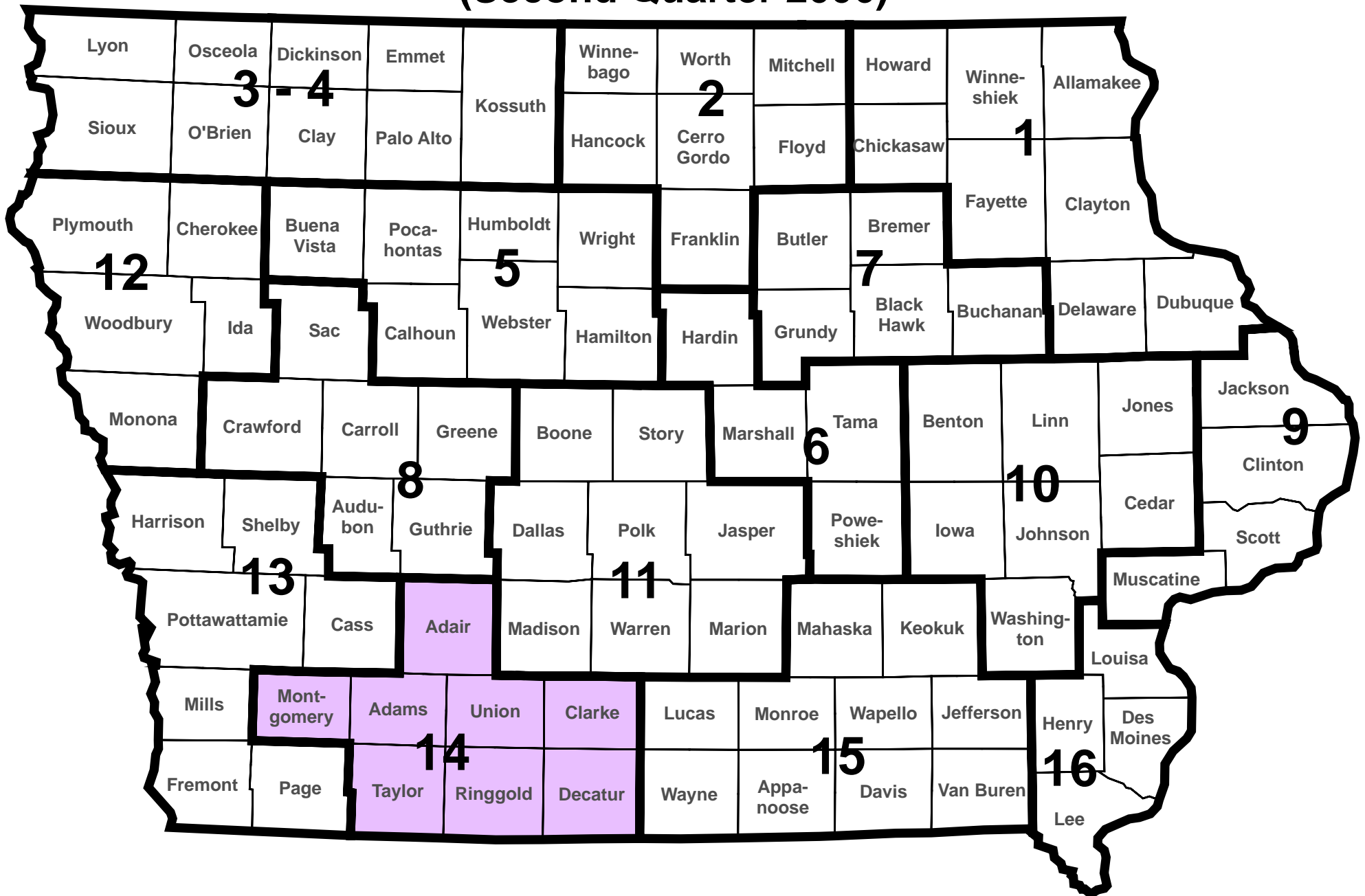


# Job Applicants and Openings for IWD Region 14 (Second Quarter 2006)



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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 14**

