

Asian and Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Groups in Iowa: 1850-2000

| Asian and Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Groups | 2000 | 1990 | 1980 | 1970 | 1960 | 1950 | 1940 | 1930 | 1920 | 1910 | 1900 | 1890 ¹ | 1880 | 1870 | 1860 | 1850 |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|
| Total population | 2,926,324 | 2,776,755 | 2,913,808 | 2,824,376 | 2,757,537 | 2,621,073 | 2,538,268 | 2,470,939 | 2,404,021 | 2,224,771 | 2,231,853 | 1,912,297 | 1,624,615 | 1,194,020 | 674,913 | 192,214 |
| Total Asian and Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone or in combination with one or more races | 45,315 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Total Asian alone or in combination with one or more races | 43,119 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Total Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone or in combination with one or more races | 2,196 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Total Asian and Pacific Islander ² | 37,644 | 25,476 | 11,577 | 3,420 | 1,189 | 671 | 150 | 222 | 306 | 136 | 111 | 65 | 33 | 3 | - | --- |
| Asian ³ | 36,635 | 25,037 | 11,266 | 3,420 | 1,189 | 671 | 150 | 222 | 306 | 136 | 111 | 65 | 33 | 3 | - | --- |
| Asian Indian | 5,641 | 3,021 | 2,147 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Cambodian | 656 | 611 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Chinese | 6,161 | 4,442 | 2,110 | 993 | 423 | 310 | 81 | 153 | 235 | 97 | 104 | 64 | 33 | 3 | --- | --- |
| Chinese except Taiwanese | 5,836 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Taiwanese | 325 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Filipino | 2,272 | 1,607 | 1,225 | 614 | 167 | --- | 37 | 40 | 34 | - | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Hmong | 280 | 227 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Indonesian | 297 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Japanese | 1,474 | 1,619 | 1,049 | 1,009 | 599 | 310 | 29 | 19 | 29 | 36 | 7 | 1 | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Korean | 5,063 | 4,618 | 2,259 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Laotian | 4,079 | 3,374 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Malaysian | 134 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Pakistani | 311 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Thai | 1,162 | 921 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Vietnamese | 7,129 | 2,882 | 2,476 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Other Asian | --- | 1,715 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Pacific Islander ⁴ | 1,009 | 439 | 311 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Polynesian | 459 | 321 | 241 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Hawaiian | 270 | 244 | 182 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Samoaan | 150 | 59 | 59 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Tongan | --- | 10 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Other Polynesian | --- | 8 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Micronesian | 369 | 96 | 70 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Guamanian ⁵ | 170 | 81 | 70 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Other Micronesian | --- | 15 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Melanesian | --- | 1 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Pacific Islander, not specified | --- | 21 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |

"-" Represents zero or rounds to zero

"---" Not Available

¹ Includes Indian reservations

² In 2000, Asian and Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone

³ In 2000, Asian alone

⁴ In 2000, Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone

⁵ In 2000, Guamanian or Chamorro

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census

2000 Census: SF2, Table PCT1

1990 Census: STF1, Tables P006 and P007

1980 Census: General Population Characteristics - Iowa, PC80-1-B17, Table 15 and 16

1970 Census: General Population Characteristics - Iowa, PC1-B17, Table 17

1890-1960 Censuses: 1960 Characteristics of Population, Vol.1 - Part 17, Table 15

1880-1850 Censuses: Report on Population of the United States at the Eleventh Census: 1890, Part 1, Table 14

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