

Selected Social Characteristics in the United States: 2009
 Data Set: 2009 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates
 Survey: American Community Survey
 Geographic Area: Iowa

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Selected Social Characteristics in the United States	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-)
HOUSEHOLDS BY				
Total households	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
(families)	798,262	8,113	65.1%	0.5
under 18 years	354,635	5,612	28.9%	0.4
Married-couple family	636,341	7,911	51.9%	0.5
under 18 years	248,530	5,330	20.3%	0.4
wife present, family	47,965	3,291	3.9%	0.3
under 18 years	28,754	2,665	2.3%	0.2
no husband present,	113,956	4,551	9.3%	0.4
under 18 years	77,351	3,987	6.3%	0.3
Nonfamily households	428,542	7,027	34.9%	0.5
alone	347,502	6,643	28.3%	0.5
65 years and over	129,476	4,094	10.6%	0.3
more people under 18	379,884	5,761	31.0%	0.4
more people 65 years	297,160	3,047	24.2%	0.2
Average household size	2.37	0.01	(X)	(X)
Average family size	2.9	0.02	(X)	(X)
RELATIONSHIP				
households	2,902,367	*****	2,902,367	(X)
Householder	1,226,804	6,707	42.3%	0.2
Spouse	635,243	7,881	21.9%	0.3
Child	803,815	9,704	27.7%	0.3
Other relatives	79,183	5,229	2.7%	0.2
Nonrelatives	157,322	7,199	5.4%	0.2
Unmarried partner	77,476	4,808	2.7%	0.2
MARITAL STATUS				
over	1,182,345	2,621	1,182,345	(X)
Never married	365,035	6,823	30.9%	0.6
separated	662,079	8,209	56.0%	0.7
Separated	12,060	2,031	1.0%	0.2

Widowed	30,309	2,215	2.6%	0.2
Divorced	112,862	4,787	9.5%	0.4
and over	1,239,841	2,823	1,239,841	(X)
Never married	306,657	6,296	24.7%	0.5
separated	652,681	8,803	52.6%	0.7
Separated	15,715	1,907	1.3%	0.2
Widowed	127,390	3,440	10.3%	0.3
Divorced	137,398	5,118	11.1%	0.4
FERTILITY				
15 to 50 years old	45,083	3,141	45,083	(X)
(widowed, divorced, and women	15,803	2,230	35.1%	3.7
	44	6	(X)	(X)
50 years old	63	4	(X)	(X)
to 19 years old	28	9	(X)	(X)
to 34 years old	123	9	(X)	(X)
to 50 years old	19	3	(X)	(X)
GRANDPARENTS				
grandparents living	31,442	3,365	31,442	(X)
grandchildren	13,435	2,065	42.7%	4.4
grandchildren				
Less than 1 year	3,323	945	10.6%	2.7
1 or 2 years	3,552	1,038	11.3%	3
3 or 4 years	2,965	905	9.4%	2.7
5 or more years	3,595	1,051	11.4%	3.2
grandparents	13,435	2,065	13,435	(X)
Who are female	8,681	1,448	64.6%	3.7
Who are married	9,562	1,774	71.2%	6.6
SCHOOL				
and over enrolled in	794,086	8,247	794,086	(X)
preschool	54,616	3,016	6.9%	0.4
Kindergarten	36,496	2,550	4.6%	0.3
(grades 1-8)	305,120	4,528	38.4%	0.6
12)	164,631	3,859	20.7%	0.4
school	233,223	6,162	29.4%	0.6
EDUCATIONAL				
and over	1,980,897	3,561	1,980,897	(X)
Less than 9th grade	74,123	4,041	3.7%	0.2
diploma	114,143	4,805	5.8%	0.2
(includes equivalency)	653,961	9,685	33.0%	0.5
degree	440,140	7,788	22.2%	0.4
Associate's degree	201,612	6,496	10.2%	0.3
Bachelor's degree	350,245	7,509	17.7%	0.4
professional degree	146,673	5,503	7.4%	0.3

