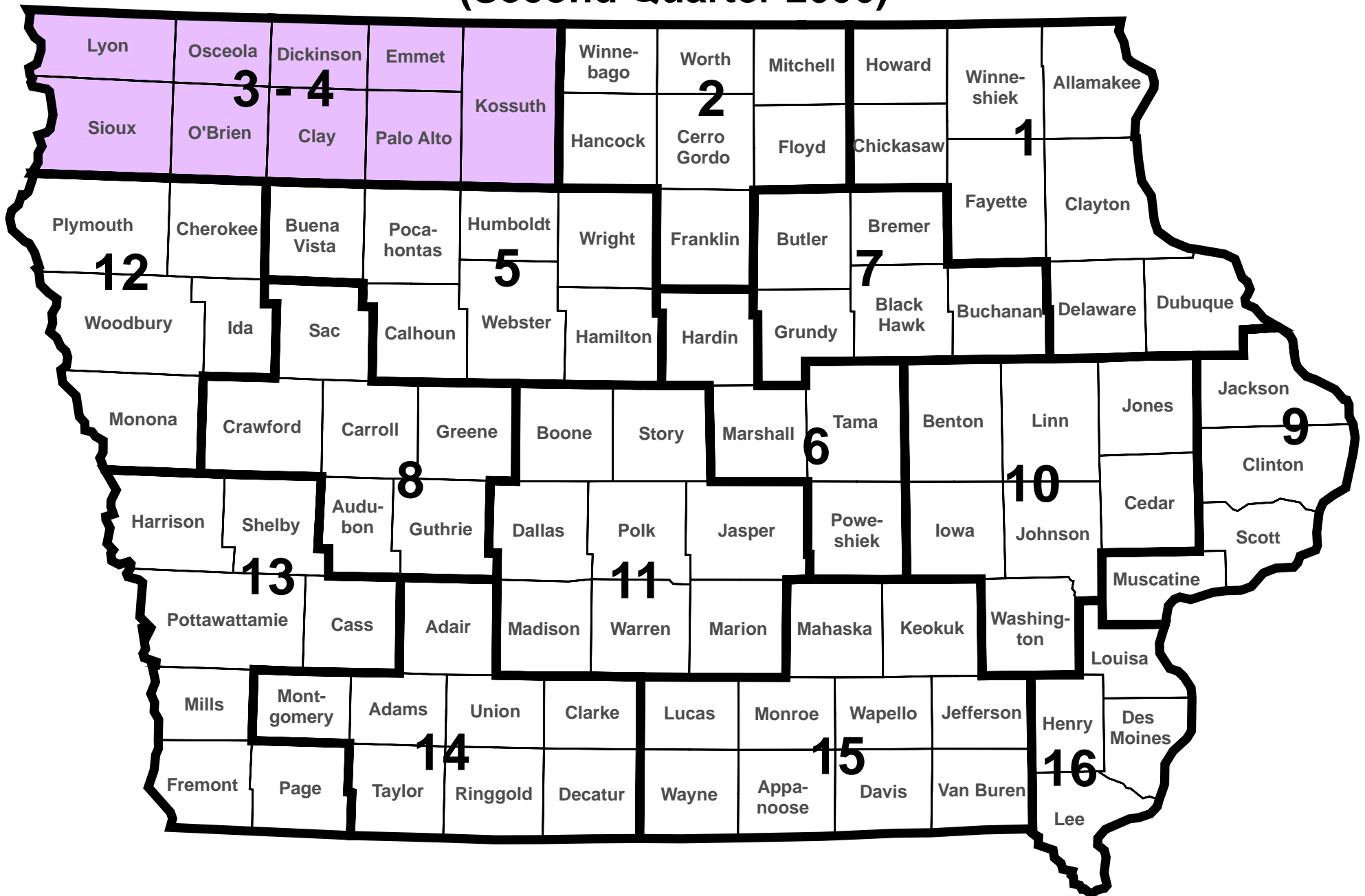


Job Applicants and Openings for IWD Region 3 - 4 (Second Quarter 2006)



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INTRODUCTION

Job Applicants and Openings for Iowa Workforce Development (IWD) Regions provides a quarterly overview of labor supply and demand from the 16 Iowa Workforce Development (IWD) Regions. The most recent three months of data* recorded by the IWD Center offices are combined to produce the tables for this report. Although Center activity does not reflect the total labor market in Iowa, data can help to determine labor shortages, surpluses, or to prompt training needs.

