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	Live Births	Low Birthweight	Percentage	Live Births	Low Birthweight	Percentage	
Adair	68	1	1.5%	65	4	6.2%	25.6%
Adams	35	2	5.7%	38	2	5.3%	-21.4%
Allamakee	158	7	4.4%	170	13	7.6%	91.2%
Appanoose	142	8	5.6%	140	7	5.0%	38.9%
Audubon	47	3	6.4%	61	4	6.6%	98.7%
Benton	325	26	8.0%	305	20	6.6%	134.2%
Black Hawk	1,551	96	6.2%	1,596	137	8.6%	19.2%
Boone	317	14	4.4%	291	24	8.2%	-3.0%
Bremer	250	13	5.2%	238	7	2.9%	-45.5%
Buchanan	301	16	5.3%	301	18	6.0%	66.1%
Buena Vista	233	12	5.2%	240	12	5.0%	42.9%
Butler	170	9	5.3%	135	7	5.2%	-31.8%
Calhoun	107	8	7.5%	95	8	8.4%	83.1%
Carroll	262	11	4.2%	226	7	3.1%	-18.5%
Cass	158	8	5.1%	157	5	3.2%	2.7%
Cedar	206	10	4.9%	188	6	3.2%	-64.5%
Cerro Gordo	530	29	5.5%	475	33	6.9%	69.4%
Cherokee	146	10	6.8%	117	3	2.6%	-53.4%
Chickasaw	169	11	6.5%	140	11	7.9%	42.9%
Clarke	97	7	7.2%	135	6	4.4%	-40.7%
Clay	204	11	5.4%	204	13	6.4%	67.7%
Clayton	194	10	5.2%	217	12	5.5%	2.4%
Clinton	591	39	6.6%	613	51	8.3%	38.7%
Crawford	189	13	6.9%	225	15	6.7%	9.3%
Dallas	566	34	6.0%	526	35	6.7%	44.7%
Davis	129	9	7.0%	125	6	4.8%	-12.7%
Decatur	101	3	3.0%	82	5	6.1%	-7.6%
Delaware	227	20	8.8%	204	8	3.9%	-14.7%
Des Moines	555	44	7.9%	502	27	5.4%	-7.3%
Dickinson	159	10	6.3%	155	5	3.2%	-48.8%
Dubuque	1,221	62	5.1%	1,178	62	5.3%	-6.0%
Emmet	126	8	6.3%	125	4	3.2%	-46.7%
Fayette	233	13	5.6%	207	13	6.3%	30.8%
Floyd	199	8	4.0%	189	11	5.8%	57.3%
Franklin	113	9	8.0%	127	11	8.7%	170.7%
Fremont	82	7	8.5%	90	6	6.7%	33.3%
Greene	92	10	10.9%	112	5	4.5%	20.7%
Grundy	133	8	6.0%	125	10	8.0%	66.7%
Guthrie	134	6	4.5%	135	11	8.1%	409.3%
Hamilton	192	7	3.6%	179	14	7.8%	8.6%
Hancock	131	10	7.6%	133	10	7.5%	53.4%
Hardin	208	20	9.6%	232	9	3.9%	-25.4%
Harrison	193	16	8.3%	160	8	5.0%	16.3%
Henry	264	14	5.3%	216	21	9.7%	116.0%
Howard	110	6	5.5%	110	8	7.3%	939.0%
Humboldt	99	6	6.1%	117	7	6.0%	-5.0%
Ida	70	6	8.6%	79	2	2.5%	-9.6%
Iowa	183	11	6.0%	180	10	5.6%	68.4%
Jackson	239	20	8.4%	238	11	4.6%	-11.1%
Jasper	458	27	5.9%	460	38	8.3%	96.7%
Jefferson	145	12	8.3%	154	12	7.8%	36.7%
Johnson	1,382	74	5.4%	1,372	102	7.4%	61.6%
Jones	227	15	6.6%	198	10	5.1%	-45.1%
Keokuk	154	10	6.5%	126	11	8.7%	64.7%

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Kossuth	166	9	5.4%	157	10	6.4%	99.0%
Lee	410	34	8.3%	411	34	8.3%	117.7%
Linn	2,715	150	5.5%	2,846	163	5.7%	4.1%
Louisa	164	16	9.8%	159	12	7.5%	37.2%
Lucas	119	6	5.0%	108	7	6.5%	24.6%
Lyon	159	3	1.9%	141	7	5.0%	192.0%
Madison	196	15	7.7%	172	9	5.2%	37.7%
Mahaska	283	22	7.8%	296	19	6.4%	14.6%
Marion	383	26	6.8%	382	25	6.5%	45.4%
Marshall	556	32	5.8%	541	38	7.0%	35.1%
Mills	155	5	3.2%	181	11	6.1%	3.0%
Mitchell	131	4	3.1%	152	8	5.3%	69.8%
Monona	98	7	7.1%	113	6	5.3%	0.2%
Monroe	102	1	1.0%	83	9	10.8%	57.2%
Montgomery	139	7	5.0%	137	10	7.3%	-18.0%
Muscatine	638	27	4.2%	653	35	5.4%	5.1%
O'Brien	187	7	3.7%	149	7	4.7%	23.6%
Osceola	73	5	6.8%	74	8	10.8%	46.1%
Page	169	9	5.3%	159	14	8.8%	95.7%
Palo Alto	110	3	2.7%	103	8	7.8%	46.5%
Plymouth	309	14	4.5%	281	14	5.0%	-14.1%
Pocahontas	73	3	4.1%	65	6	9.2%	284.6%
Polk	6,216	387	6.2%	6,110	414	6.8%	2.7%
Pottawattamie	1,184	76	6.4%	1,222	83	6.8%	13.2%
Poweshiek	212	13	6.1%	201	13	6.5%	11.5%
Ringgold	69	4	5.8%	63	4	6.3%	41.1%
Sac	135	12	8.9%	100	8	8.0%	5.3%
Scott	2,348	166	7.1%	2,214	133	6.0%	1.8%
Shelby	150	12	8.0%	113	9	8.0%	141.4%
Sioux	457	16	3.5%	475	21	4.4%	-7.9%
Story	940	47	5.0%	924	47	5.1%	3.8%
Tama	251	19	7.6%	236	12	5.1%	121.1%
Taylor	87	13	14.9%	82	13	15.9%	268.7%
Union	127	7	5.5%	134	9	6.7%	97.5%
Van Buren	97	2	2.1%	92	8	8.7%	29.8%
Wapello	424	36	8.5%	444	27	6.1%	35.1%
Warren	513	28	5.5%	511	37	7.2%	-0.8%
Washington	290	16	5.5%	330	22	6.7%	70.9%
Wayne	79	4	5.1%	86	9	10.5%	336.0%
Webster	492	30	6.1%	501	27	5.4%	-5.5%
Winnebago	134	9	6.7%	131	13	9.9%	142.0%
Winneshiek	191	12	6.3%	204	11	5.4%	73.9%
Woodbury	1,692	128	7.6%	1,623	102	6.3%	16.4%
Worth	84	11	13.1%	87	9	10.3%	244.8%
Wright	168	14	8.3%	156	6	3.8%	-8.4%
State	38,250	2,346	6.1%	37,610	2,414	6.4%	18.9%
Rural	5,650	353	6.2%	5,452	357	6.5%	23.5%
Small Urban	13,351	807	6.0%	13,073	814	6.2%	29.7%
Metropolitan	19,249	1,186	6.2%	19,085	1,243	6.5%	8.5%
U.S.	4,055,507	308,219	7.6%	4,040,121	307,049	7.6%	8.6%