graduate or higher	90.5%	0.3	(X)	(X)
degree or higher	25.1%	0.5	(X)	(X)
VETERAN STATUS				
18 years and over	2,296,177	2,190	2,296,177	(X)
Civilian veterans	234,659	5,497	10.2%	0.2
DISABILITY STATUS				
Noninstitutionalized	2,956,722	916	2,956,722	(X)
With a disability	336,139	6,918	11.4%	0.2
Under 18 years				
Under 18 years	706,873	1,971	706,873	(X)
With a disability	29,205	2,943	4.1%	0.4
18 to 64 years				
18 to 64 years	1,835,246	2,933	1,835,246	(X)
With a disability	167,621	6,138	9.1%	0.3
65 years and over				
65 years and over	414,603	2,313	414,603	(X)
With a disability	139,313	3,785	33.6%	0.9
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR				
and over	2,968,912	2,243	2,968,912	(X)
Same house	2,500,239	15,431	84.2%	0.5
U.S.	458,165	14,999	15.4%	0.5
Same county	280,322	11,763	9.4%	0.4
Different county	177,843	8,419	6.0%	0.3
Same state	103,524	6,632	3.5%	0.2
Different state	74,319	6,088	2.5%	0.2
Abroad	10,508	2,078	0.4%	0.1
PLACE OF BIRTH				
Total population	3,007,857	****	3,007,857	(X)
Native	2,891,696	4,413	96.1%	0.1
Born in United States	2,878,649	4,343	95.7%	0.1
State of residence	2,184,177	12,124	72.6%	0.4
Different state	694,472	12,135	23.1%	0.4
U.S. Island areas, or	13,047	1,970	0.4%	0.1
Foreign born	116,161	4,414	3.9%	0.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP				
population	116,161	4,414	116,161	(X)
Naturalized U.S. citizen	41,690	2,971	35.9%	2.6
Not a U.S. citizen	74,471	4,633	64.1%	2.6
YEAR OF ENTRY				
outside the United	129,208	4,343	129,208	(X)
Native				
Native	13,047	1,970	13,047	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	2,552	1,069	19.6%	7.1
Entered before 2000	10,495	1,711	80.4%	7.1

Foreign born	116,161	4,414	116,161	(X)
Entered 2000 or later	46,243	4,295	39.8%	3
Entered before 2000	69,918	3,903	60.2%	3
WORLD REGION OF				
population,	116,161	4,414	116,161	(X)
Europe	17,649	2,623	15.2%	2.1
Asia	39,244	2,643	33.8%	2
Africa	7,591	1,887	6.5%	1.6
Oceania	308	218	0.3%	0.2
Latin America	48,831	3,085	42.0%	2.2
Northern America	2,538	679	2.2%	0.6
LANGUAGE SPOKEN				
and over	2,809,202	1,793	2,809,202	(X)
English only	2,625,651	7,032	93.5%	0.3
English	183,551	7,091	6.5%	0.3
than "very well"	74,640	4,266	2.7%	0.2
Spanish	102,956	4,360	3.7%	0.2
than "very well"	45,026	3,199	1.6%	0.1
languages	40,048	3,946	1.4%	0.1
than "very well"	10,837	1,959	0.4%	0.1
Islander languages	31,219	2,868	1.1%	0.1
than "very well"	15,193	1,887	0.5%	0.1
Other languages	9,328	1,762	0.3%	0.1
than "very well"	3,584	1,413	0.1%	0.1
ANCESTRY				
Total population	3,007,857	****	3,007,857	(X)
American	165,432	8,640	5.5%	0.3
Arab	5,504	1,617	0.2%	0.1
Czech	64,683	5,265	2.2%	0.2
Danish	65,259	3,396	2.2%	0.1
Dutch	145,357	7,420	4.8%	0.2
English	289,382	9,420	9.6%	0.3
French (except Basque)	83,260	4,725	2.8%	0.2
French Canadian	9,212	1,807	0.3%	0.1
German	1,207,023	18,513	40.1%	0.6
Greek	7,514	2,034	0.2%	0.1
Hungarian	3,926	1,043	0.1%	0.1
Irish	475,609	11,136	15.8%	0.4
Italian	74,693	6,977	2.5%	0.2
Lithuanian	2,787	947	0.1%	0.1
Norwegian	173,640	7,018	5.8%	0.2
Polish	41,808	4,214	1.4%	0.1
Portuguese	2,174	775	0.1%	0.1
Russian	10,978	2,235	0.4%	0.1
Scotch-Irish	30,423	2,584	1.0%	0.1
Scottish	51,007	3,996	1.7%	0.1