* **NOTE:** After switching to a new data collection system (IWORKS) last summer, some of the measures are not directly comparable to previous quarters of this publication. Applicants can now list any number of occupations compared to the old system, which only allowed one primary occupation. As a result, applicants are counted for each occupation that they listed, but are only counted *once* for the total of each occupational group. The grand total is represented by an unduplicated count of applicants within the state/region.

Starting with this report, Regions 3 and 4 are now merged into a single IWD Region called simply “3” or “3-4.” Local officials petitioned the state workforce board and the governor for this change to operate more efficiently; finding has been reduced over time and many functions were already being shared. As of July 1, 2006, data will also be merged.

This site will be updated roughly in the middle of the following months (possibly earlier):

Quarter 1	May
Quarter 2	August
Quarter 3	November
Quarter 4	February

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**Characteristics of Iowa Workforce Development Clients
(April 1, 2006 - June 30, 2006)
IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT REGION 3**

Characteristic	Number	Percent	Characteristic	Number	Percent
Total	1,260	100.0			
Age Group			Education		
15 and Under	23	2.0	High School or GED	552	44.0
16 to 19	97	8.0	Associate Degree	199	15.8
20 to 21	124	10.0	Bachelors Degree	96	7.6
22 to 39	612	49.0	Masters Degree	9	0.7
40 to 54	291	23.0	Doctorate	1	0.1
55 and Over	105	8.0	Not Reported	403	32.0
Not Reported	8	1.0			
Gender			Miscellaneous		
Male	576	46.0	Claimants	113	9.0
Female	684	54.0	Veterans	80	6.3
			Work Related Disability	4	0.3
Ethnic Group			ADA Disability	24	1.9
White	1,090	87.0	Dislocated Worker	2	0.2
Black	11	1.0			
Hispanic	69	6.0			
American Indian	18	1.0			
Asian/Pacific Islander	13	1.0			
Not Reported	128	10.0			

