

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States: 2008
 Data Set: 2008 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates
 Survey: American Community Survey
 Geographic Area: Black Hawk County, Iowa

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HOUSEHOLDS BY				
Total households	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
(families)	32,043	1,542	62.6%	2.6
under 18 years	12,516	1,353	24.4%	2.5
Married-couple family	24,373	1,287	47.6%	2.3
under 18 years	8,517	905	16.6%	1.7
wife present, family	2,091	648	4.1%	1.2
under 18 years	1,018	497	2.0%	1
no husband present,	5,579	929	10.9%	1.8
under 18 years	2,981	867	5.8%	1.7
Nonfamily households	19,168	1,412	37.4%	2.6
alone	14,738	1,309	28.8%	2.6
65 years and over	4,894	924	9.6%	1.8
more people under 18	14,365	1,388	28.1%	2.5
more people 65 years	12,330	800	24.1%	1.7
Average household size	2.39	0.04	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.93	0.09	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
households	122,313	1,911	122,313	(X)
Householder	51,211	1,243	41.9%	0.7
Spouse	24,428	1,232	20.0%	1
Child	31,261	1,617	25.6%	1.3
Other relatives	6,200	1,567	5.1%	1.3
Nonrelatives	9,213	1,531	7.5%	1.2
Unmarried partner	2,479	763	2.0%	0.6
MARITAL STATUS				
over	49,609	433	49,609	(X)
Never married	18,872	1,297	38.0%	2.6
separated	25,378	1,318	51.2%	2.6
Separated	451	346	0.9%	0.7
Widowed	698	303	1.4%	0.6
Divorced	4,210	868	8.5%	1.8

and over	54,804	395	54,804	(X)
Never married	17,532	1,156	32.0%	2
separated	25,599	1,441	46.7%	2.7
Separated	826	431	1.5%	0.8
Widowed	5,326	894	9.7%	1.6
Divorced	5,521	879	10.1%	1.6
FERTILITY				
15 to 50 years old	1,450	553	1,450	(X)
(widowed, divorced, and	473	322	32.6%	20
women	25	17	(X)	(X)
50 years old	44	17	(X)	(X)
to 19 years old	14	23	(X)	(X)
to 34 years old	70	31	(X)	(X)
to 50 years old	23	18	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
grandparents living	2,193	760	2,193	(X)
grandchildren	1,392	591	63.5%	15
grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	639	400	29.1%	15.4
1 or 2 years	477	303	21.8%	12.1
3 or 4 years	202	228	9.2%	9.2
5 or more years	74	87	3.4%	4.3
grandparents	1,392	591	1,392	(X)
Who are female	1,073	434	77.1%	12.8
Who are married	843	487	60.6%	20.4
SCHOOL				
and over enrolled in	40,437	1,759	40,437	(X)
preschool	2,421	702	6.0%	1.7
Kindergarten	1,747	588	4.3%	1.5
(grades 1-8)	12,122	670	30.0%	1.8
12)	6,077	781	15.0%	2.1
school	18,070	1,725	44.7%	2.7
EDUCATIONAL				
and over	80,132	899	80,132	(X)
Less than 9th grade	2,887	910	3.6%	1.1
diploma	5,047	883	6.3%	1.1
(includes equivalency)	26,222	2,130	32.7%	2.6
degree	19,818	1,971	24.7%	2.4
Associate's degree	6,782	1,265	8.5%	1.6
Bachelor's degree	13,266	1,475	16.6%	1.9
professional degree	6,110	938	7.6%	1.2
graduate or higher	90.1%	1.6	(X)	(X)
degree or higher	24.2%	2.2	(X)	(X)

VETERAN STATUS				
18 years and over	99,687	215	99,687	(X)
Civilian veterans	9,588	1,090	9.6%	1.1
DISABILITY STATUS				
Noninstitutionalized	127,060	1,063	127,060	(X)
With a disability	14,886	1,760	11.7%	1.4
Under 18 years				
Under 18 years	28,561	203	28,561	(X)
With a disability	1,494	696	5.2%	2.4
18 to 64 years				
18 to 64 years	81,049	897	81,049	(X)
With a disability	7,362	1,344	9.1%	1.6
65 years and over				
65 years and over	17,450	797	17,450	(X)
With a disability	6,030	969	34.6%	5
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR				
and over	126,583	687	126,583	(X)
Same house	99,386	3,087	78.5%	2.4
U.S.	26,849	3,025	21.2%	2.4
Same county	16,125	2,994	12.7%	2.4
Different county	10,724	2,170	8.5%	1.7
Same state	7,625	1,619	6.0%	1.3
Different state	3,099	1,327	2.4%	1
Abroad	348	282	0.3%	0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	128,347	*****	128,347	(X)
Native	123,096	1,404	95.9%	1.1
Born in United States	122,700	1,399	95.6%	1.1
State of residence	99,571	2,509	77.6%	2
Different state	23,129	2,370	18.0%	1.8
U.S. Island areas, or	396	289	0.3%	0.2
Foreign born	5,251	1,404	4.1%	1.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP				
population	5,251	1,404	5,251	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	2,171	868	41.3%	12
Not a U.S. citizen	3,080	1,021	58.7%	12
YEAR OF ENTRY				
outside the United	5,647	1,399	5,647	(X)
Native				
Native	396	289	396	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	0	226	0.0%	25.2
Entered before 2000	396	289	100.0%	25.2
Foreign born				
Foreign born	5,251	1,404	5,251	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	1,490	699	28.4%	13.1

Entered before 2000	3,761	1,349	71.6%	13.1
WORLD REGION OF				
population,	N	N	N	(X)
Europe	N	N	N	N
Asia	N	N	N	N
Africa	N	N	N	N
Oceania	N	N	N	N
Latin America	N	N	N	N
Northern America	N	N	N	N
LANGUAGE SPOKEN				
and over	N	N	N	(X)
English only	N	N	N	N
English	N	N	N	N
than "very well"	N	N	N	N
Spanish	N	N	N	N
than "very well"	N	N	N	N
languages	N	N	N	N
than "very well"	N	N	N	N
Islander languages	N	N	N	N
than "very well"	N	N	N	N
Other languages	N	N	N	N
than "very well"	N	N	N	N
ANCESTRY				
Total population	128,347	*****	128,347	(X)
American	11,172	2,353	8.7%	1.8
Arab	38	66	0.0%	0.1
Czech	3,168	1,266	2.5%	1
Danish	2,522	918	2.0%	0.7
Dutch	2,762	781	2.2%	0.6
English	10,282	1,732	8.0%	1.3
French (except Basque)	2,306	729	1.8%	0.6
French Canadian	453	295	0.4%	0.2
German	54,508	3,496	42.5%	2.7
Greek	227	219	0.2%	0.2
Hungarian	92	111	0.1%	0.1
Irish	18,026	1,969	14.0%	1.5
Italian	2,167	1,038	1.7%	0.8
Lithuanian	43	71	0.0%	0.1
Norwegian	9,066	1,830	7.1%	1.4
Polish	1,351	588	1.1%	0.5
Portuguese	0	226	0.0%	0.1
Russian	379	304	0.3%	0.2
Scotch-Irish	689	379	0.5%	0.3
Scottish	1,841	832	1.4%	0.6
Slovak	31	54	0.0%	0.1
Subsaharan African	735	745	0.6%	0.6
Swedish	3,138	1,196	2.4%	0.9

Swiss	474	393	0.4%	0.3
Ukrainian	0	226	0.0%	0.1
Welsh	819	533	0.6%	0.4
Hispanic origin groups)	0	226	0.0%	0.1

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

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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).

·Starting in 2008, the Scotch-Irish category does not include Irish-Scotch.

·The Census Bureau introduced a new set of disability questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, comparisons of disability data from 2008 or later with data from prior years are not recommended. For more information on these questions and their evaluation 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.

·Due to a reduction in the Failed Edit Follow-up (FEFU) operation for 4-months in 2008, there was an increase in the amount of missing data and an increase in item allocation rates. For more information see the ACS User Notes.

·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

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EMPLOYMENT				
years and over	103,249	490	103,249	(X)
In labor force	69,160	2,029	67.0%	1.9
Civilian labor force	69,107	2,018	66.9%	1.9
Employed	66,460	1,992	64.4%	1.9
Unemployed	2,647	768	2.6%	0.7
Armed Forces	53	90	0.1%	0.1
Not in labor force	34,089	1,984	33.0%	1.9
Civilian labor force	69,107	2,018	69,107	(X)
Percent Unemployed	3.8%	1.1	(X)	(X)
and over	54,228	510	54,228	(X)
In labor force	33,640	1,324	62.0%	2.3
Civilian labor force	33,587	1,320	61.9%	2.3
Employed	32,672	1,250	60.2%	2.2
6 years	9,328	853	9,328	(X)
labor force	6,659	980	71.4%	8.9
years	17,297	752	17,297	(X)
labor force	13,487	1,193	78.0%	5.9
COMMUTING TO				
and over	64,715	2,109	64,715	(X)
drove alone	54,656	2,500	84.5%	2.2
carpooled	3,788	961	5.9%	1.5
(excluding taxicab)	633	426	1.0%	0.7
Walked	4,003	1,010	6.2%	1.6
Other means	542	255	0.8%	0.4
Worked at home	1,093	444	1.7%	0.7
work (minutes)	15.5	1	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
population 16 years	66,460	1,992	66,460	(X)

professional, and	18,782	1,757	28.3%	2.5
Service occupations	13,473	1,754	20.3%	2.5
occupations	18,071	1,845	27.2%	2.7
forestry occupations	238	206	0.4%	0.3
maintenance and repair	4,447	933	6.7%	1.4
transportation, and	11,449	1,589	17.2%	2.3
INDUSTRY				
population 16 years	66,460	1,992	66,460	(X)
fishing and hunting, and	430	231	0.6%	0.4
Construction	2,867	789	4.3%	1.2
Manufacturing	10,494	1,614	15.8%	2.3
Wholesale trade	2,218	790	3.3%	1.2
Retail trade	8,076	1,444	12.2%	2.1
warehousing, and	3,939	860	5.9%	1.3
Information	980	470	1.5%	0.7
and real estate and	3,856	983	5.8%	1.5
and management, and	5,501	1,248	8.3%	1.8
and health care and	18,349	2,037	27.6%	3
recreation, and	5,217	1,048	7.8%	1.6
public administration	2,393	580	3.6%	0.9
Public administration	2,140	812	3.2%	1.2
CLASS OF WORKER				
population 16 years	66,460	1,992	66,460	(X)
workers	52,932	2,280	79.6%	2.3
Government workers	11,129	1,470	16.7%	2.2
in own not incorporated	2,141	567	3.2%	0.8
Unpaid family workers	258	298	0.4%	0.4
INCOME AND				
Total households	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
Less than \$10,000	4,000	1,024	7.8%	2
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3,582	886	7.0%	1.7
\$15,000 to \$24,999	5,502	974	10.7%	1.9
\$25,000 to \$34,999	6,288	1,096	12.3%	2.1
\$35,000 to \$49,999	8,243	1,198	16.1%	2.2
\$50,000 to \$74,999	11,518	1,379	22.5%	2.7
\$75,000 to \$99,999	5,923	958	11.6%	1.8
\$100,000 to \$149,999	4,408	804	8.6%	1.6
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,075	496	2.1%	1
\$200,000 or more	672	343	1.3%	0.7
income (dollars)	45,459	2,434	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	56,027	2,810	(X)	(X)
With earnings	40,992	1,736	80.0%	2.2
(dollars)	55,503	3,631	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	14,462	1,027	28.2%	2.1
income (dollars)	16,089	829	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	10,269	1,011	20.1%	2.1

income (dollars)	16,087	1,823	(X)	(X)
Security Income	1,750	594	3.4%	1.1
Security Income	7,554	1,473	(X)	(X)
assistance income	1,071	553	2.1%	1.1
assistance income	4,499	2,176	(X)	(X)
benefits in the past 12	5,664	1,085	11.1%	2.1
Families	32,043	1,542	32,043	(X)
Less than \$10,000	787	472	2.5%	1.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,458	710	4.6%	2.2
\$15,000 to \$24,999	2,401	665	7.5%	2.1
\$25,000 to \$34,999	3,334	813	10.4%	2.4
\$35,000 to \$49,999	5,498	1,026	17.2%	3
\$50,000 to \$74,999	7,803	992	24.4%	3.1
\$75,000 to \$99,999	5,132	876	16.0%	2.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	3,961	748	12.4%	2.3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,035	496	3.2%	1.5
\$200,000 or more	634	327	2.0%	1
(dollars)	57,025	4,160	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	68,644	4,051	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	22,664	1,125	(X)	(X)
households	19,168	1,412	19,168	(X)
income (dollars)	25,935	1,825	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	33,029	3,048	(X)	(X)
workers (dollars)	23,605	2,146	(X)	(X)
male full-time, year-	41,604	2,745	(X)	(X)
female full-time, year-	29,474	1,394	(X)	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF				
All families	8.1%	2.6	(X)	(X)
under 18 years	14.5%	5.4	(X)	(X)
under 5 years only	14.2%	9.7	(X)	(X)
Married couple families	3.8%	1.4	(X)	(X)
under 18 years	5.4%	3.5	(X)	(X)
under 5 years only	11.0%	10.4	(X)	(X)
householder, no	29.9%	11.7	(X)	(X)
under 18 years	40.5%	14.5	(X)	(X)
under 5 years only	31.6%	30.2	(X)	(X)
All people	14.4%	2.6	(X)	(X)
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under 5 years	16.3%	6.6	(X)	(X)
17 years	13.8%	6.4	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	14.3%	2.4	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	16.2%	2.8	(X)	(X)

65 years and over	6.3%	2.6	(X)	(X)
People in families	9.1%	2.8	(X)	(X)
years and over	32.2%	4.9	(X)	(X)

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·Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

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·Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2000.

·Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2007. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

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HOUSING				
Total housing units	54,865	794	54,865	(X)
Occupied housing units	51,211	1,243	93.3%	1.7
Vacant housing units	3,654	915	6.7%	1.7
rate	2	1.4	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	6.3	3.5	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	54,865	794	54,865	(X)
1-unit, detached	39,654	1,691	72.3%	2.8
1-unit, attached	1,497	491	2.7%	0.9
2 units	2,039	702	3.7%	1.3
3 or 4 units	1,766	825	3.2%	1.5
5 to 9 units	3,311	1,025	6.0%	1.9
10 to 19 units	2,584	838	4.7%	1.5
20 or more units	2,208	597	4.0%	1.1
Mobile home	1,806	589	3.3%	1.1
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	226	0.0%	0.2
YEAR STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	54,865	794	54,865	(X)
Built 2005 or later	1,304	510	2.4%	0.9
Built 2000 to 2004	2,570	633	4.7%	1.1
Built 1990 to 1999	3,483	766	6.3%	1.4
Built 1980 to 1989	3,105	689	5.7%	1.2
Built 1970 to 1979	10,259	1,340	18.7%	2.5
Built 1960 to 1969	7,067	1,080	12.9%	2
Built 1950 to 1959	9,574	975	17.5%	1.7
Built 1940 to 1949	5,066	1,009	9.2%	1.8
Built 1939 or earlier	12,437	1,427	22.7%	2.6
ROOMS				
Total housing units	54,865	794	54,865	(X)
1 room	1,588	704	2.9%	1.3
2 rooms	304	257	0.6%	0.5

3 rooms	4,162	1,076	7.6%	2
4 rooms	10,342	1,364	18.8%	2.5
5 rooms	11,183	1,329	20.4%	2.4
6 rooms	10,857	1,371	19.8%	2.5
7 rooms	6,041	1,170	11.0%	2.1
8 rooms	5,168	1,049	9.4%	1.9
9 rooms or more	5,220	841	9.5%	1.5
Median rooms	5.5	0.2	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	54,865	794	54,865	(X)
No bedroom	1,639	680	3.0%	1.2
1 bedroom	5,556	1,272	10.1%	2.3
2 bedrooms	17,752	1,394	32.4%	2.5
3 bedrooms	19,790	1,455	36.1%	2.7
4 bedrooms	8,574	1,471	15.6%	2.6
5 or more bedrooms	1,554	489	2.8%	0.9
HOUSING TENURE				
units	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
Owner-occupied	36,630	1,559	71.5%	2.6
Renter-occupied	14,581	1,391	28.5%	2.6
of owner-occupied unit	2.49	0.06	(X)	(X)
of renter-occupied unit	2.14	0.16	(X)	(X)
YEAR				
units	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	19,353	1,639	37.8%	2.8
Moved in 2000 to 2004	8,762	1,055	17.1%	2
Moved in 1990 to 1999	8,568	1,104	16.7%	2.1
Moved in 1980 to 1989	5,369	962	10.5%	1.9
Moved in 1970 to 1979	4,443	834	8.7%	1.7
Moved in 1969 or earlier	4,716	778	9.2%	1.5
VEHICLES				
units	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
No vehicles available	3,649	893	7.1%	1.8
1 vehicle available	16,701	1,379	32.6%	2.7
2 vehicles available	18,903	1,569	36.9%	2.8
available	11,958	1,371	23.4%	2.6
HOUSE HEATING				
units	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
Utility gas	38,041	1,681	74.3%	2.6
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	2,340	523	4.6%	1
Electricity	10,075	1,191	19.7%	2.3
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	216	190	0.4%	0.4
Coal or coke	45	75	0.1%	0.1
Wood	207	164	0.4%	0.3

Solar energy	0	226	0.0%	0.2
Other fuel	287	244	0.6%	0.5
No fuel used	0	226	0.0%	0.2
SELECTED				
units	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
plumbing facilities	218	239	0.4%	0.5
kitchen facilities	514	334	1.0%	0.7
available	2,886	936	5.6%	1.8
OCCUPANTS PER				
units	51,211	1,243	51,211	(X)
1.00 or less	50,775	1,276	99.1%	0.6
1.01 to 1.50	254	205	0.5%	0.4
1.51 or more	182	220	0.4%	0.4
VALUE				
units	36,630	1,559	36,630	(X)
Less than \$50,000	3,702	714	10.1%	1.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	10,364	1,063	28.3%	2.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	9,761	1,156	26.6%	2.9
\$150,000 to \$199,999	7,047	967	19.2%	2.5
\$200,000 to \$299,999	4,055	749	11.1%	2
\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,453	515	4.0%	1.4
\$500,000 to \$999,999	142	137	0.4%	0.4
\$1,000,000 or more	106	129	0.3%	0.4
Median (dollars)	118,100	4,232	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
units	36,630	1,559	36,630	(X)
mortgage	23,356	1,542	63.8%	2.9
mortgage	13,274	1,132	36.2%	2.9
SELECTED MONTHLY				
mortgage	23,356	1,542	23,356	(X)
Less than \$300	114	131	0.5%	0.6
\$300 to \$499	605	292	2.6%	1.2
\$500 to \$699	2,439	638	10.4%	2.7
\$700 to \$999	7,164	1,034	30.7%	4
\$1,000 to \$1,499	8,183	1,240	35.0%	4.5
\$1,500 to \$1,999	3,101	695	13.3%	2.8
\$2,000 or more	1,750	472	7.5%	2
Median (dollars)	1,059	34	(X)	(X)
without a mortgage				
without a mortgage	13,274	1,132	13,274	(X)
Less than \$100	167	158	1.3%	1.2
\$100 to \$199	735	358	5.5%	2.6
\$200 to \$299	2,709	709	20.4%	5.1
\$300 to \$399	3,542	742	26.7%	5.1
\$400 or more	6,121	937	46.1%	5.8

Median (dollars)	385	21	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY				
mortgage (excluding	23,356	1,542	23,356	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	10,898	1,272	46.7%	4.3
20.0 to 24.9 percent	5,259	1,002	22.5%	4.1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	2,627	678	11.2%	2.9
30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,454	386	6.2%	1.6
35.0 percent or more	3,118	758	13.3%	3.1
Not computed	0	226	(X)	(X)
a mortgage				
a mortgage	13,241	1,130	13,241	(X)
Less than 10.0 percent	5,055	670	38.2%	4.6
10.0 to 14.9 percent	2,897	667	21.9%	4.8
15.0 to 19.9 percent	2,052	550	15.5%	3.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	1,211	495	9.1%	3.6
25.0 to 29.9 percent	409	286	3.1%	2.1
30.0 to 34.9 percent	290	246	2.2%	1.8
35.0 percent or more	1,327	425	10.0%	3
Not computed	33	57	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
paying rent	14,271	1,343	14,271	(X)
Less than \$200	525	372	3.7%	2.6
\$200 to \$299	666	395	4.7%	2.7
\$300 to \$499	2,630	801	18.4%	4.9
\$500 to \$749	6,456	1,071	45.2%	6.7
\$750 to \$999	2,424	773	17.0%	5.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499	1,239	579	8.7%	4.1
\$1,500 or more	331	235	2.3%	1.7
Median (dollars)	609	33	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	310	212	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A				
paying rent	14,186	1,341	14,186	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	1,281	587	9.0%	3.9
15.0 to 19.9 percent	1,581	550	11.1%	3.7
20.0 to 24.9 percent	2,666	790	18.8%	5.1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	1,277	477	9.0%	3.4
30.0 to 34.9 percent	974	433	6.9%	3.1
35.0 percent or more	6,407	1,078	45.2%	6.3
Not computed	395	236	(X)	(X)

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

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Notes:

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http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/2008/usedata/Subject_Definitions.pdf#page=21.

-Caution should be used when comparing data for Bedrooms between 2007 and 2008. Changes made to the Bedrooms question involving the wording as well as the response option resulted in an inconsistency in the data. It is most noticeable as an increase in "No bedroom" category and as a decrease in the "1 bedroom" to "3 bedrooms" categories. For more detailed information about these changes, see the Bedrooms section of the Subject Definitions at:
http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/2008/usedata/Subject_Definitions.pdf#page=9.

-Caution should be used when comparing data for Occupants per Room between 2007 and 2008. Changes made to the Rooms question involving the wording as well as the response option resulted in an inconsistency in the data. It is most noticeable as an increase in "1 room" category and as a decrease in the "2 rooms" to "6 rooms" categories. For more detailed information about these changes, see the Rooms section of the Subject Definitions at:
http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/2008/usedata/Subject_Definitions.pdf#page=21.

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ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates: 2008
 Data Set: 2008 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates
 Survey: American Community Survey
 Geographic Area: Black Hawk County, Iowa

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 and Housing Estimates	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-)
SEX AND AGE				
Total population	128,347	*****	128,347	(X)
Male	61,177	582	47.7%	0.5
Female	67,170	582	52.3%	0.5
Under 5 years	8,940	379	7.0%	0.3
5 to 9 years	7,270	968	5.7%	0.8
10 to 14 years	7,724	871	6.0%	0.7
15 to 19 years	9,648	361	7.5%	0.3
20 to 24 years	14,633	779	11.4%	0.6
25 to 34 years	16,108	845	12.6%	0.7
35 to 44 years	14,233	701	11.1%	0.5
45 to 54 years	17,225	391	13.4%	0.3
55 to 59 years	8,684	997	6.8%	0.8
60 to 64 years	5,732	920	4.5%	0.7
65 to 74 years	8,457	428	6.6%	0.3
75 to 84 years	7,378	677	5.7%	0.5
85 years and over	2,315	560	1.8%	0.4
Median age (years)	34.9	0.7	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	99,740	200	77.7%	0.2
21 years and over	91,813	1,026	71.5%	0.8
62 years and over	21,392	901	16.7%	0.7
65 years and over	18,150	503	14.1%	0.4
18 years and over	99,740	200	99,740	(X)
Male	47,260	373	47.4%	0.3
Female	52,480	349	52.6%	0.3
65 years and over	18,150	503	18,150	(X)
Male	7,546	228	41.6%	0.9
Female	10,604	365	58.4%	0.9
RACE				
Total population	128,347	*****	128,347	(X)

One race	126,242	818	98.4%	0.6
Two or more races	2,105	818	1.6%	0.6
One race	126,242	818	98.4%	0.6
White	112,346	819	87.5%	0.6
American	9,840	836	7.7%	0.7
Alaska Native	212	215	0.2%	0.2
grouping	N	N	N	N
grouping	N	N	N	N
grouping	N	N	N	N
Sioux tribal grouping	N	N	N	N
Asian	1,747	119	1.4%	0.1
Asian Indian	N	N	N	N
Chinese	N	N	N	N
Filipino	N	N	N	N
Japanese	N	N	N	N
Korean	N	N	N	N
Vietnamese	N	N	N	N
Other Asian	N	N	N	N
Other Pacific Islander	149	197	0.1%	0.2
Native Hawaiian	N	N	N	N
Chamorro	N	N	N	N
Samoan	N	N	N	N
Islander	N	N	N	N
Some other race	1,948	871	1.5%	0.7
Two or more races	2,105	818	1.6%	0.6
African American	N	N	N	N
Indian and Alaska	N	N	N	N
White and Asian	N	N	N	N
American and	N	N	N	N
combination with one				
Total population	128,347	*****	128,347	(X)
White	114,404	1,195	89.1%	0.9
American	11,273	471	8.8%	0.4
Alaska Native	520	83	0.4%	0.1
Asian	1,821	226	1.4%	0.1
Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N
Some other race	2,054	830	1.6%	0.6
HISPANIC OR LATINO				
Total population	128,347	*****	128,347	(X)
any race)	3,600	*****	2.8%	*****
Mexican	1,907	773	1.5%	0.6
Puerto Rican	259	237	0.2%	0.2
Cuban	0	226	0.0%	0.1
Latino	1,434	755	1.1%	0.6
Not Hispanic or Latino	124,747	*****	97.2%	*****
White alone	110,716	219	86.3%	0.2
American alone	9,840	836	7.7%	0.7

Alaska Native alone	212	215	0.2%	0.2
Asian alone	1,747	119	1.4%	0.1
Other Pacific Islander alone	149	197	0.1%	0.2
Two or more races	1,950	781	1.5%	0.6
Some other race	0	226	0.0%	0.1
Some other race,	1,950	781	1.5%	0.6
Total housing units	54,865	794	(X)	(X)

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

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Notes:

-For more information on understanding race and Hispanic origin data, please see the Census 2000 Brief entitled, Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin, issued March 2001. (pdf format)

-The 2008 questions on Hispanic origin and race were changed from 2007 in order to make the ACS consistent with Census 2010 question wording. For a summary of questionnaire changes see [http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/ACS%20Mail%20Questionnaire%20\(2008\).pdf](http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/ACS%20Mail%20Questionnaire%20(2008).pdf). The change in estimates from 2007 to 2008 may be due to several factors including questionnaire changes, population controls, methodological changes, and therefore should be used with caution. For more information about changes in the estimates see <http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hispanic/reports.html>.

-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 names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in PRCS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

-Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.