Slovak	2,814	1,223	0.1%	0.1
Subsaharan African	13,824	2,542	0.5%	0.1
Swedish	101,921	4,924	3.4%	0.2
Swiss	15,759	2,611	0.5%	0.1
Ukrainian	3,092	1,196	0.1%	0.1
Welsh	22,321	2,575	0.7%	0.1
Hispanic origin groups)	1,462	745	0.0%	0.1

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009 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.

-While the 2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 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.

-Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based

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EMPLOYMENT				
years and over	2,382,285	2,916	2,382,285	(X)
In labor force	1,654,568	8,098	69.5%	0.3
Civilian labor force	1,650,987	8,187	69.3%	0.3
Employed	1,552,500	8,953	65.2%	0.4
Unemployed	98,487	5,202	4.1%	0.2
Armed Forces	3,581	916	0.2%	0.1
Not in labor force	727,717	7,797	30.5%	0.3
Civilian labor force	1,650,987	8,187	1,650,987	(X)
Percent Unemployed	6.0%	0.3	(X)	(X)
and over	1,219,104	3,064	1,219,104	(X)
In labor force	792,402	6,465	65.0%	0.5
Civilian labor force	791,784	6,433	64.9%	0.5
Employed	750,760	6,369	61.6%	0.5
6 years	230,225	3,200	230,225	(X)
labor force	173,559	4,457	75.4%	1.7
years	450,988	3,727	450,988	(X)
labor force	368,601	6,480	81.7%	1.1
COMMUTING TO				
and over	1,525,678	9,361	1,525,678	(X)
drove alone	1,204,228	9,505	78.9%	0.5
carpooled	148,870	5,402	9.8%	0.3
(excluding taxicab)	17,563	2,511	1.2%	0.2
Walked	61,390	3,728	4.0%	0.2
Other means	18,238	2,017	1.2%	0.1
Worked at home	75,389	4,445	4.9%	0.3
work (minutes)	18.5	0.2	(X)	(X)