Source: Labor Market and Economic Research Bureau, Iowa Workforce Development

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
Management, Business, Financial Occupations				
11-1011.02	Private Sector Executives	3	0	0.00
11-1021.00	General and Operations Managers	7	2	3.50
11-2022.00	Sales Managers	9	0	0.00
11-2031.00	Public Relations Managers	4	1	4.00
11-3011.00	Administrative Services Managers	20	0	0.00
11-3021.00	Computer and Information Systems Managers	4	1	4.00
11-3040.00	Human Resources Managers	10	2	5.00
11-3042.00	Training and Development Managers	3	0	0.00
11-3049.99	Human Resources Managers, All Other	6	0	0.00
11-3051.00	Industrial Production Managers	6	3	2.00
11-3061.00	Purchasing Managers	3	1	3.00
11-3071.00	Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers	3	0	0.00
11-9012.00	Farmers and Ranchers	5	1	5.00
11-9031.00	Education Administrators, Preschool and Child Care Center/Program	3	0	0.00
11-9051.00	Food Service Managers	21	5	4.20
11-9081.00	Lodging Managers	4	0	0.00
11-9199.99	Managers, All Other	13	4	3.25
13-1022.00	Wholesale and Retail Buyers, Except Farm Products	5	11	0.45
13-1023.00	Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products	3	1	3.00
13-1079.99	Human Resources, Training, and Labor Relations Specialists, All Other	16	2	8.00
13-1121.00	Meeting and Convention Planners	3	0	0.00
13-1199.99	Business Operations Specialists, All Other	8	1	8.00
13-2011.00	Accountants and Auditors	3	0	0.00
13-2011.01	Accountants	19	2	9.50
13-2072.00	Loan Officers	6	0	0.00
13-2082.00	Tax Preparers	4	0	0.00
Total for Management, Business, Financial Occupations		153	51	3.00
Professional and Related Occupations				
15-1021.00	Computer Programmers	4	1	4.00
15-1041.00	Computer Support Specialists	13	1	13.00
15-1051.00	Computer Systems Analysts	4	1	4.00
15-1071.00	Network and Computer Systems Administrators	9	2	4.50
15-1099.99	Computer Specialists, All Other	6	0	0.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
17-1011.00	Architects, Except Landscape and Naval	3	0	0.00
17-2051.00	Civil Engineers	3	1	3.00
17-2071.00	Electrical Engineers	1	5	0.20
17-2141.00	Mechanical Engineers	1	8	0.13
21-1011.00	Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors	2	4	0.50
21-1012.00	Educational, Vocational, and School Counselors	13	0	0.00
21-1014.00	Mental Health Counselors	3	1	3.00
21-1019.99	Counselors, All Other	9	1	9.00
21-1021.00	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	12	0	0.00
21-1022.00	Medical and Public Health Social Workers	4	0	0.00
21-1029.99	Social Workers, All Other	5	0	0.00
21-1092.00	Probation Officers and Correctional Treatment Specialists	3	0	0.00
21-1093.00	Social and Human Service Assistants	12	1	12.00
21-1099.99	Community and Social Service Specialists, All Other	8	0	0.00
21-2011.00	Clergy	4	0	0.00
21-2021.00	Directors, Religious Activities and Education	4	0	0.00
23-2011.00	Paralegals and Legal Assistants	5	0	0.00
23-2099.99	Legal Support Workers, All Other	3	0	0.00
25-2011.00	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	2	4	0.50
25-2021.00	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	7	0	0.00
25-2022.00	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Vocational Education	3	0	0.00
25-2042.00	Special Education Teachers, Middle School	1	5	0.20
25-9041.00	Teacher Assistants	17	3	5.67
25-9099.99	Education, Training, and Library Workers, All Other	4	2	2.00
27-1012.00	Craft Artists	3	0	0.00
27-1023.00	Floral Designers	6	0	0.00
27-1024.00	Graphic Designers	7	0	0.00
27-2011.00	Actors	3	0	0.00
27-2022.00	Coaches and Scouts	3	0	0.00
27-2042.00	Musicians and Singers	3	0	0.00
27-3031.00	Public Relations Specialists	5	0	0.00
27-3041.00	Editors	3	0	0.00
27-3043.02	Creative Writers	6	0	0.00
27-3043.04	Copy Writers	3	0	0.00
27-4021.00	Photographers	3	0	0.00
29-1111.00	Registered Nurses	9	11	0.82
29-2061.00	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	8	3	2.67
29-2071.00	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	8	1	8.00

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O*Net Code Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
Total for Professional and Related Occupations	215	86	2.50
Service Occupations			
31-1011.00 Home Health Aides	12	0	0.00
31-1012.00 Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	49	26	1.88
31-1013.00 Psychiatric Aides	5	4	1.25
31-9091.00 Dental Assistants	4	0	0.00
31-9092.00 Medical Assistants	4	2	2.00
31-9094.00 Medical Transcriptionists	7	1	7.00
31-9096.00 Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	5	0	0.00
31-9099.99 Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	6	0	0.00
33-3012.00 Correctional Officers and Jailers	6	2	3.00
33-3051.00 Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	3	0	0.00
33-9011.00 Animal Control Workers	4	0	0.00
33-9032.00 Security Guards	26	11	2.36
33-9091.00 Crossing Guards	5	6	0.83
33-9092.00 Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other Recreational Protective Service Workers	5	0	0.00
35-1011.00 Chefs and Head Cooks	3	0	0.00
35-1012.00 First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	10	15	0.67
35-2011.00 Cooks, Fast Food	8	3	2.67
35-2012.00 Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	12	7	1.71
35-2014.00 Cooks, Restaurant	32	6	5.33
35-2015.00 Cooks, Short Order	6	0	0.00
35-2019.99 Cooks, All Other	9	2	4.50
35-2021.00 Food Preparation Workers	16	13	1.23
35-3011.00 Bartenders	35	10	3.50
35-3021.00 Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	36	30	1.20
35-3031.00 Waiters and Waitresses	65	14	4.64
35-3041.00 Food Servers, Nonrestaurant	9	0	0.00
35-9011.00 Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants and Bartender Helpers	4	1	4.00
35-9021.00 Dishwashers	18	1	18.00
35-9031.00 Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop	11	0	0.00
35-9099.99 Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers, All Other	3	40	0.08
37-1011.01 Housekeeping Supervisors	9	1	9.00
37-2011.00 Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	36	18	2.00
37-2012.00 Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	26	12	2.17
37-2019.99 Building Cleaning Workers, All Other	7	1	7.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
37-3011.00	Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	28	6	4.67
37-3013.00	Tree Trimmers and Pruners	3	0	0.00
37-3019.99	Grounds Maintenance Workers, All Other	5	0	0.00
39-2011.00	Animal Trainers	3	0	0.00
39-2021.00	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	3	1	3.00
39-9011.00	Child Care Workers	45	2	22.50
39-9021.00	Personal and Home Care Aides	9	0	0.00
39-9032.00	Recreation Workers	0	10	0.00
39-9099.99	Personal Care and Service Workers, All Other	6	0	0.00
Total for Service Occupations		401	251	1.60
Sales and Related Occupations				
41-1011.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Retail Sales Workers	20	7	2.86
41-1012.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Non-Retail Sales Workers	3	0	0.00
41-2011.00	Cashiers	113	41	2.76
41-2021.00	Counter and Rental Clerks	13	2	6.50
41-2022.00	Parts Salespersons	2	5	0.40
41-2031.00	Retail Salespersons	76	18	4.22
41-3011.00	Advertising Sales Agents	10	1	10.00
