

**Median Money Income of Households for Iowa
(1-year estimates and 2-year averages): 1984-2005**

Single-Year (Income in 2005 CPI-U-RS adjusted dollars¹)			Two-year average (Use to evaluate changes in state estimates over time) (Income in 2005 CPI-U-RS adjusted dollars¹)		
Year	Median income	Standard error	Year	Median income	Standard error
2005	46,500	1,339	2004 ⁴ -2005	45,671	1,198
2004 ⁴	44,842	1,572	2003-2004 ⁴	44,380	1,047
2003	43,917	938	2002-2003	44,239	903
2002	44,560	1,251	2001-2002	44,874	1,027
2001	45,188	1,249	2000 ³ -2001	45,827	896
2000 ³	46,466	919	1999 ² -2000 ³	47,304	929
1999 ²	48,142	1,324	1998-1999 ²	46,209	1,135
1998	44,276	1,438	1997-1998	42,626	1,230
1997	40,975	1,555	1996-1997	41,057	1,419
1996	41,139	1,892	1995-1996	43,160	1,285
1995	45,181	1,198	1994-1995	44,141	1,185
1994	43,100	1,668	1993-1994	40,616	1,363
1993	38,132	1,650	1992-1993	38,662	1,226
1992	39,192	1,325	1991-1992	39,551	1,126
1991	39,910	1,415	1990-1991	39,715	1,168
1990	39,521	1,428	1989-1990	39,726	1,083
1989	39,931	1,204	1988-1989	39,235	1,205
1988	38,538	1,709	1987-1988	37,502	1,319
1987	36,466	1,499	1986-1987	37,316	1,141
1986	38,166	1,275	1985-1986	37,189	955
1985	36,211	1,045	1984-1985	35,864	980

¹ The CPI-U-RS is a price index of inflation that incorporates most of the improvements in methodology made to the current CPI-U since 1978 into a single, uniform series. For more information see <http://www.bls.gov/cpi/cpirsdc.htm>

² Implementation of Census 2000 - based population controls.

³ Implementation of a 28,000 household sample expansion.

⁴ Data have been revised to reflect a correction to the weights in the 2005 ASEC.

Note: For explanation of standard errors, see "Standard errors and their use" at http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/income/p60_229sa.pdf

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, 2006 released 8/29/06

Single-year:

Income Historical Tables H-8,
<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/income/histinc/h08.html>

2-year averages:

Income Historical Tables H-8A,
<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/income/histinc/h08a.html>

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