OCCUPATION				
population 16 years	1,552,500	8,953	1,552,500	(X)
professional, and	528,945	11,178	34.1%	0.7
Service occupations	260,970	7,129	16.8%	0.4
occupations	371,672	9,007	23.9%	0.6
forestry occupations	17,142	1,821	1.1%	0.1
maintenance, and repair	130,317	5,008	8.4%	0.3
transportation, and	243,454	7,123	15.7%	0.5
INDUSTRY				
population 16 years	1,552,500	8,953	1,552,500	(X)
fishing and hunting, and	61,552	3,347	4.0%	0.2
Construction	96,873	4,661	6.2%	0.3
Manufacturing	222,717	6,948	14.3%	0.4
Wholesale trade	49,020	3,134	3.2%	0.2
Retail trade	180,988	6,167	11.7%	0.4
warehousing, and	73,496	4,149	4.7%	0.3
Information	34,353	2,886	2.2%	0.2
and real estate and	118,704	4,758	7.6%	0.3
and management, and	106,386	4,844	6.9%	0.3
and health care and	368,887	8,874	23.8%	0.5
recreation, and	116,736	5,548	7.5%	0.4
public administration	69,354	4,003	4.5%	0.3
Public administration	53,434	3,659	3.4%	0.2
CLASS OF WORKER				
population 16 years	1,552,500	8,953	1,552,500	(X)
workers	1,218,713	9,733	78.5%	0.4
Government workers	218,911	5,960	14.1%	0.4
not incorporated	111,870	4,560	7.2%	0.3
Unpaid family workers	3,006	833	0.2%	0.1
INCOME AND				
Total households	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
Less than \$10,000	82,437	4,240	6.7%	0.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	74,745	3,530	6.1%	0.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	146,428	5,371	11.9%	0.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	136,413	4,790	11.1%	0.4
\$35,000 to \$49,999	200,005	6,046	16.3%	0.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	244,098	4,723	19.9%	0.4
\$75,000 to \$99,999	158,040	5,190	12.9%	0.4
\$100,000 to \$149,999	127,161	4,275	10.4%	0.3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	30,526	2,230	2.5%	0.2
\$200,000 or more	26,951	2,317	2.2%	0.2
income (dollars)	48,044	426	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	61,232	689	(X)	(X)
With earnings	988,936	7,625	80.6%	0.3
(dollars)	61,214	818	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	343,635	4,346	28.0%	0.4

income (dollars)	15,810	176	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	187,210	4,837	15.3%	0.4
income (dollars)	16,878	816	(X)	(X)
Security Income	34,369	3,308	2.8%	0.3
Security Income	8,077	374	(X)	(X)
assistance income	29,483	2,907	2.4%	0.2
assistance income	3,120	325	(X)	(X)
benefits in the past 12	123,219	5,166	10.0%	0.4
Families	798,262	8,113	798,262	(X)
Less than \$10,000	27,043	2,975	3.4%	0.4
\$10,000 to \$14,999	23,070	2,518	2.9%	0.3
\$15,000 to \$24,999	65,045	3,728	8.1%	0.4
\$25,000 to \$34,999	72,219	3,687	9.0%	0.4
\$35,000 to \$49,999	124,819	4,112	15.6%	0.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	185,535	4,725	23.2%	0.6
\$75,000 to \$99,999	135,128	4,427	16.9%	0.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	113,390	3,977	14.2%	0.5
\$150,000 to \$199,999	27,818	2,191	3.5%	0.3
\$200,000 or more	24,195	2,239	3.0%	0.3
(dollars)	61,156	771	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	73,779	1,045	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	25,315	296	(X)	(X)
households	428,542	7,027	428,542	(X)
income (dollars)	27,229	774	(X)	(X)
(dollars)	35,577	740	(X)	(X)
workers (dollars)	26,622	364	(X)	(X)
male full-time, year-	42,634	611	(X)	(X)
female full-time, year-	31,431	416	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE				
Noninstitutionalized	2,956,722	916	2,956,722	(X)
coverage	2,701,821	10,261	91.4%	0.3
insurance coverage	2,302,333	17,652	77.9%	0.6
coverage	827,948	13,670	28.0%	0.5
coverage	254,901	10,161	8.6%	0.3
Noninstitutionalized	706,873	1,971	706,873	(X)
coverage	32,312	3,593	4.6%	0.5
PERCENTAGE OF				
All families	7.7%	0.5	(X)	(X)
under 18 years	13.6%	1	(X)	(X)
under 5 years only	19.1%	2.3	(X)	(X)
Married couple families	3.3%	0.3	(X)	(X)
under 18 years	5.1%	0.6	(X)	(X)
under 5 years only	6.0%	1.5	(X)	(X)

householder, no	30.0%	2	(X)	(X)
under 18 years	38.4%	2.5	(X)	(X)
under 5 years only	52.4%	6.6	(X)	(X)
All people	11.8%	0.4	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	15.7%	1.1	(X)	(X)
18 years	15.1%	1.1	(X)	(X)
under 5 years	20.6%	1.7	(X)	(X)
17 years	12.9%	1.1	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	10.6%	0.3	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	11.3%	0.4	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	7.3%	0.5	(X)	(X)
People in families	8.4%	0.5	(X)	(X)
years and over	25.2%	1	(X)	(X)

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Notes:

·Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.