41-3021.00	Insurance Sales Agents	7	17	0.41
41-3031.01	Sales Agents, Securities and Commodities	3	0	0.00
41-3041.00	Travel Agents	5	0	0.00
41-3099.99	Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	11	1	11.00
41-4011.03	Sales Representatives, Electrical/Electronic	4	2	2.00
41-4012.00	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	7	1	7.00
41-9011.00	Demonstrators and Product Promoters	4	3	1.33
41-9041.00	Telemarketers	29	13	2.23
41-9091.00	Door-To-Door Sales Workers, News and Street Vendors, and Related Workers	3	2	1.50
41-9099.99	Sales and Related Workers, All Other	20	1	20.00
Total for Sales and Related Occupations		261	115	2.27
Office and Administrative Support Occupations				
43-1011.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Office and Administrative Support Workers	6	0	0.00
43-1011.01	First-Line Supervisors, Customer Service	3	0	0.00
43-1011.02	First-Line Supervisors, Administrative Support	3	0	0.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
43-2011.00	Switchboard Operators, Including Answering Service	4	0	0.00
43-3011.00	Bill and Account Collectors	10	1	10.00
43-3021.00	Billing and Posting Clerks and Machine Operators	7	0	0.00
43-3021.02	Billing, Cost, and Rate Clerks	7	0	0.00
43-3021.03	Billing, Posting, and Calculating Machine Operators	4	0	0.00
43-3031.00	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	59	13	4.54
43-3041.00	Gaming Cage Workers	0	25	0.00
43-3051.00	Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	9	2	4.50
43-3071.00	Tellers	19	4	4.75
43-4021.00	Correspondence Clerks	3	0	0.00
43-4031.00	Court, Municipal, and License Clerks	4	0	0.00
43-4051.00	Customer Service Representatives	26	4	6.50
43-4051.01	Adjustment Clerks	4	0	0.00
43-4051.02	Customer Service Representatives, Utilities	3	0	0.00
43-4071.00	File Clerks	9	0	0.00
43-4081.00	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	14	4	3.50
43-4141.00	New Accounts Clerks	5	0	0.00
43-4151.00	Order Clerks	5	4	1.25
43-4161.00	Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping	11	2	5.50
43-4171.00	Receptionists and Information Clerks	82	10	8.20
43-4199.99	Information and Record Clerks, All Other	4	1	4.00
43-5021.00	Couriers and Messengers	4	1	4.00
43-5051.00	Postal Service Clerks	5	0	0.00
43-5061.00	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	3	3	1.00
43-5071.00	Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	14	2	7.00
43-5081.00	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	10	1	10.00
43-5081.01	Stock Clerks, Sales Floor	34	4	8.50
43-5081.03	Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard	33	3	11.00
43-5081.04	Order Fillers, Wholesale and Retail Sales	8	0	0.00
43-6011.00	Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	30	6	5.00
43-6012.00	Legal Secretaries	6	1	6.00
43-6013.00	Medical Secretaries	14	0	0.00
43-6014.00	Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	60	9	6.67
43-9011.00	Computer Operators	15	0	0.00
43-9021.00	Data Entry Keyers	37	3	12.33
43-9022.00	Word Processors and Typists	10	0	0.00
43-9041.02	Insurance Policy Processing Clerks	3	0	0.00
43-9061.00	Office Clerks, General	79	3	26.33