Characteristic	Number	Percent	Characteristic	Number	Percent
<b>Total</b>	1,171	100.0			
<b>Age Group</b>			<b>Education</b>		
15 and Under	18	2.0	High School or GED	708	61.0
16 to 19	116	10.0	Associate Degree	117	10.0
20 to 21	93	8.0	Bachelors Degree	41	3.5
22 to 39	542	46.0	Masters Degree	11	0.9
40 to 54	289	25.0	Doctorate	0	0.0
55 and Over	111	10.0	Not Reported	294	25.0
Not Reported	2	0.0			
<b>Gender</b>			<b>Miscellaneous</b>		
Male	563	48.0	Claimants	162	13.8
Female	608	52.0	Veterans	74	6.3
<b>Ethnic Group</b>			Work Related Disability	6	0.5
White	1,085	93.0	ADA Disability	35	3.0
Black	8	1.0	Dislocated Worker	6	0.5
Hispanic	49	4.0			
American Indian	12	1.0			
Asian/Pacific Islander	4	0.0			
Not Reported	62	5.0			

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

**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**
<b>Management, Business, Financial Occupations</b>				
11-1011.01	Government Service Executives	3	1	3.00
11-1011.02	Private Sector Executives	4	0	0.00
11-1021.00	General and Operations Managers	5	3	1.67
11-2011.00	Advertising and Promotions Managers	3	0	0.00
11-2021.00	Marketing Managers	4	0	0.00
11-2022.00	Sales Managers	6	2	3.00
11-3011.00	Administrative Services Managers	19	0	0.00
11-3040.00	Human Resources Managers	7	6	1.17
11-3051.00	Industrial Production Managers	9	4	2.25
11-3071.02	Storage and Distribution Managers	3	1	3.00
11-9012.00	Farmers and Ranchers	13	0	0.00
11-9051.00	Food Service Managers	23	12	1.92
11-9111.00	Medical and Health Services Managers	0	3	0.00
11-9151.00	Social and Community Service Managers	3	1	3.00
11-9199.99	Managers, All Other	21	2	10.50
13-1021.00	Purchasing Agents and Buyers, Farm Products	3	0	0.00
13-1022.00	Wholesale and Retail Buyers, Except Farm Products	4	0	0.00
13-1023.00	Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products	4	0	0.00
13-1071.01	Employment Interviewers, Private or Public Employment Service	4	0	0.00
13-1073.00	Training and Development Specialists	4	1	4.00
13-1079.99	Human Resources, Training, and Labor Relations Specialists, All Other	7	0	0.00
13-2011.01	Accountants	12	1	12.00
13-2031.00	Budget Analysts	3	0	0.00
13-2051.00	Financial Analysts	4	0	0.00
13-2072.00	Loan Officers	3	0	0.00
<b>Total for Management, Business, Financial Occupations</b>		<b>136</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>3.16</b>
<b>Professional and Related Occupations</b>				
15-1021.00	Computer Programmers	8	1	8.00
15-1041.00	Computer Support Specialists	6	1	6.00
15-1071.00	Network and Computer Systems Administrators	4	0	0.00
15-1099.99	Computer Specialists, All Other	4	0	0.00
17-2112.00	Industrial Engineers	5	3	1.67
17-2141.00	Mechanical Engineers	0	5	0.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
17-3011.01	Architectural Drafters	3	1	3.00
17-3013.00	Mechanical Drafters	2	4	0.50
19-4031.00	Chemical Technicians	1	3	0.33
21-1012.00	Educational, Vocational, and School Counselors	3	0	0.00
21-1014.00	Mental Health Counselors	4	0	0.00
21-1019.99	Counselors, All Other	7	0	0.00
21-1021.00	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	9	4	2.25
21-1092.00	Probation Officers and Correctional Treatment Specialists	3	0	0.00
21-1093.00	Social and Human Service Assistants	10	0	0.00
23-2011.00	Paralegals and Legal Assistants	3	0	0.00
25-2011.00	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	7	0	0.00
25-2021.00	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	4	0	0.00
25-9041.00	Teacher Assistants	12	2	6.00
27-1019.99	Artists and Related Workers, All Other	4	0	0.00
27-1024.00	Graphic Designers	5	0	0.00
27-3041.00	Editors	3	0	0.00
29-1111.00	Registered Nurses	5	10	0.50
29-2061.00	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	16	4	4.00
29-2071.00	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	7	0	0.00
<b>Total for Professional and Related Occupations</b>		<b>174</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>3.05</b>

