different house in the U.S.	103,134	4,057	16.7%	0.7
Same county	64,714	3,455	10.5%	0.6
Different county	38,420	2,601	6.2%	0.4
Same state	22,663	1,712	3.7%	0.3
Different state	15,757	1,830	2.5%	0.3
Abroad	2,252	646	0.4%	0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	627,806	****	627,806	(X)
Native	595,593	2,359	94.9%	0.4
Born in United States	592,302	2,411	94.3%	0.4
State of residence	461,189	4,040	73.5%	0.6
Different state	131,113	3,541	20.9%	0.6
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to American parent(s)	3,291	524	0.5%	0.1
Foreign born	32,213	2,359	5.1%	0.4
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Foreign-born population	32,213	2,359	32,213	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	12,538	1,232	38.9%	3.5
Not a U.S. citizen	19,675	2,077	61.1%	3.5
YEAR OF ENTRY				
Population born outside the United States	35,504	2,411	35,504	(X)
Native	3,291	524	3,291	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	472	210	14.3%	5.5
Entered before 2000	2,819	451	85.7%	5.5
Foreign born	32,213	2,359	32,213	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	11,672	1,916	36.2%	4.3
Entered before 2000	20,541	1,512	63.8%	4.3

WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN				
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	32,213	2,359	32,213	(X)
Europe	6,607	1,236	20.5%	3
Asia	10,561	660	32.8%	2.5
Africa	2,476	998	7.7%	2.7
Oceania	32	36	0.1%	0.1
Latin America	11,930	999	37.0%	2.9
Northern America	607	205	1.9%	0.6
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME				
Population 5 years and over	581,607	235	581,607	(X)
English only	534,204	2,650	91.8%	0.5
Language other than English	47,403	2,661	8.2%	0.5
Speak English less than "very well"	20,856	1,639	3.6%	0.3
Spanish	23,428	1,257	4.0%	0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	11,136	939	1.9%	0.2
Other Indo-European languages	10,855	1,523	1.9%	0.3
Speak English less than "very well"	3,736	847	0.6%	0.1
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	9,778	718	1.7%	0.1
Speak English less than "very well"	4,625	653	0.8%	0.1
Other languages	3,342	1,025	0.6%	0.2
Speak English less than "very well"	1,359	544	0.2%	0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	627,806	*****	627,806	(X)
American	34,075	1,953	5.4%	0.3
Arab	1,045	348	0.2%	0.1
Czech	11,464	1,196	1.8%	0.2
Danish	9,564	962	1.5%	0.2
Dutch	46,674	2,683	7.4%	0.4
English	67,121	2,990	10.7%	0.5
French (except Basque)	15,494	1,301	2.5%	0.2
French Canadian	1,922	472	0.3%	0.1
German	207,830	3,761	33.1%	0.6
Greek	1,974	570	0.3%	0.1
Hungarian	866	287	0.1%	0.1
Irish	98,559	3,186	15.7%	0.5

Italian	22,987	2,069	3.7%	0.3
Lithuanian	726	368	0.1%	0.1
Norwegian	28,882	1,869	4.6%	0.3
Polish	8,616	1,157	1.4%	0.2
Portuguese	454	240	0.1%	0.1
Russian	2,222	437	0.4%	0.1
Scotch-Irish	11,254	935	1.8%	0.1
Scottish	12,569	1,065	2.0%	0.2
Slovak	584	266	0.1%	0.1
Subsaharan African	3,249	1,195	0.5%	0.2
Swedish	19,536	1,524	3.1%	0.2
Swiss	2,232	505	0.4%	0.1
Ukrainian	378	214	0.1%	0.1
Welsh	7,024	974	1.1%	0.2
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups)	213	148	0.0%	0.1

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Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

-Ancestry listed in this table refers to the total number of people who responded with a particular ancestry; for example, the estimate given for Russian represents the number of people who listed Russian as either their first or second ancestry. This table lists only the largest ancestry groups; see the Detailed Tables for more categories. Race and Hispanic origin groups are not included in this table because official data for those groups come from the Race and Hispanic origin questions rather than the ancestry question (see Demographic Table).

-The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Because of contextual differences between the 2008 disability data and disability data collected in the previous two years, the Census Bureau is unable to combine the 3 years of disability data in order to produce the multi-year estimate that would appear in this table. Multi-year estimates of disability status will become available once three consecutive years of data are collected. For more information about the differences between the 2008 and prior year's disability questions, and the evaluation of these questions in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the Evaluation Report Covering Disability.