Job Applicants and Openings by Occupation (April 1, 2006 - June 30, 2006)

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
43-9199.99	Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other	16	0	0.00
Total for Office and Administrative Support Occupations		373	113	3.30
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations				
45-2021.00	Animal Breeders	3	0	0.00
45-2091.00	Agricultural Equipment Operators	7	1	7.00
45-2092.01	Nursery Workers	3	0	0.00
45-2092.02	General Farmworkers	13	5	2.60
45-2093.00	Farmworkers, Farm and Ranch Animals	29	16	1.81
Total for Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations		57	23	2.48
Construction and Extraction Occupations				
47-2031.00	Carpenters	14	2	7.00
47-2031.01	Construction Carpenters	24	10	2.40
47-2031.02	Rough Carpenters	6	0	0.00
47-2031.03	Carpenter Assemblers and Repairers	6	1	6.00
47-2041.00	Carpet Installers	4	0	0.00
47-2051.00	Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	12	2	6.00
47-2061.00	Construction Laborers	40	13	3.08
47-2073.00	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	3	1	3.00
47-2073.01	Grader, Bulldozer, and Scraper Operators	9	5	1.80
47-2073.02	Operating Engineers	7	5	1.40
47-2081.02	Drywall Installers	4	0	0.00
47-2111.00	Electricians	2	7	0.29
47-2141.00	Painters, Construction and Maintenance	14	1	14.00
47-2152.02	Plumbers	7	3	2.33
47-2181.00	Roofers	15	2	7.50
47-2221.00	Structural Iron and Steel Workers	1	3	0.33
47-3012.00	Helpers--Carpenters	27	4	6.75
47-3013.00	Helpers--Electricians	6	0	0.00
47-3014.00	Helpers--Painters, Paperhangers, Plasterers, and Stucco Masons	3	0	0.00
47-3015.00	Helpers--Pipelayers, Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	3	2	1.50
47-3016.00	Helpers--Roofers	3	3	1.00
47-3019.99	Helpers, Construction Trades, All Other	5	6	0.83
47-4051.00	Highway Maintenance Workers	3	1	3.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
47-4099.99	Construction and Related Workers, All Other	10	13	0.77
Total for Construction and Extraction Occupations		156	89	1.75
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations				
49-1011.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	5	2	2.50
49-2022.00	Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers	3	0	0.00
49-2092.02	Electric Motor and Switch Assemblers and Repairers	2	6	0.33
49-2094.00	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Commercial and Industrial Equipment	2	4	0.50
49-3021.00	Automotive Body and Related Repairers	4	1	4.00
49-3023.00	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	6	2	3.00
49-3023.01	Automotive Master Mechanics	14	8	1.75
49-3031.00	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	5	4	1.25
49-9021.00	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	4	0	0.00
49-9021.01	Heating and Air Conditioning Mechanics	2	3	0.67
49-9041.00	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	14	3	4.67
49-9042.00	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	18	16	1.13
49-9052.00	Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	3	1	3.00
49-9098.00	Helpers--Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	6	1	6.00
49-9099.99	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other	4	7	0.57
Total for Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations		86	65	1.32
Production Occupations				
51-1011.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Production and Operating Workers	4	1	4.00
51-2022.00	Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers	2	3	0.67
51-2031.00	Engine and Other Machine Assemblers	16	9	1.78
51-2092.00	Team Assemblers	28	53	0.53
51-2099.99	Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other	32	6	5.33
51-3011.00	Bakers	3	0	0.00
51-3011.01	Bakers, Bread and Pastry	0	3	0.00
51-3021.00	Butchers and Meat Cutters	4	8	0.50
51-3023.00	Slaughterers and Meat Packers	4	5	0.80
51-3093.00	Food Cooking Machine Operators and Tenders	3	0	0.00
51-4011.01	Numerical Control Machine Tool Operators and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	9	7	1.29
51-4031.03	Press and Press Brake Machine Setters and Set-Up Operators, Metal and Plastic	6	0	0.00
51-4032.00	Drilling and Boring Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	3	0	0.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
51-4041.00	Machinists	11	8	1.38
51-4072.02	Plastic Molding and Casting Machine Operators and Tenders	4	2	2.00
51-4081.01	Combination Machine Tool Setters and Set-Up Operators, Metal and Plastic	8	4	2.00
51-4081.02	Combination Machine Tool Operators and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	18	7	2.57
51-4121.00	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	3	0	0.00
51-4121.01	Welders, Production	18	28	0.64
51-4121.02	Welders and Cutters	13	1	13.00
51-4121.03	Welder-Fitters	6	7	0.86
51-4199.99	Metal Workers and Plastic Workers, All Other	3	1	3.00
51-5023.09	Printing Press Machine Operators and Tenders	4	4	1.00
51-6031.02	Sewing Machine Operators, Non-Garment	4	3	1.33
51-6093.00	Upholsterers	2	4	0.50
51-7011.00	Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters	6	3	2.00
51-7021.00	Furniture Finishers	0	4	0.00
51-9023.00	Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	0	76	0.00
51-9041.02	Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Machine Operators and Tenders	4	1	4.00
51-9061.05	Production Inspectors, Testers, Graders, Sorters, Samplers, Weighers	6	2	3.00
51-9111.00	Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	13	0	0.00
51-9123.00	Painting, Coating, and Decorating Workers	6	4	1.50
51-9195.07	Molding and Casting Workers	3	0	0.00
51-9198.00	Helpers--Production Workers	5	1	5.00
51-9198.01	Production Laborers	115	54	2.13
51-9198.02	Production Helpers	10	1	10.00
51-9199.99	Production Workers, All Other	125	77	1.62
Total for Production Occupations		394	400	0.99

Transportation and Material Moving Occupations

53-1021.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Helpers, Laborers, and Material Movers, Hand	3	0	0.00
53-3021.00	Bus Drivers, Transit and Intercity	3	1	3.00
53-3022.00	Bus Drivers, School	1	4	0.25
53-3031.00	Driver/Sales Workers	10	8	1.25
53-3032.00	Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer	6	5	1.20
53-3032.01	Truck Drivers, Heavy	14	28	0.50
53-3032.02	Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	12	10	1.20
53-3033.00	Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	19	5	3.80
53-3041.00	Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs	4	1	4.00
53-4021.02	Railroad Yard Workers	0	25	0.00