**Service Occupations**

31-1011.00	Home Health Aides	15	1	15.00
31-1012.00	Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	81	12	6.75
31-1013.00	Psychiatric Aides	17	17	1.00
31-9092.00	Medical Assistants	7	1	7.00
31-9094.00	Medical Transcriptionists	3	0	0.00
31-9096.00	Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	3	0	0.00
31-9099.99	Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	11	0	0.00
33-3012.00	Correctional Officers and Jailers	12	0	0.00
33-3021.01	Police Detectives	3	0	0.00
33-3051.00	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	4	1	4.00
33-3051.01	Police Patrol Officers	7	0	0.00
33-3051.03	Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs	3	1	3.00
33-9032.00	Security Guards	33	15	2.20
33-9092.00	Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other Recreational Protective Service Workers	3	2	1.50
35-1012.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	8	1	8.00

**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**
35-2011.00	Cooks, Fast Food	47	2	23.50
35-2012.00	Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	18	6	3.00
35-2014.00	Cooks, Restaurant	32	22	1.45
35-2015.00	Cooks, Short Order	8	2	4.00
35-2019.99	Cooks, All Other	10	1	10.00
35-2021.00	Food Preparation Workers	22	2	11.00
35-3011.00	Bartenders	9	2	4.50
35-3021.00	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	144	66	2.18
35-3022.00	Counter Attendants, Cafeteria, Food Concession, and Coffee Shop	5	0	0.00
35-3031.00	Waiters and Waitresses	91	18	5.06
35-3041.00	Food Servers, Nonrestaurant	6	2	3.00
35-9011.00	Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants and Bartender Helpers	8	2	4.00
35-9021.00	Dishwashers	42	6	7.00
35-9031.00	Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop	9	0	0.00
37-1011.01	Housekeeping Supervisors	18	0	0.00
37-2011.00	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	65	8	8.13
37-2012.00	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	62	7	8.86
37-2019.99	Building Cleaning Workers, All Other	6	0	0.00
37-3011.00	Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	38	9	4.22
37-3013.00	Tree Trimmers and Pruners	4	0	0.00
37-3019.99	Grounds Maintenance Workers, All Other	6	0	0.00
39-2021.00	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	6	1	6.00
39-3011.00	Gaming Dealers	3	0	0.00
39-5012.00	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	4	7	0.57
39-9011.00	Child Care Workers	51	1	51.00
39-9021.00	Personal and Home Care Aides	10	1	10.00
39-9032.00	Recreation Workers	3	0	0.00
39-9099.99	Personal Care and Service Workers, All Other	4	0	0.00
<b>Total for Service Occupations</b>		<b>532</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>2.41</b>

**Sales and Related Occupations**

41-1011.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Retail Sales Workers	17	0	0.00
41-1012.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Non-Retail Sales Workers	6	0	0.00
41-2011.00	Cashiers	189	7	27.00
41-2021.00	Counter and Rental Clerks	5	0	0.00
41-2022.00	Parts Salespersons	3	1	3.00
41-2031.00	Retail Salespersons	74	4	18.50

**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**
41-3011.00	Advertising Sales Agents	4	0	0.00
41-3021.00	Insurance Sales Agents	11	13	0.85
41-3099.99	Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	9	2	4.50
41-4011.01	Sales Representatives, Agricultural	3	1	3.00
41-4011.04	Sales Representatives, Mechanical Equipment and Supplies	3	1	3.00
41-4012.00	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	6	0	0.00
41-9041.00	Telemarketers	33	15	2.20
41-9099.99	Sales and Related Workers, All Other	19	0	0.00
<b>Total for Sales and Related Occupations</b>		<b>294</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>6.68</b>

