

MONTHLY LABOR FORCE DATA

| | AUGUST 2019 | | | | SEPTEMBER 2019 | | | |
|---|----------------|--------|-------|------|----------------|--------|-------|------|
| MULTI-COUNTY MICROPOLITAN AREAS (NOT SEASONALLY ADJ.) | LABOR FORCE | EMP | UNEMP | RATE | LABOR FORCE | EMP | UNEMP | RATE |
| BURLINGTON | 24040 | 23020 | 1020 | 4.2 | 23830 | 22990 | 830 | 3.5 |
| FORT MADISON-KEOKUK .. | 28130 | 26870 | 1260 | 4.5 | 28000 | 26990 | 1010 | 3.6 |
| MASON CITY | 28590 | 27880 | 710 | 2.5 | 28670 | 28040 | 630 | 2.2 |
| OTTUMWA | 22610 | 21730 | 880 | 3.9 | 22740 | 21860 | 880 | 3.9 |
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| CITIES: (NOT SEASONALLY ADJ.) | | | | | | | | |
| AMES | 40600 | 39800 | 800 | 1.9 | 43500 | 42800 | 600 | 1.4 |
| ANKENY | 38100 | 37400 | 800 | 2.0 | 37900 | 37200 | 700 | 1.8 |
| BETTENDORF | 18900 | 18440 | 460 | 2.4 | 18780 | 18350 | 440 | 2.3 |
| BURLINGTON | 12610 | 12010 | 610 | 4.8 | 12460 | 11990 | 470 | 3.8 |
| CEDAR FALLS | 23300 | 22800 | 500 | 2.2 | 23500 | 23100 | 400 | 1.8 |
| CEDAR RAPIDS | 73400 | 71000 | 2400 | 3.2 | 73800 | 71800 | 2000 | 2.7 |
| CLINTON | 11820 | 11270 | 550 | 4.7 | 11910 | 11420 | 500 | 4.2 |
| COUNCIL BLUFFS | 33170 | 32380 | 790 | 2.4 | 33140 | 32450 | 690 | 2.1 |
| DAVENPORT | 53130 | 50980 | 2150 | 4.0 | 52560 | 50740 | 1830 | 3.5 |
| DES MOINES | 120800 | 117200 | 3600 | 3.0 | 119800 | 116600 | 3200 | 2.6 |
| DUBUQUE | 34100 | 33200 | 900 | 2.7 | 34200 | 33500 | 700 | 2.2 |
| FORT DODGE | 12400 | 11930 | 470 | 3.8 | 12360 | 12030 | 320 | 2.6 |
| IOWA CITY | 44000 | 43100 | 900 | 2.1 | 44000 | 43200 | 800 | 1.8 |
| MARION (MICRO) | 21300 | 20700 | 500 | 2.6 | 21400 | 21000 | 500 | 2.3 |
| MARSHALLTOWN | 11700 | 11280 | 420 | 3.6 | 11670 | 11310 | 360 | 3.1 |
| MASON CITY | 15480 | 15020 | 450 | 2.9 | 15510 | 15130 | 380 | 2.4 |
| OTTUMWA | 12410 | 11890 | 530 | 4.2 | 12480 | 11970 | 510 | 4.1 |
| SIOUX CITY | 46100 | 44900 | 1200 | 2.6 | 46300 | 45300 | 1000 | 2.1 |
| URBANDALE | 26700 | 26200 | 600 | 2.2 | 26500 | 26000 | 500 | 1.9 |
| WATERLOO | 35000 | 33200 | 1800 | 5.1 | 34900 | 33700 | 1200 | 3.5 |
| WEST DES MOINES | 41600 | 40700 | 900 | 2.1 | 41300 | 40500 | 800 | 1.9 |
| U.S. (SEASONALLY ADJ)* | 163922 | 157878 | 6044 | 3.7 | 164039 | 158269 | 5769 | 3.5 |
| * FIGURES ROUNDED TO NEAREST THOUSAND | | | | | | | | |

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| | LABOR FORCE | EMP | UNEMP | RATE | LABOR FORCE | EMP | UNEMP | RATE |
| IDA | 4190 | 4130 | 60 | 1.5 | 4220 | 4160 | 60 | 1.4 |
| IOWA | 10840 | 10660 | 180 | 1.7 | 10940 | 10780 | 160 | 1.5 |
| JACKSON | 11360 | 11060 | 310 | 2.7 | 11390 | 11140 | 250 | 2.2 |
| JASPER (MICRO) | 20080 | 19550 | 530 | 2.6 | 20330 | 19880 | 450 | 2.2 |
| JEFFERSON (MICRO) | 9320 | 9050 | 270 | 2.9 | 9560 | 9330 | 230 | 2.4 |
| JOHNSON (PART OF MSA) | 87600 | 85800 | 1800 | 2.1 | 87500 | 86000 | 1600 | 1.8 |
| JONES (PART OF MSA) .. | 10700 | 10400 | 300 | 2.4 | 10700 | 10500 | 200 | 2.2 |
| KEOKUK | 5070 | 4910 | 160 | 3.1 | 5090 | 4940 | 150 | 2.8 |
| KOSSUTH | 8590 | 8410 | 180 | 2.1 | 8720 | 8560 | 160 | 1.9 |
| LEE (PART OF MICRO) .. | 16420 | 15640 | 780 | 4.7 | 16280 | 15730 | 550 | 3.4 |
| LINN (PART OF MSA) ... | 123300 | 119700 | 3600 | 2.9 | 124200 | 121100 | 3100 | 2.5 |
| LOUISA | 6300 | 6110 | 200 | 3.1 | 6280 | 6130 | 150 | 2.5 |
| LUCAS | 4740 | 4640 | 100 | 2.0 | 4740 | 4650 | 90 | 1.9 |
| LYON | 7100 | 7010 | 90 | 1.2 | 7110 | 7030 | 80 | 1.2 |
| MADISON (PART OF MSA) | 8900 | 8600 | 300 | 2.9 | 8800 | 8600 | 200 | 2.4 |
| MAHASKA (MICRO) | 11950 | 11650 | 310 | 2.6 | 12250 | 11970 | 280 | 2.3 |
| MARION (MICRO) | 18780 | 18420 | 350 | 1.9 | 19290 | 18970 | 320 | 1.7 |
| MARSHALL (MICRO) | 18110 | 17500 | 610 | 3.4 | 18060 | 17550 | 510 | 2.8 |
| MILLS (PART OF MSA) .. | 7720 | 7560 | 160 | 2.1 | 7710 | 7570 | 140 | 1.8 |
| MITCHELL | 6080 | 5980 | 110 | 1.8 | 6030 | 5930 | 100 | 1.6 |
| MONONA | 4530 | 4400 | 130 | 2.9 | 4540 | 4430 | 110 | 2.4 |
| MONROE | 4060 | 3940 | 130 | 3.1 | 4110 | 3990 | 120 | 3.0 |
| MONTGOMERY | 5080 | 4950 | 130 | 2.5 | 5060 | 4960 | 100 | 2.0 |
| MUSCATINE (MICRO)..... | 22310 | 21730 | 580 | 2.6 | 22220 | 21710 | 500 | 2.3 |
| O BRIEN | 8300 | 8150 | 160 | 1.9 | 8360 | 8210 | 140 | 1.7 |
| OSCEOLA | 3590 | 3530 | 60 | 1.7 | 3600 | 3550 | 60 | 1.6 |
| PAGE | 6490 | 6330 | 160 | 2.5 | 6540 | 6390 | 150 | 2.3 |
| PALO ALTO | 5130 | 5040 | 90 | 1.8 | 5170 | 5090 | 80 | 1.6 |
| PLYMOUTH (PART OF MSA) | 15390 | 15040 | 350 | 2.3 | 15470 | 15160 | 310 | 2.0 |
| POCAHONTAS | 4560 | 4470 | 90 | 1.9 | 4740 | 4670 | 70 | 1.5 |
| POLK (PART OF MSA) ... | 281600 | 274400 | 7300 | 2.6 | 279300 | 273000 | 6300 | 2.3 |
| POTTAWATTAMIE (PART OF MSA) | 50700 | 49570 | 1130 | 2.2 | 50650 | 49690 | 970 | 1.9 |
| POWESHIEK | 10400 | 10180 | 220 | 2.1 | 11090 | 10900 | 200 | 1.8 |
| RINGGOLD | 2560 | 2500 | 60 | 2.4 | 2590 | 2540 | 60 | 2.2 |
| SAC | 5380 | 5270 | 110 | 2.0 | 5390 | 5290 | 90 | 1.7 |
| SCOTT (PART OF MSA) .. | 91390 | 88390 | 3010 | 3.3 | 90620 | 87960 | 2660 | 2.9 |
| SHELBY | 6900 | 6760 | 140 | 2.0 | 6830 | 6720 | 110 | 1.6 |