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

·The Census Bureau introduced an improved sequence of labor force questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, we recommend using caution when making labor force data comparisons from 2008 or later with data from prior years. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the "Evaluation Report Covering Employment Status" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6a_Employment_Status.pdf, and the "Evaluation Report Covering Weeks Worked" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6b_Weeks_Worked_Final_Report.pdf. Additional information can also be found at <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/laborfor/laborforce.html>.

·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.

·Selected earnings and income data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data

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HOUSING				
Total housing units	1,342,052	1,199	1,342,052	(X)
Occupied housing units	1,226,804	6,707	91.4%	0.5
Vacant housing units	115,248	6,892	8.6%	0.5
rate	2.1	0.3	(X)	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	6	0.8	(X)	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	1,342,052	1,199	1,342,052	(X)
1-unit, detached	986,683	6,463	73.5%	0.5
1-unit, attached	46,883	2,714	3.5%	0.2
2 units	35,150	2,859	2.6%	0.2
3 or 4 units	48,702	3,399	3.6%	0.3
5 to 9 units	51,359	4,354	3.8%	0.3
10 to 19 units	48,775	3,224	3.6%	0.2
20 or more units	67,911	3,206	5.1%	0.2
Mobile home	56,525	2,994	4.2%	0.2
Boat, RV, van, etc.	64	86	0.0%	0.1
YEAR STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	1,342,052	1,199	1,342,052	(X)
Built 2005 or later	52,753	2,806	3.9%	0.2
Built 2000 to 2004	90,340	4,308	6.7%	0.3
Built 1990 to 1999	145,920	5,027	10.9%	0.4
Built 1980 to 1989	98,250	4,339	7.3%	0.3
Built 1970 to 1979	205,279	5,339	15.3%	0.4
Built 1960 to 1969	138,509	4,965	10.3%	0.4
Built 1950 to 1959	153,656	5,081	11.4%	0.4
Built 1940 to 1949	89,497	4,378	6.7%	0.3
Built 1939 or earlier	367,848	7,164	27.4%	0.5
ROOMS				
Total housing units	1,342,052	1,199	1,342,052	(X)

1 room	11,900	1,894	0.9%	0.1
2 rooms	23,963	2,227	1.8%	0.2
3 rooms	93,844	5,329	7.0%	0.4
4 rooms	206,196	6,800	15.4%	0.5
5 rooms	244,398	6,414	18.2%	0.5
6 rooms	235,236	6,224	17.5%	0.5
7 rooms	177,180	5,305	13.2%	0.4
8 rooms	152,354	4,759	11.4%	0.4
9 rooms or more	196,981	5,460	14.7%	0.4
Median rooms	5.9	0.1	(X)	(X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	1,342,052	1,199	1,342,052	(X)
No bedroom	14,371	1,985	1.1%	0.1
1 bedroom	127,227	5,474	9.5%	0.4
2 bedrooms	392,295	6,842	29.2%	0.5
3 bedrooms	521,837	7,092	38.9%	0.5
4 bedrooms	219,724	5,588	16.4%	0.4
5 or more bedrooms	66,598	4,056	5.0%	0.3
HOUSING TENURE				
units	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
Owner-occupied	884,301	8,410	72.1%	0.6
Renter-occupied	342,503	6,969	27.9%	0.6
of owner-occupied unit	2.48	0.02	(X)	(X)
of renter-occupied unit	2.06	0.03	(X)	(X)
YEAR				
units	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
Moved in 2005 or later	486,461	7,512	39.7%	0.5
Moved in 2000 to 2004	227,307	4,585	18.5%	0.4
Moved in 1990 to 1999	235,629	5,523	19.2%	0.5
Moved in 1980 to 1989	113,694	3,930	9.3%	0.3
Moved in 1970 to 1979	87,398	3,240	7.1%	0.3
Moved in 1969 or earlier	76,315	2,546	6.2%	0.2
VEHICLES				
units	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
No vehicles available	74,281	4,044	6.1%	0.3
1 vehicle available	360,832	6,788	29.4%	0.5
2 vehicles available	481,007	8,037	39.2%	0.6
available	310,684	5,459	25.3%	0.4
HOUSE HEATING				
units	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
Utility gas	805,013	8,174	65.6%	0.6
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	165,426	4,489	13.5%	0.4
Electricity	208,422	6,174	17.0%	0.5
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	11,918	1,194	1.0%	0.1