**Office and Administrative Support Occupations**

43-1011.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Office and Administrative Support Workers	5	0	0.00
43-1011.01	First-Line Supervisors, Customer Service	3	0	0.00
43-1011.02	First-Line Supervisors, Administrative Support	7	0	0.00
43-2011.00	Switchboard Operators, Including Answering Service	5	0	0.00
43-3011.00	Bill and Account Collectors	4	1	4.00
43-3021.02	Billing, Cost, and Rate Clerks	3	0	0.00
43-3031.00	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	35	1	35.00
43-3051.00	Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	5	0	0.00
43-3071.00	Tellers	17	3	5.67
43-4021.00	Correspondence Clerks	3	0	0.00
43-4051.00	Customer Service Representatives	31	10	3.10
43-4051.01	Adjustment Clerks	9	1	9.00
43-4061.00	Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs	4	1	4.00
43-4061.02	Welfare Eligibility Workers and Interviewers	3	0	0.00
43-4071.00	File Clerks	13	0	0.00
43-4081.00	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	9	0	0.00
43-4111.00	Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan	4	3	1.33
43-4121.00	Library Assistants, Clerical	3	0	0.00
43-4141.00	New Accounts Clerks	5	0	0.00
43-4151.00	Order Clerks	10	1	10.00
43-4161.00	Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping	4	0	0.00
43-4171.00	Receptionists and Information Clerks	86	6	14.33
43-5021.00	Couriers and Messengers	21	0	0.00
43-5031.00	Police, Fire, and Ambulance Dispatchers	5	2	2.50
43-5032.00	Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance	6	0	0.00
43-5051.00	Postal Service Clerks	3	0	0.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
43-5061.00	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	4	1	4.00
43-5071.00	Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	23	2	11.50
43-5081.00	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	6	0	0.00
43-5081.01	Stock Clerks, Sales Floor	45	7	6.43
43-5081.03	Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard	43	11	3.91
43-5081.04	Order Fillers, Wholesale and Retail Sales	4	0	0.00
43-6011.00	Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	29	7	4.14
43-6012.00	Legal Secretaries	3	1	3.00
43-6013.00	Medical Secretaries	6	0	0.00
43-6014.00	Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	48	1	48.00
43-9011.00	Computer Operators	9	0	0.00
43-9021.00	Data Entry Keyers	51	0	0.00
43-9022.00	Word Processors and Typists	13	0	0.00
43-9051.02	Mail Clerks, Except Mail Machine Operators and Postal Service	3	0	0.00
43-9061.00	Office Clerks, General	105	12	8.75
43-9081.00	Proofreaders and Copy Markers	3	0	0.00
43-9199.99	Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other	17	1	17.00
<b>Total for Office and Administrative Support Occupations</b>		<b>407</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>5.65</b>
<b>Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations</b>				
45-2021.00	Animal Breeders	6	2	3.00
45-2091.00	Agricultural Equipment Operators	5	4	1.25
45-2092.00	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse	6	0	0.00
45-2092.01	Nursery Workers	1	6	0.17
45-2092.02	General Farmworkers	24	0	0.00
45-2093.00	Farmworkers, Farm and Ranch Animals	24	10	2.40
45-3011.00	Fishers and Related Fishing Workers	43	0	0.00
45-4011.00	Forest and Conservation Workers	5	0	0.00
<b>Total for Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations</b>		<b>113</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>4.91</b>
<b>Construction and Extraction Occupations</b>				
47-1011.01	First-Line Supervisors and Manager/Supervisors- Construction Trades Workers	4	1	4.00
47-2031.00	Carpenters	20	0	0.00
47-2031.01	Construction Carpenters	26	1	26.00
47-2031.02	Rough Carpenters	9	0	0.00

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
47-2031.03	Carpenter Assemblers and Repairers	13	2	6.50
47-2051.00	Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	12	0	0.00
47-2061.00	Construction Laborers	52	13	4.00
47-2071.00	Paving, Surfacing, and Tamping Equipment Operators	3	0	0.00
47-2073.01	Grader, Bulldozer, and Scraper Operators	13	1	13.00
47-2073.02	Operating Engineers	6	1	6.00
47-2081.02	Drywall Installers	3	0	0.00
47-2111.00	Electricians	13	6	2.17
47-2141.00	Painters, Construction and Maintenance	9	2	4.50
47-2152.01	Pipe Fitters	0	10	0.00
47-2152.02	Plumbers	7	4	1.75
47-2181.00	Roofers	12	0	0.00
47-2221.00	Structural Iron and Steel Workers	4	0	0.00
47-3012.00	Helpers--Carpenters	24	0	0.00
47-3013.00	Helpers--Electricians	8	5	1.60
47-3014.00	Helpers--Painters, Paperhangers, Plasterers, and Stucco Masons	3	0	0.00
47-3016.00	Helpers--Roofers	3	0	0.00
47-3019.99	Helpers, Construction Trades, All Other	7	0	0.00
47-4051.00	Highway Maintenance Workers	12	1	12.00
47-4099.99	Construction and Related Workers, All Other	5	2	2.50
<b>Total for Construction and Extraction Occupations</b>		<b>193</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>3.86</b>

**Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations**

49-1011.00	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	7	1	7.00
49-2011.00	Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers	4	0	0.00
49-3021.00	Automotive Body and Related Repairers	13	3	4.33
49-3023.00	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	10	0	0.00
49-3023.01	Automotive Master Mechanics	15	1	15.00
49-3031.00	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	6	6	1.00
49-3041.00	Farm Equipment Mechanics	4	0	0.00
49-3093.00	Tire Repairers and Changers	5	3	1.67
49-9021.01	Heating and Air Conditioning Mechanics	6	5	1.20
49-9041.00	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	13	5	2.60
49-9042.00	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	22	7	3.14
49-9043.00	Maintenance Workers, Machinery	3	3	1.00
49-9098.00	Helpers--Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	16	0	0.00

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O*Net Code Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
<b>Total for Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>3.11</b>
<b>Production Occupations</b>			
51-1011.00 First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Production and Operating Workers	17	8	2.13
51-2022.00 Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers	7	0	0.00
51-2031.00 Engine and Other Machine Assemblers	11	0	0.00
51-2092.00 Team Assemblers	49	0	0.00
51-2099.99 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other	20	1	20.00
51-3021.00 Butchers and Meat Cutters	5	4	1.25
51-3023.00 Slaughterers and Meat Packers	38	4	9.50
51-3092.00 Food Batchmakers	1	60	0.02
51-4011.01 Numerical Control Machine Tool Operators and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	6	3	2.00
51-4031.00 Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	5	0	0.00
51-4031.01 Sawing Machine Tool Setters and Set-Up Operators, Metal and Plastic	6	0	0.00
51-4031.03 Press and Press Brake Machine Setters and Set-Up Operators, Metal and Plastic	3	2	1.50
51-4041.00 Machinists	15	2	7.50
51-4071.00 Foundry Mold and Coremakers	21	0	0.00
51-4081.01 Combination Machine Tool Setters and Set-Up Operators, Metal and Plastic	12	0	0.00
51-4081.02 Combination Machine Tool Operators and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	69	20	3.45
51-4111.00 Tool and Die Makers	3	5	0.60
51-4121.00 Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	6	0	0.00
51-4121.01 Welders, Production	25	7	3.57
51-4121.02 Welders and Cutters	17	8	2.13
51-4122.02 Welding Machine Operators and Tenders	6	0	0.00
51-4199.99 Metal Workers and Plastic Workers, All Other	6	0	0.00
51-6031.00 Sewing Machine Operators	10	10	1.00
51-6031.01 Sewing Machine Operators, Garment	7	0	0.00
51-6031.02 Sewing Machine Operators, Non-Garment	3	0	0.00
51-7042.02 Woodworking Machine Operators and Tenders, Except Sawing	10	2	5.00
51-9012.00 Separating, Filtering, Clarifying, Precipitating, and Still Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	1	15	0.07
51-9022.00 Grinding and Polishing Workers, Hand	3	0	0.00
51-9061.00 Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	3	0	0.00
51-9061.05 Production Inspectors, Testers, Graders, Sorters, Samplers, Weighers	20	4	5.00
51-9111.00 Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	5	2	2.50
51-9193.00 Cooling and Freezing Equipment Operators and Tenders	0	6	0.00
51-9198.00 Helpers--Production Workers	29	1	29.00
51-9198.01 Production Laborers	223	100	2.23

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O*Net Code	Title	Available Applicants*	Available Openings*	Applicant/Opening Ratio**
51-9198.02	Production Helpers	26	16	1.63
51-9199.99	Production Workers, All Other	157	27	5.81
<b>Total for Production Occupations</b>		<b>565</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>1.78</b>
<b>Transportation and Material Moving Occupations</b>				
53-3031.00	Driver/Sales Workers	13	2	6.50
53-3032.00	Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer	8	6	1.33
53-3032.01	Truck Drivers, Heavy	16	16	1.00
53-3032.02	Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	9	29	0.31
53-3033.00	Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	20	6	3.33
53-6031.00	Service Station Attendants	9	0	0.00
53-7051.00	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	56	3	18.67
53-7061.00	Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment	7	4	1.75
53-7062.00	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	4	6	0.67
53-7062.03	Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	63	8	7.88
53-7063.00	Machine Feeders and Offbearers	5	0	0.00
53-7064.00	Packers and Packagers, Hand	55	2	27.50
<b>Total for Transportation and Material Moving Occupations</b>		<b>234</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>2.69</b>
<b>Military Specific Occupations</b>				
<b>Total for Military Specific Occupations</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>1,247</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>1.31</b>

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

**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**
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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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<b>NAICS CODE</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>OPENINGS *</b>
<b>Total, all industries</b>		<b>904</b>
<b>Natural Resources and Mining</b>		<b>51</b>
1114	Greenhouse, Nursery, and Floriculture Production	17
1122	Hog and Pig Farming	13
2123	Nonmetallic Mineral Mining and Quarrying	16
<b>Construction</b>		<b>43</b>
2362	Nonresidential Building Construction	11
2382	Building Equipment Contractors	19
<b>Manufacturing</b>		<b>208</b>
3113	Sugar and Confectionery Product Manufacturing	24
3116	Animal Slaughtering and Processing	31
3261	Plastics Product Manufacturing	12
3315	Foundries	25
3331	Agriculture, Construction, and Mining Machinery Manufacturing	12
3362	Motor Vehicle Body and Trailer Manufacturing	10
3363	Motor Vehicle Parts Manufacturing	30
<b>Trade, Transportation and Utilities</b>		<b>58</b>
<b>Information</b>		<b>5</b>
<b>Financial Activities</b>		<b>19</b>
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>		<b>226</b>
5613	Employment Services	192

**Job Openings by Iowa Workforce Development Region and Industry  
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NAICS CODE	TITLE	OPENINGS *
5614	Business Support Services	10
<b>Education and Health Services</b>		<b>81</b>
6221	General Medical and Surgical Hospitals	15
6231	Nursing Care Facilities	24
6232	Residential Mental Retardation, Mental Health and Substance Abuse Facilities	15
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>		<b>106</b>
7221	Full-Service Restaurants	68
7222	Limited-Service Eating Places	32
<b>Other Services</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Public Administration</b>		<b>25</b>
9211	Executive, Legislative, and Other General Government Support	18
<b>Unclassified</b>		<b>66</b>
9999	Unclassified	66

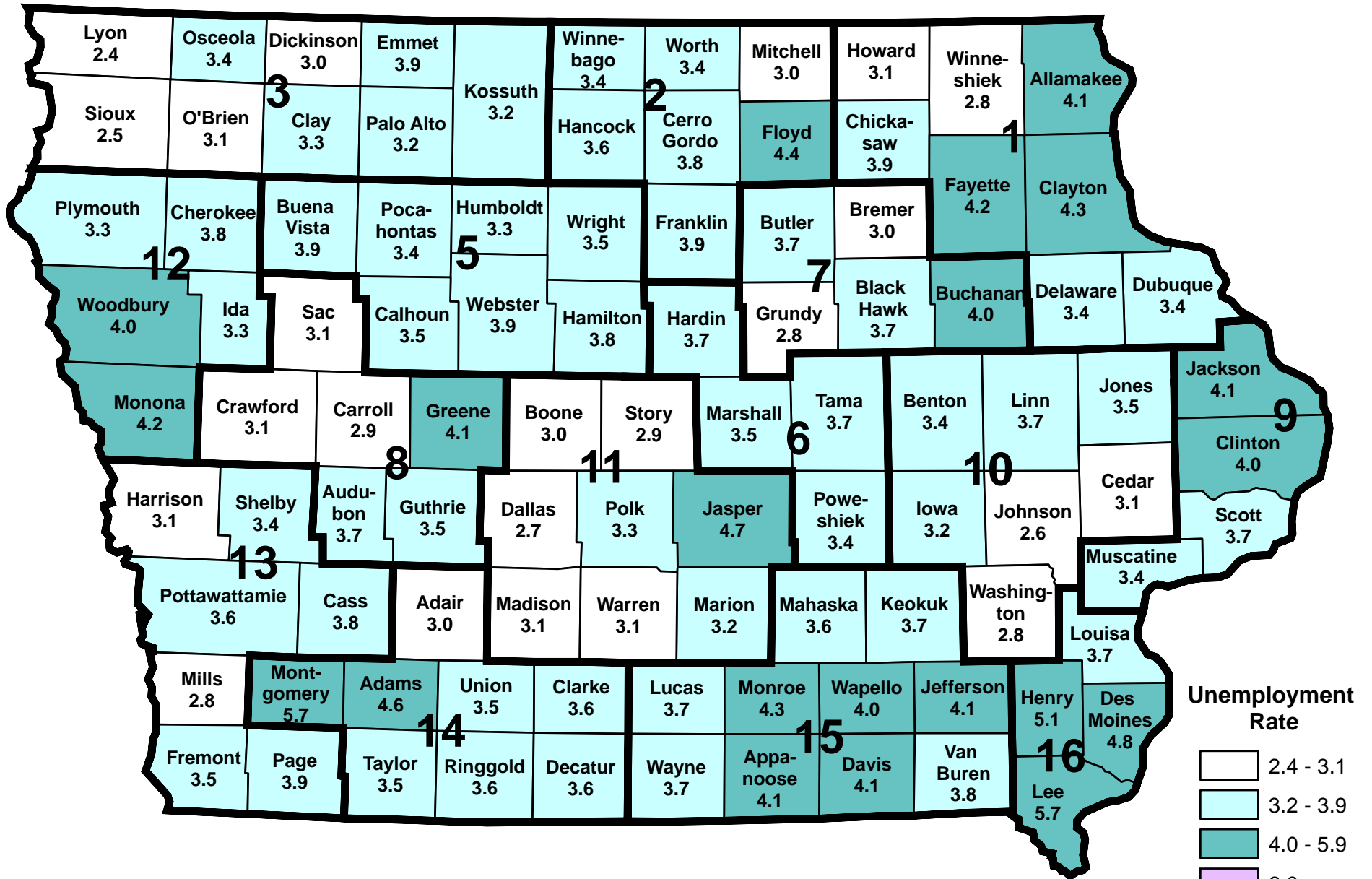
\* Only industries with a minimum of 10 openings (Statewide) or 3 openings (Iowa Workforce Development Region) are included in the detailed listing, although all openings have been added to the totals.

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

# Iowa Unemployment Rates by County

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