-Data for year of entry of the native population reflect the year of entry into the U.S. by people who were born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island Areas or born outside the U.S. to a U.S. citizen parent and who subsequently moved to the U.S.

-While the 2008 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2007 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities. The 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey (PRCS) data generally reflect the November 2007 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the

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EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	485,350	683	485,350	(X)
In labor force	349,366	2,565	72.0%	0.5
Civilian labor force	348,757	2,576	71.9%	0.5
Employed	332,704	2,663	68.5%	0.5
Unemployed	16,053	1,181	3.3%	0.2
Armed Forces	609	202	0.1%	0.1
Not in labor force	135,984	2,572	28.0%	0.5
Civilian labor force				
Civilian labor force	348,757	2,576	348,757	(X)
Percent Unemployed	4.6%	0.3	(X)	(X)
Females 16 years and over				
Females 16 years and over	250,086	494	250,086	(X)
In labor force	166,966	1,870	66.8%	0.7
Civilian labor force	166,923	1,878	66.7%	0.8
Employed	159,595	1,995	63.8%	0.8
Own children under 6 years				
Own children under 6 years	52,574	942	52,574	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	37,842	1,274	72.0%	2.1
Own children 6 to 17 years				
Own children 6 to 17 years	100,651	1,043	100,651	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	80,732	1,875	80.2%	1.7
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	324,047	2,859	324,047	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	259,101	2,947	80.0%	0.7
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	35,136	1,907	10.8%	0.6
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	4,464	787	1.4%	0.2
Walked	8,642	947	2.7%	0.3
Other means	3,278	543	1.0%	0.2
Worked at home	13,426	1,038	4.1%	0.3

Mean travel time to work (minutes)	19.3	0.2	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	332,704	2,663	332,704	(X)
Management, professional, and related occupations	117,530	2,511	35.3%	0.8
Service occupations	48,644	1,896	14.6%	0.5
Sales and office occupations	91,643	2,432	27.5%	0.7
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1,796	333	0.5%	0.1
Construction, extraction, maintenance and repair occupations	27,216	1,370	8.2%	0.4
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	45,875	1,860	13.8%	0.6
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	332,704	2,663	332,704	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	7,791	703	2.3%	0.2
Construction	22,224	1,230	6.7%	0.4
Manufacturing	40,602	1,860	12.2%	0.6
Wholesale trade	12,097	874	3.6%	0.3
Retail trade	36,855	1,722	11.1%	0.5
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	15,040	882	4.5%	0.3
Information	9,494	773	2.9%	0.2
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	43,598	1,576	13.1%	0.5
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	25,011	1,375	7.5%	0.4
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	69,269	2,056	20.8%	0.6
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services	24,414	1,466	7.3%	0.4
Other services, except public administration	14,122	1,079	4.2%	0.3
Public administration	12,187	860	3.7%	0.3

CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	332,704	2,663	332,704	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	271,215	2,937	81.5%	0.6
Government workers	40,092	1,656	12.1%	0.5
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	20,827	1,244	6.3%	0.4
Unpaid family workers	570	200	0.2%	0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2008 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)
Less than \$10,000	14,291	1,057	5.7%	0.4
\$10,000 to \$14,999	12,422	1,019	4.9%	0.4
\$15,000 to \$24,999	25,666	1,190	10.2%	0.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	26,509	1,422	10.5%	0.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	38,075	1,465	15.1%	0.6
\$50,000 to \$74,999	54,237	1,729	21.5%	0.7
\$75,000 to \$99,999	34,857	1,343	13.8%	0.5
\$100,000 to \$149,999	30,502	1,390	12.1%	0.6
\$150,000 to \$199,999	8,590	671	3.4%	0.3
\$200,000 or more	7,399	633	2.9%	0.2
Median household income (dollars)	53,721	623	(X)	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	68,032	1,004	(X)	(X)
With earnings	210,470	2,232	83.3%	0.5
Mean earnings (dollars)	67,601	1,054	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	64,598	1,137	25.6%	0.4
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	15,434	214	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	39,428	1,390	15.6%	0.5
Mean retirement income (dollars)	17,187	893	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	7,250	644	2.9%	0.3
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	8,025	549	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	5,610	554	2.2%	0.2
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	2,300	292	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	20,116	1,251	8.0%	0.5