Coal or coke	138	203	0.0%	0.1
Wood	18,801	1,548	1.5%	0.1
Solar energy	256	183	0.0%	0.1
Other fuel	11,888	1,540	1.0%	0.1
No fuel used	4,942	1,282	0.4%	0.1
SELECTED				
units	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
plumbing facilities	6,093	1,521	0.5%	0.1
kitchen facilities	9,876	1,541	0.8%	0.1
available	22,640	2,304	1.8%	0.2
OCCUPANTS PER				
units	1,226,804	6,707	1,226,804	(X)
1.00 or less	1,209,149	6,888	98.6%	0.2
1.01 to 1.50	12,973	2,062	1.1%	0.2
1.51 or more	4,682	1,203	0.4%	0.1
VALUE				
units	884,301	8,410	884,301	(X)
Less than \$50,000	102,833	3,824	11.6%	0.4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	237,462	5,563	26.9%	0.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	208,263	6,482	23.6%	0.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999	146,445	4,700	16.6%	0.5
\$200,000 to \$299,999	121,024	4,415	13.7%	0.5
\$300,000 to \$499,999	50,293	2,835	5.7%	0.3
\$500,000 to \$999,999	14,544	1,679	1.6%	0.2
\$1,000,000 or more	3,437	844	0.4%	0.1
Median (dollars)	122,000	1,451	(X)	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
units	884,301	8,410	884,301	(X)
mortgage	559,814	7,131	63.3%	0.6
mortgage	324,487	5,836	36.7%	0.6
SELECTED MONTHLY				
mortgage	559,814	7,131	559,814	(X)
Less than \$300	1,572	521	0.3%	0.1
\$300 to \$499	19,441	1,888	3.5%	0.3
\$500 to \$699	57,169	3,115	10.2%	0.6
\$700 to \$999	144,907	4,745	25.9%	0.8
\$1,000 to \$1,499	191,020	5,167	34.1%	0.8
\$1,500 to \$1,999	86,094	4,222	15.4%	0.7
\$2,000 or more	59,611	3,517	10.6%	0.6
Median (dollars)	1,129	12	(X)	(X)
without a mortgage				
without a mortgage	324,487	5,836	324,487	(X)
Less than \$100	2,716	685	0.8%	0.2
\$100 to \$199	20,507	1,552	6.3%	0.5
\$200 to \$299	64,767	3,089	20.0%	0.9