Job Applicants and Openings by Occupation (April 1, 2006 - June 30, 2006)
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O*Net Code Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
53-6031.00 Service Station Attendants	4	1	4.00
53-6099.99 Transportation Workers, All Other	3	1	3.00
53-7051.00 Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	37	7	5.29
53-7061.00 Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment	8	0	0.00
53-7062.00 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	8	4	2.00
53-7062.03 Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	37	6	6.17
53-7063.00 Machine Feeders and Offbearers	9	1	9.00
53-7064.00 Packers and Packagers, Hand	38	10	3.80
Total for Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	183	119	1.54
Military Specific Occupations			
Total for Military Specific Occupations	4	0	0.00
Grand Total	1,201	1,312	0.92

Source: Labor Market and Economic Research Bureau, Iowa Workforce Development

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Notes

* Includes applicants who were registered with Iowa Workforce Development and employer openings available during the stated reference period. Only occupations with a minimum of applicants or openings (3 per region *or* 25 statewide) are included in the detail listing. All occupations are added into the totals, however, so a grouping may show totals with no detail listing.

Applicants may be qualified for more than one occupation and this table counts them in each job category they list on their application. For this reason, summing the "Available Applicants" lines will normally result in a total greater than the number of applicants who have registered. However, an applicant is counted only *once* per occupational group (for the group total) and *once* per IWD Region (for the regional total). For example, an applicant classified as an Advertising and Promotions Manager (11-2011.00) and a Public Relations Manager (11-2031.00) would be counted in both occupations. However, she would only be counted *once* in the "Total for Business, Management, Financial Occupations" total and *once* in the "Grand Total."

** This ratio refers to the number of applicants available for each opening during the year.

A job order can have more than one opening.

**Job Openings by Iowa Workforce Development Region and Industry
(April 1, 2006 - June 30, 2006)**

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NAICS CODE	TITLE	OPENINGS *
Total, all industries		1,253
Natural Resources and Mining		29
1122	Hog and Pig Farming	12
Construction		85
2361	Residential Building Construction	15
2373	Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction	34
2382	Building Equipment Contractors	13
Manufacturing		336
3116	Animal Slaughtering and Processing	57
3219	Other Wood Product Manufacturing	50
3222	Converted Paper Product Manufacturing	12
3324	Boiler, Tank, and Shipping Container Manufacturing	47
3339	Other General Purpose Machinery Manufacturing	30
3353	Electrical Equipment Manufacturing	19
3362	Motor Vehicle Body and Trailer Manufacturing	25
3371	Household and Institutional Furniture and Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturing	27
Trade, Transportation and Utilities		167
4238	Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies Merchant Wholesalers	12
4451	Grocery Stores	36
4521	Department Stores	15
4841	General Freight Trucking	10
Information		16

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NAICS CODE	TITLE	OPENINGS *
Financial Activities		46
5222	Nondepository Credit Intermediation	11
5242	Agencies, Brokerages, and Other Insurance Related Activities	11
Professional and Business Services		217
5511	Management of Companies and Enterprises	42
5611	Office Administrative Services	30
5613	Employment Services	83
5614	Business Support Services	27
Education and Health Services		104
6112	Junior Colleges	24
6221	General Medical and Surgical Hospitals	17
6231	Nursing Care Facilities	23
6241	Individual and Family Services	15
Leisure and Hospitality		157
7211	Traveler Accommodation	52
7221	Full-Service Restaurants	15
7222	Limited-Service Eating Places	76
Other Services		21
8111	Automotive Repair and Maintenance	11
Public Administration		14
9211	Executive, Legislative, and Other General Government Support	11
Unclassified		61

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NAICS CODE	TITLE	OPENINGS *
9999	Unclassified	61

* Only industries with a minimum of 10 openings (Statewide) or 3 openings (Iowa Workforce Development Region) are included in the detailed listing, although all openings have been added to the totals.

Those falling under the category entitled "Unclassified," NAICSCode 9999, were entered into the system directly by employers on the web with no code attached.

Source: Labor Market and Economic Research Bureau, Iowa Workforce Development



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