Families	167,165	2,003	167,165	(X)
Less than \$10,000	4,698	679	2.8%	0.4
\$10,000 to \$14,999	4,322	707	2.6%	0.4
\$15,000 to \$24,999	11,603	786	6.9%	0.5
\$25,000 to \$34,999	13,673	927	8.2%	0.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	22,715	1,107	13.6%	0.7
\$50,000 to \$74,999	39,481	1,497	23.6%	0.9
\$75,000 to \$99,999	29,236	1,306	17.5%	0.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	26,997	1,336	16.1%	0.8
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7,882	689	4.7%	0.4
\$200,000 or more	6,558	539	3.9%	0.3
Median family income (dollars)	66,718	1,008	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	81,076	1,474	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	27,765	392	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	85,383	1,978	85,383	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	31,648	706	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	40,410	1,112	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	30,840	340	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	44,856	704	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	35,242	662	(X)	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	6.6%	0.6	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	10.6%	0.9	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	12.6%	2.2	(X)	(X)
Married couple families	2.7%	0.4	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	3.8%	0.7	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	3.2%	1.4	(X)	(X)
Families with female householder, no husband present	25.5%	2.8	(X)	(X)

With related children under 18 years	32.0%	3.4	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	44.6%	7.3	(X)	(X)
All people	9.7%	0.6	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	12.7%	1.3	(X)	(X)
Related children under 18 years	12.3%	1.3	(X)	(X)
Related children under 5 years	16.3%	2	(X)	(X)
Related children 5 to 17 years	10.7%	1.4	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	8.7%	0.4	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	9.0%	0.5	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	7.3%	0.8	(X)	(X)
People in families	7.2%	0.7	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	20.7%	1.1	(X)	(X)

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HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	273,443	1,087	273,443	(X)
Occupied housing units	252,548	1,886	92.4%	0.5
Vacant housing units	20,895	1,460	7.6%	0.5
Homeowner vacancy rate	2	0.4	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	6.7	1.3	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	273,443	1,087	273,443	(X)
1-unit, detached	193,462	1,998	70.8%	0.6
1-unit, attached	14,399	983	5.3%	0.4
2 units	5,530	782	2.0%	0.3
3 or 4 units	7,183	717	2.6%	0.3
5 to 9 units	10,189	934	3.7%	0.3
10 to 19 units	12,143	1,137	4.4%	0.4
20 or more units	20,856	1,078	7.6%	0.4
Mobile home	9,546	659	3.5%	0.2
Boat, RV, van, etc.	135	115	0.0%	0.1
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	273,443	1,087	273,443	(X)
Built 2005 or later	10,017	806	3.7%	0.3
Built 2000 to 2004	22,397	1,158	8.2%	0.4
Built 1990 to 1999	36,137	1,545	13.2%	0.6
Built 1980 to 1989	25,468	1,343	9.3%	0.5
Built 1970 to 1979	42,835	1,700	15.7%	0.6
Built 1960 to 1969	27,766	1,342	10.2%	0.5
Built 1950 to 1959	30,182	1,310	11.0%	0.5
Built 1940 to 1949	15,468	1,076	5.7%	0.4
Built 1939 or earlier	63,173	1,729	23.1%	0.6
ROOMS				
Total housing units	273,443	1,087	273,443	(X)
1 room	3,950	643	1.4%	0.2
2 rooms	7,204	708	2.6%	0.3

3 rooms	20,250	1,038	7.4%	0.4
4 rooms	48,044	1,784	17.6%	0.7
5 rooms	52,855	1,630	19.3%	0.6
6 rooms	46,023	1,677	16.8%	0.6
7 rooms	35,649	1,446	13.0%	0.5
8 rooms	27,704	1,313	10.1%	0.5
9 rooms or more	31,764	1,200	11.6%	0.4
Median rooms	5.6	0.1	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	273,443	1,087	273,443	(X)
No bedroom	5,265	644	1.9%	0.2
1 bedroom	25,731	1,008	9.4%	0.4
2 bedrooms	82,958	2,163	30.3%	0.8
3 bedrooms	104,231	2,274	38.1%	0.8
4 bedrooms	45,202	1,552	16.5%	0.6
5 or more bedrooms	10,056	735	3.7%	0.3
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)
Owner-occupied	186,013	1,870	73.7%	0.6
Renter-occupied	66,535	1,803	26.3%	0.6
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	77,136	1,988	30.5%	0.7
Moved in 2000 to 2004	65,704	1,675	26.0%	0.6
Moved in 1990 to 1999	54,520	1,506	21.6%	0.6
Moved in 1980 to 1989	22,738	859	9.0%	0.3
Moved in 1970 to 1979	16,408	840	6.5%	0.3
Moved in 1969 or earlier	16,042	940	6.4%	0.4
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)
No vehicles available	13,442	990	5.3%	0.4
1 vehicle available	75,587	2,111	29.9%	0.8
2 vehicles available	104,048	2,366	41.2%	0.9
3 or more vehicles available	59,471	1,744	23.5%	0.7
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)