\$300 to \$399	85,586	3,612	26.4%	1.1
\$400 or more	150,911	4,930	46.5%	1.2
Median (dollars)	386	5	(X)	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY				
mortgage (excluding	558,659	7,112	558,659	(X)
Less than 20.0 percent	260,493	5,553	46.6%	0.9
20.0 to 24.9 percent	102,786	4,274	18.4%	0.7
25.0 to 29.9 percent	64,966	3,381	11.6%	0.6
30.0 to 34.9 percent	38,171	2,720	6.8%	0.5
35.0 percent or more	92,243	4,339	16.5%	0.7
Not computed	1,155	508	(X)	(X)
a mortgage				
322,942	5,833	322,942	(X)	
Less than 10.0 percent	141,289	4,288	43.8%	1.1
10.0 to 14.9 percent	66,164	2,946	20.5%	0.9
15.0 to 19.9 percent	40,097	2,779	12.4%	0.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	21,959	2,007	6.8%	0.6
25.0 to 29.9 percent	15,192	1,773	4.7%	0.5
30.0 to 34.9 percent	8,386	1,052	2.6%	0.3
35.0 percent or more	29,855	2,365	9.2%	0.7
Not computed	1,545	444	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT				
paying rent	318,864	6,777	318,864	(X)
Less than \$200	8,838	1,378	2.8%	0.4
\$200 to \$299	17,167	2,046	5.4%	0.6
\$300 to \$499	71,217	3,512	22.3%	1.1
\$500 to \$749	129,986	4,994	40.8%	1.3
\$750 to \$999	60,136	3,740	18.9%	1
\$1,000 to \$1,499	25,410	2,551	8.0%	0.8
\$1,500 or more	6,110	1,124	1.9%	0.4
Median (dollars)	611	8	(X)	(X)
No rent paid	23,639	2,665	(X)	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A				
paying rent	314,381	6,802	314,381	(X)
Less than 15.0 percent	54,630	3,657	17.4%	1.1
15.0 to 19.9 percent	45,270	3,423	14.4%	1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	42,353	3,309	13.5%	1
25.0 to 29.9 percent	34,371	3,241	10.9%	1
30.0 to 34.9 percent	23,677	2,266	7.5%	0.7
35.0 percent or more	114,080	4,858	36.3%	1.4
Not computed	28,122	2,809	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009 American Community Survey

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Notes:

·Caution should be used when comparing data for Number of Rooms between 2008 and 2009. A data collection error was identified for 2008 impacting the "1 room" category. For more information please see Errata Note #54.

·Caution should be used when comparing data for Number of Bedrooms between 2008 and 2009. A data collection error was identified for 2008 impacting the "0 bedrooms" category. For more information please see Errata Note #54.

·The 2009 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

·Caution should be used when comparing data for Telephone Service Availability between 2008 and 2009. A data collection error was identified for 2008 impacting the "no" category and underreporting those who did not have telephone service available. For more information please see Errata Note #53.

·Caution should be used when comparing data for Occupants per Room between 2008 and 2009. A data collection error was identified for 2008 impacting the "1 room" category. For more information please see Errata Note #54.

·In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units with a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOCA and household income are valid values.

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ACS Demographic and Housing Estimates: 2009
 Data Set: 2009 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates
 Survey: American Community Survey
 Geographic Area: 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	3,007,857	*****	3,007,857	(X)
Male	1,483,357	2,927	49.3%	0.1
Female	1,524,500	2,928	50.7%	0.1
Under 5 years	198,655	1,793	6.6%	0.1
5 to 9 years	190,152	4,018	6.3%	0.1
10 to 14 years	196,864	4,044	6.5%	0.1
15 to 19 years	215,775	3,929	7.2%	0.1
20 to 24 years	225,514	3,813	7.5%	0.1
25 to 34 years	374,208	3,296	12.4%	0.1
35 to 44 years	367,780	2,673	12.2%	0.1
45 to 54 years	440,059	2,773	14.6%	0.1
55 to 59 years	198,211	4,077	6.6%	0.1
60 to 64 years	156,182	4,049	5.2%	0.1
65 to 74 years	217,023	1,447	7.2%	0.1
75 to 84 years	153,634	3,153	5.1%	0.1
85 years and over	73,800	2,923	2.5%	0.1
Median age (years)	38	0.2	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	2,299,738	1,936	76.5%	0.1
21 years and over	2,153,281	5,349	71.6%	0.2
62 years and over	531,442	3,939	17.7%	0.1
65 years and over	444,457	1,865	14.8%	0.1
18 years and over	2,299,738	1,936	2,299,738	(X)
Male	1,120,947	2,284	48.7%	0.1
Female	1,178,791	2,278	51.3%	0.1
65 years and over	444,457	1,865	444,457	(X)
Male	186,492	1,068	42.0%	0.2
Female	257,965	1,232	58.0%	0.2