| SIOUX | 20530 | 20200 | 320 | 1.6 | 21200 | 20920 | 280 | 1.3 |
| STORY (MSA) | 58700 | 57600 | 1100 | 1.9 | 62900 | 61900 | 900 | 1.5 |
| TAMA | 9860 | 9630 | 230 | 2.4 | 9930 | 9730 | 210 | 2.1 |
| TAYLOR | 3250 | 3190 | 60 | 1.8 | 3300 | 3240 | 50 | 1.6 |
| UNION | 6330 | 6140 | 190 | 3.0 | 6400 | 6240 | 160 | 2.5 |
| VAN BUREN | 3750 | 3650 | 100 | 2.7 | 3820 | 3720 | 90 | 2.4 |
| WAPELLO (PART OF MICRO) | 18180 | 17440 | 730 | 4.0 | 18310 | 17570 | 740 | 4.0 |
| WARREN (PART OF MSA) . | 29400 | 28700 | 700 | 2.2 | 29200 | 28600 | 600 | 1.9 |
| WASHINGTON (PART OF MSA) | 12400 | 12100 | 300 | 2.1 | 12400 | 12100 | 200 | 1.8 |
| WAYNE | 2780 | 2710 | 70 | 2.6 | 2840 | 2770 | 70 | 2.4 |
| WEBSTER (MICRO) | 19450 | 18790 | 660 | 3.4 | 19400 | 18950 | 450 | 2.3 |
| WINNEBAGO | 5080 | 4940 | 140 | 2.8 | 5060 | 4940 | 120 | 2.3 |
| WINNESHIEK | 11550 | 11290 | 260 | 2.3 | 12630 | 12410 | 220 | 1.8 |
| WOODBURY (PART OF MSA) | 57600 | 56100 | 1400 | 2.5 | 57800 | 56600 | 1200 | 2.1 |
| WORTH (PART OF MICRO) . | 4280 | 4190 | 90 | 2.1 | 4260 | 4170 | 90 | 2.1 |
| WRIGHT | 6740 | 6560 | 180 | 2.6 | 6680 | 6520 | 160 | 2.3 |

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| IOWA (SEASONALLY ADJ.) | 1730000 | 1686300 | 43800 | 2.5 | 1738400 | 1694200 | 44200 | 2.5 |
| MULTIPLE-COUNTY MSA'S: (NOT SEASONALLY ADJ.) | | | | | | | | |
| CEDAR RAPIDS MSA | 147600 | 143400 | 4200 | 2.9 | 148700 | 145000 | 3700 | 2.5 |
| DES MOINES-W DSM MSA . | 376500 | 367200 | 9200 | 2.5 | 373400 | 365500 | 8000 | 2.1 |
| IOWA CITY MSA | 99900 | 97900 | 2100 | 2.1 | 99900 | 98100 | 1800 | 1.8 |
| SIOUX CITY MSA | 95300 | 92800 | 2500 | 2.6 | 95600 | 93300 | 2200 | 2.3 |
| WATERLOO - CF MSA | 92100 | 88900 | 3200 | 3.5 | 92600 | 90300 | 2300 | 2.5 |
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| COUNTIES: (NOT SEASONALLY ADJ.) | | | | | | | | |
| ADAIR | 4250 | 4160 | 90 | 2.0 | 4230 | 4150 | 80 | 1.8 |
| ADAMS | 2160 | 2130 | 30 | 1.3 | 2210 | 2180 | 30 | 1.4 |
| ALLAMAKEE | 7390 | 7200 | 190 | 2.5 | 7530 | 7370 | 160 | 2.1 |
| APPANOOSE | 6060 | 5830 | 230 | 3.9 | 6100 | 5900 | 200 | 3.2 |
| AUDUBON | 3240 | 3170 | 70 | 2.2 | 3240 | 3180 | 60 | 1.9 |
| BENTON (PART OF MSA).. | 13700 | 13300 | 400 | 2.7 | 13800 | 13500 | 300 | 2.3 |
| BLACK HAWK (PART OF MSA) | 71300 | 68600 | 2700 | 3.8 | 71600 | 69700 | 1900 | 2.7 |
| BOONE (MICRO) | 15080 | 14760 | 330 | 2.2 | 15500 | 15230 | 270 | 1.7 |
| BREMER (PART OF MSA) . | 14200 | 13800 | 300 | 2.3 | 14300 | 14000 | 300 | 1.9 |
| BUCHANAN | 11060 | 10770 | 290 | 2.6 | 10970 | 10750 | 230 | 2.1 |
| BUENA VISTA (MICRO) .. | 11360 | 11090 | 260 | 2.3 | 11560 | 11350 | 210 | 1.8 |
| BUTLER | 7910 | 7690 | 220 | 2.8 | 8020 | 7830 | 180 | 2.3 |
| CALHOUN | 4310 | 4220 | 90 | 2.1 | 4380 | 4300 | 80 | 1.9 |
| CARROLL (MICRO) | 11070 | 10860 | 200 | 1.8 | 11060 | 10870 | 190 | 1.7 |
| CASS | 7180 | 7020 | 170 | 2.3 | 7180 | 7040 | 150 | 2.0 |
| CEDAR | 10880 | 10640 | 240 | 2.2 | 11090 | 10900 | 200 | 1.8 |
| CERRO GORDO (PART OF MICRO) ... | 24310 | 23690 | 620 | 2.5 | 24400 | 23870 | 540 | 2.2 |
| CHEROKEE | 6030 | 5870 | 160 | 2.6 | 6100 | 5960 | 140 | 2.3 |
| CHICKASAW | 6690 | 6520 | 170 | 2.5 | 6710 | 6570 | 140 | 2.1 |
| CLARKE | 5050 | 4930 | 120 | 2.3 | 5030 | 4930 | 100 | 2.0 |
| CLAY | 8720 | 8520 | 200 | 2.3 | 8910 | 8730 | 180 | 2.0 |
| CLAYTON | 10350 | 10110 | 230 | 2.3 | 10380 | 10170 | 210 | 2.1 |
| CLINTON (MICRO) | 22750 | 21850 | 900 | 4.0 | 22930 | 22130 | 800 | 3.5 |
| CRAWFORD | 8190 | 7940 | 250 | 3.0 | 8170 | 7970 | 200 | 2.4 |
| DALLAS (PART OF MSA) . | 50700 | 49800 | 900 | 1.8 | 50400 | 49500 | 800 | 1.6 |
| DAVIS (PART OF MICRO). | 4440 | 4290 | 150 | 3.3 | 4430 | 4290 | 140 | 3.2 |
| DECATUR | 4340 | 4240 | 90 | 2.2 | 4450 | 4380 | 80 | 1.8 |
| DELAWARE..... | 10680 | 10450 | 230 | 2.2 | 10780 | 10590 | 190 | 1.7 |
| DES MOINES (PART OF MICRO) ... | 20260 | 19420 | 840 | 4.2 | 20060 | 19390 | 670 | 3.3 |
| DICKINSON (MICRO) | 11070 | 10850 | 220 | 2.0 | 10470 | 10260 | 210 | 2.0 |
| DUBUQUE (MSA) | 57500 | 56100 | 1400 | 2.4 | 57700 | 56500 | 1100 | 2.0 |
| EMMET | 5340 | 5220 | 120 | 2.2 | 5380 | 5280 | 90 | 1.7 |
| FAYETTE | 10780 | 10450 | 330 | 3.1 | 11050 | 10780 | 270 | 2.4 |
| FLOYD | 9240 | 8880 | 360 | 3.9 | 8970 | 8650 | 320 | 3.5 |
| FRANKLIN | 5940 | 5820 | 120 | 2.0 | 5980 | 5890 | 100 | 1.6 |
| FREMONT | 3790 | 3680 | 110 | 2.8 | 3780 | 3710 | 80 | 2.0 |
| GREENE | 5480 | 5360 | 120 | 2.2 | 5560 | 5460 | 100 | 1.8 |
| GRUNDY (PART OF MSA) . | 6600 | 6500 | 200 | 2.5 | 6700 | 6600 | 200 | 2.2 |
| GUTHRIE (PART OF MSA) | 5800 | 5700 | 100 | 2.4 | 5800 | 5700 | 100 | 2.1 |
| HAMILTON | 7090 | 6920 | 180 | 2.5 | 7210 | 7050 | 150 | 2.1 |
| HANCOCK | 6060 | 5920 | 150 | 2.4 | 6080 | 5960 | 120 | 2.0 |
| HARDIN | 8310 | 8080 | 230 | 2.8 | 8400 | 8210 | 190 | 2.3 |
| HARRISON (PART OF MSA) | 7660 | 7510 | 160 | 2.1 | 7650 | 7520 | 130 | 1.8 |
| HENRY | 9890 | 9610 | 280 | 2.8 | 10160 | 9940 | 230 | 2.2 |
| HOWARD | 5460 | 5350 | 110 | 2.0 | 5440 | 5350 | 100 | 1.7 |
| HUMBOLDT | 5270 | 5160 | 110 | 2.1 | 5380 | 5270 | 110 | 2.1 |