Utility gas	175,729	1,961	69.6%	0.6
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	24,223	945	9.6%	0.4
Electricity	43,964	1,537	17.4%	0.6
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	1,882	215	0.7%	0.1
Coal or coke	6	11	0.0%	0.1
Wood	3,311	500	1.3%	0.2
Solar energy	21	35	0.0%	0.1
Other fuel	2,126	433	0.8%	0.2
No fuel used	1,286	385	0.5%	0.2
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	721	226	0.3%	0.1
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	1,186	293	0.5%	0.1
No telephone service available	8,435	884	3.3%	0.3
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	252,548	1,886	252,548	(X)
1.00 or less	248,283	1,984	98.3%	0.3
1.01 to 1.50	3,348	605	1.3%	0.2
1.51 or more	917	278	0.4%	0.1
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	186,013	1,870	186,013	(X)
Less than \$50,000	13,980	871	7.5%	0.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	40,622	1,558	21.8%	0.8
\$100,000 to \$149,999	50,126	1,363	26.9%	0.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999	39,226	1,478	21.1%	0.8
\$200,000 to \$299,999	27,835	1,000	15.0%	0.5
\$300,000 to \$499,999	11,151	756	6.0%	0.4
\$500,000 to \$999,999	2,506	376	1.3%	0.2
\$1,000,000 or more	567	144	0.3%	0.1
Median (dollars)	137,800	1,553	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	186,013	1,870	186,013	(X)
Housing units with a mortgage	130,677	1,847	70.3%	0.8
Housing units without a mortgage	55,336	1,585	29.7%	0.8
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	130,677	1,847	130,677	(X)
Less than \$300	331	136	0.3%	0.1
\$300 to \$499	2,875	463	2.2%	0.3

\$500 to \$699	7,945	666	6.1%	0.5
\$700 to \$999	25,242	1,162	19.3%	0.8
\$1,000 to \$1,499	50,586	1,659	38.7%	1.1
\$1,500 to \$1,999	26,277	1,055	20.1%	0.8
\$2,000 or more	17,421	916	13.3%	0.7
Median (dollars)	1,270	14	(X)	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage				
	55,336	1,585	55,336	(X)
Less than \$100	276	116	0.5%	0.2
\$100 to \$199	1,844	277	3.3%	0.5
\$200 to \$299	8,425	642	15.2%	1.1
\$300 to \$399	13,626	922	24.6%	1.4
\$400 or more	31,165	1,169	56.3%	1.5
Median (dollars)	428	6	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)				
	130,542	1,845	130,542	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	55,890	1,537	42.8%	1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	24,414	1,248	18.7%	0.9
25.0 to 29.9 percent	16,543	872	12.7%	0.7
30.0 to 34.9 percent	9,696	704	7.4%	0.6
35.0 percent or more	23,999	1,217	18.4%	0.8
Not computed	135	80	(X)	(X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)				
	55,087	1,568	55,087	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	22,129	1,024	40.2%	1.4
10.0 to 14.9 percent	10,920	651	19.8%	1.1
15.0 to 19.9 percent	7,361	679	13.4%	1.2
20.0 to 24.9 percent	4,742	515	8.6%	0.9
25.0 to 29.9 percent	2,614	404	4.7%	0.7
30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,675	251	3.0%	0.5
35.0 percent or more	5,646	578	10.2%	1
Not computed	249	117	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	62,450	1,787	62,450	(X)

Less than \$200	1,799	391	2.9%	0.6
\$200 to \$299	2,363	373	3.8%	0.6
\$300 to \$499	9,653	798	15.5%	1.2
\$500 to \$749	26,280	1,278	42.1%	1.8
\$750 to \$999	14,471	1,074	23.2%	1.6
\$1,000 to \$1,499	6,303	820	10.1%	1.2
\$1,500 or more	1,581	307	2.5%	0.5
Median (dollars)	668	8	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	4,085	491	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	61,515	1,762	61,515	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	9,106	817	14.8%	1.2
15.0 to 19.9 percent	9,147	842	14.9%	1.3
20.0 to 24.9 percent	7,953	806	12.9%	1.3
25.0 to 29.9 percent	7,971	890	13.0%	1.4
30.0 to 34.9 percent	5,114	676	8.3%	1.1
35.0 percent or more	22,224	1,153	36.1%	1.6
Not computed	5,020	602	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006-2008 American Community Survey

ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates: 2006-2008
 Data Set: 2006-2008 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
 Survey: American Community Survey
 Geographic Area: Congressional District 3, Iowa (110th Congress)

NOTE. Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties. For more information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see Survey Methodology.

ACS Demographic	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-)
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	627,806	*****	627,806	(X)
Male	308,310	388	49.1%	0.1
Female	319,496	388	50.9%	0.1
Under 5 years	46,199	235	7.4%	0.1
5 to 9 years	43,494	1,207	6.9%	0.2
10 to 14 years	43,626	1,189	6.9%	0.2
15 to 19 years	41,851	386	6.7%	0.1
20 to 24 years	38,173	401	6.1%	0.1
25 to 34 years	82,435	290	13.1%	0.1
35 to 44 years	91,479	330	14.6%	0.1
45 to 54 years	92,480	254	14.7%	0.1
55 to 59 years	38,200	1,115	6.1%	0.2
60 to 64 years	28,838	1,116	4.6%	0.2
65 to 74 years	39,570	138	6.3%	0.1
75 to 84 years	28,926	859	4.6%	0.1
85 years and over	12,535	828	2.0%	0.1
Median age (years)	37.1	0.2	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	467,885	279	74.5%	0.1
21 years and over	445,098	804	70.9%	0.1
62 years and over	97,327	864	15.5%	0.1
65 years and over	81,031	108	12.9%	0.1
18 years and over	467,885	279	467,885	(X)
Male	226,213	265	48.3%	0.1
Female	241,672	256	51.7%	0.1
65 years and over	81,031	108	81,031	(X)
Male	33,446	50	41.3%	0.1
Female	47,585	87	58.7%	0.1
RACE				
Total population	627,806	*****	627,806	(X)
One race	617,788	1,289	98.4%	0.2
Two or more races	10,018	1,289	1.6%	0.2
One race	617,788	1,289	98.4%	0.2
White	565,006	1,615	90.0%	0.3
Black or African American	22,326	854	3.6%	0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	2,488	278	0.4%	0.1

Cherokee tribal grouping	343	215	0.1%	0.1
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	127	0.0%	0.1
Navajo tribal grouping	30	31	0.0%	0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	112	86	0.0%	0.1
Asian	14,498	587	2.3%	0.1
Asian Indian	2,745	594	0.4%	0.1
Chinese	1,469	368	0.2%	0.1
Filipino	693	343	0.1%	0.1
Japanese	394	287	0.1%	0.1
Korean	1,438	638	0.2%	0.1
Vietnamese	3,939	935	0.6%	0.1
Other Asian	3,820	869	0.6%	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	118	110	0.0%	0.1
Native Hawaiian	N	N	N	N
Guamanian or Chamorro	N	N	N	N
Samoan	N	N	N	N
Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N
Some other race	13,352	1,475	2.1%	0.2
Two or more races	10,018	1,289	1.6%	0.2
White and Black or African American	3,522	761	0.6%	0.1
White and American Indian and Alaska Native	2,283	334	0.4%	0.1
White and Asian	1,506	436	0.2%	0.1
Black or African American and American Indian and Alaska Native	171	129	0.0%	0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races				
Total population	627,806	*****	627,806	(X)
White	574,384	1,876	91.5%	0.3
Black or African American	26,544	296	4.2%	0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	5,290	512	0.8%	0.1
Asian	16,530	531	2.6%	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	256	176	0.0%	0.1
Some other race	15,374	1,616	2.4%	0.3
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	627,806	*****	627,806	(X)
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	29,800	167	4.7%	0.1
Mexican	23,676	1,018	3.8%	0.2

Puerto Rican	590	239	0.1%	0.1
Cuban	432	224	0.1%	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	5,102	1,004	0.8%	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	598,006	167	95.3%	0.1
White alone	550,648	253	87.7%	0.1
Black or African American alone	22,112	852	3.5%	0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	2,238	251	0.4%	0.1
Asian alone	14,257	500	2.3%	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	118	110	0.0%	0.1
Some other race alone	520	220	0.1%	0.1
Two or more races	8,113	1,025	1.3%	0.2
Two races including Some other race	405	217	0.1%	0.1
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	7,708	990	1.2%	0.2
Total housing units	273,443	1,087	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006-2008 American Community Survey