RACE				
Total population	3,007,857	****	3,007,857	(X)
One race	2,953,604	4,619	98.2%	0.2
Two or more races	54,253	4,619	1.8%	0.2
One race	2,953,604	4,619	98.2%	0.2
White	2,774,940	5,315	92.3%	0.2
American	76,411	3,649	2.5%	0.1
Alaska Native	11,080	1,959	0.4%	0.1
grouping	535	390	0.0%	0.1
grouping	88	149	0.0%	0.1
grouping	2	5	0.0%	0.1
Sioux tribal grouping	2,033	864	0.1%	0.1
Asian	45,771	2,202	1.5%	0.1
Asian Indian	8,988	2,417	0.3%	0.1
Chinese	9,015	2,135	0.3%	0.1
Filipino	3,516	1,015	0.1%	0.1
Japanese	387	256	0.0%	0.1
Korean	6,880	1,564	0.2%	0.1
Vietnamese	9,269	1,963	0.3%	0.1
Other Asian	7,716	2,076	0.3%	0.1
Other Pacific Islander	427	281	0.0%	0.1
Native Hawaiian	N	N	N	N
Chamorro	N	N	N	N
Samoan	N	N	N	N
Islander	N	N	N	N
Some other race	44,975	4,714	1.5%	0.2
Two or more races	54,253	4,619	1.8%	0.2
African American	18,396	2,875	0.6%	0.1
Indian and Alaska	15,567	2,545	0.5%	0.1
White and Asian	7,525	1,682	0.3%	0.1
American and	1,178	959	0.0%	0.1
combination with one				
Total population	3,007,857	****	3,007,857	(X)
White	2,825,883	5,935	94.0%	0.2
American	99,616	2,836	3.3%	0.1
Alaska Native	29,565	3,084	1.0%	0.1
Asian	54,998	2,079	1.8%	0.1
Other Pacific Islander	899	451	0.0%	0.1
Some other race	53,708	5,120	1.8%	0.2
HISPANIC OR LATINO				
Total population	3,007,857	****	3,007,857	(X)
any race)	130,683	1,482	4.3%	0.1
Mexican	104,226	3,430	3.5%	0.1
Puerto Rican	3,948	1,175	0.1%	0.1
Cuban	1,113	760	0.0%	0.1
Latino	21,396	3,102	0.7%	0.1
Not Hispanic or Latino	2,877,174	1,482	95.7%	0.1

White alone	2,704,080	1,680	89.9%	0.1
American alone	74,327	3,548	2.5%	0.1
Alaska Native alone	8,290	1,414	0.3%	0.1
Asian alone	45,754	2,204	1.5%	0.1
Other Pacific Islander	341	267	0.0%	0.1
alone	2,170	1,148	0.1%	0.1
Two or more races	42,212	3,704	1.4%	0.1
Some other race	1,412	739	0.0%	0.1
Some other race,	40,800	3,610	1.4%	0.1
Total housing units	1,342,052	1,199	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009 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 ACS questions on Hispanic origin and race were revised in 2008 to make them consistent with the Census 2010 question wording. Any changes in estimates for 2008 and beyond may be due to demographic changes, as well as factors including questionnaire changes, differences in ACS population controls, and methodological differences in the population estimates, and therefore should be used with caution. For a summary of questionnaire changes see http://www.census.gov/acs/www/methodology/questionnaire_changes/. For more information about changes in the estimates see <http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hispanic/reports.html>.

-While the 2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 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.

-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.

Explanation of Symbols: