

Earned Income Tax Credit

Earned Income Tax Credit measures the number and percentage of individual income tax filers who receive the Earned Income Tax Credit.

Source: Internal Revenue Service

County	2000			2003			2000-2003 Change
	Income Tax Filers	Received EITC	Percentage	Income Tax Filers	Received EITC	Percentage	
Adair	3,193	295	9.2%	3,121	405	13.0%	40.5%
Adams	1,821	223	12.2%	1,762	300	17.0%	39.0%
Allamakee	6,527	787	12.1%	6,311	949	15.0%	24.7%
Appanoose	5,786	936	16.2%	5,667	1,145	20.2%	24.9%
Audubon	2,885	337	11.7%	2,741	401	14.6%	25.2%
Benton	11,032	927	8.4%	10,941	1,172	10.7%	27.5%
Black Hawk	55,541	7,144	12.9%	53,780	7,964	14.8%	15.1%
Boone	11,398	1,029	9.0%	11,193	1,264	11.3%	25.1%
Bremer	10,789	772	7.2%	10,638	946	8.9%	24.3%
Buchanan	9,727	962	9.9%	9,468	1,157	12.2%	23.6%
Buena Vista	8,929	1,148	12.9%	8,728	1,401	16.1%	24.8%
Butler	7,205	661	9.2%	7,109	888	12.5%	36.2%
Calhoun	5,156	562	10.9%	4,947	636	12.9%	17.9%
Carroll	10,652	1,002	9.4%	10,324	1,202	11.6%	23.8%
Cass	6,961	892	12.8%	6,679	1,012	15.2%	18.2%
Cedar	7,885	608	7.7%	7,762	802	10.3%	34.0%
Cerro Gordo	21,242	2,466	11.6%	20,462	2,791	13.6%	17.5%
Cherokee	6,024	617	10.2%	5,723	720	12.6%	22.8%
Chickasaw	6,282	657	10.5%	5,871	754	12.8%	22.8%
Clarke	3,873	559	14.4%	3,771	616	16.3%	13.2%
Clay	8,048	840	10.4%	7,675	1,042	13.6%	30.1%
Clayton	8,646	974	11.3%	8,274	1,169	14.1%	25.4%
Clinton	22,755	2,926	12.9%	21,895	3,361	15.4%	19.4%
Crawford	7,375	1,031	14.0%	6,984	1,138	16.3%	16.6%
Dallas	16,903	1,470	8.7%	17,490	1,822	10.4%	19.8%
Davis	3,447	410	11.9%	3,389	513	15.1%	27.3%
Decatur	3,316	551	16.6%	3,266	626	19.2%	15.4%
Delaware	7,726	794	10.3%	7,424	990	13.3%	29.8%
Des Moines	19,085	2,497	13.1%	18,110	2,963	16.4%	25.1%
Dickinson	8,406	763	9.1%	8,213	840	10.2%	12.7%
Dubuque	42,576	4,103	9.6%	41,830	5,064	12.1%	25.6%
Emmet	4,998	595	11.9%	4,665	650	13.9%	17.0%
Fayette	9,041	1,131	12.5%	8,643	1,395	16.1%	29.0%
Floyd	7,453	923	12.4%	7,150	1,044	14.6%	17.9%
Franklin	4,162	483	11.6%	4,100	589	14.4%	23.8%
Fremont	3,502	425	12.1%	3,293	463	14.1%	15.9%
Greene	4,517	540	12.0%	4,435	670	15.1%	26.4%
Grundy	5,258	406	7.7%	5,132	469	9.1%	18.4%
Guthrie	5,254	551	10.5%	5,226	695	13.3%	26.8%
Hamilton	7,317	749	10.2%	7,102	874	12.3%	20.2%
Hancock	5,076	507	10.0%	4,923	630	12.8%	28.1%
Hardin	9,284	986	10.6%	8,833	1,173	13.3%	25.0%
Harrison	6,935	767	11.1%	6,801	893	13.1%	18.7%
Henry	9,140	1,013	11.1%	8,823	1,258	14.3%	28.6%
Howard	5,236	503	9.6%	4,993	679	13.6%	41.6%
Humboldt	5,175	491	9.5%	4,966	635	12.8%	34.8%
Ida	3,499	370	10.6%	3,313	425	12.8%	21.3%
Iowa	7,693	518	6.7%	7,633	717	9.4%	39.5%
Jackson	9,502	1,136	12.0%	9,196	1,329	14.5%	20.9%
Jasper	16,343	1,411	8.6%	15,846	1,813	11.4%	32.5%
Jefferson	7,023	996	14.2%	6,669	1,192	17.9%	26.0%
Johnson	49,038	3,479	7.1%	49,765	4,500	9.0%	27.5%
Jones	8,429	864	10.3%	8,216	1,116	13.6%	32.5%
Keokuk	5,482	679	12.4%	5,257	783	14.9%	20.3%

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Kossuth	7,659	813	10.6%	7,289	893	12.3%	15.4%
Lee	16,630	2,169	13.0%	15,566	2,504	16.1%	23.3%
Linn	92,561	7,608	8.2%	91,082	9,921	10.9%	32.5%
Louisa	5,089	683	13.4%	4,917	811	16.5%	22.9%
Lucas	4,010	510	12.7%	3,933	636	16.2%	27.1%
Lyon	5,107	459	9.0%	4,911	578	11.8%	31.0%
Madison	6,133	548	8.9%	6,199	664	10.7%	19.9%
Mahaska	9,173	979	10.7%	8,819	1,219	13.8%	29.5%
Marion	14,568	1,083	7.4%	14,009	1,404	10.0%	34.8%
Marshall	17,740	2,211	12.5%	17,218	2,715	15.8%	26.5%
Mills	6,319	612	9.7%	6,248	733	11.7%	21.1%
Mitchell	4,416	417	9.4%	4,309	491	11.4%	20.7%
Monona	4,365	610	14.0%	4,161	695	16.7%	19.5%
Monroe	3,278	396	12.1%	3,196	495	15.5%	28.2%
Montgomery	5,285	685	13.0%	4,991	766	15.3%	18.4%
Muscatine	19,933	2,374	11.9%	19,216	2,860	14.9%	25.0%
O'Brien	7,224	707	9.8%	6,827	837	12.3%	25.3%
Osceola	3,046	306	10.0%	2,945	376	12.8%	27.1%
Page	7,211	818	11.3%	6,822	1,014	14.9%	31.0%
Palo Alto	4,742	531	11.2%	4,488	628	14.0%	25.0%
Plymouth	11,248	922	8.2%	11,002	1,084	9.9%	20.2%
Pocahontas	3,510	385	11.0%	3,242	449	13.8%	26.3%
Polk	178,946	17,093	9.6%	183,645	20,767	11.3%	18.4%
Pottawattamie	40,343	5,011	12.4%	39,805	5,908	14.8%	19.5%
Poweshiek	8,801	763	8.7%	8,613	1,004	11.7%	34.5%
Ringgold	2,086	302	14.5%	2,006	340	16.9%	17.1%
Sac	5,096	628	12.3%	4,709	646	13.7%	11.3%
Scott	74,616	8,906	11.9%	72,355	10,484	14.5%	21.4%
Shelby	5,413	567	10.5%	5,205	681	13.1%	24.9%
Sioux	13,216	956	7.2%	12,974	1,245	9.6%	32.7%
Story	33,828	2,068	6.1%	33,700	2,548	7.6%	23.7%
Tama	8,669	896	10.3%	8,400	1,074	12.8%	23.7%
Taylor	3,082	431	14.0%	2,951	518	17.6%	25.5%
Union	5,888	763	13.0%	5,609	948	16.9%	30.4%
Van Buren	3,678	518	14.1%	3,577	585	16.4%	16.1%
Wapello	15,360	2,440	15.9%	14,797	2,796	18.9%	19.0%
Warren	18,225	1,391	7.6%	18,259	1,804	9.9%	29.4%
Washington	10,400	962	9.3%	10,246	1,203	11.7%	26.9%
Wayne	2,773	405	14.6%	2,653	476	17.9%	22.8%
Webster	17,488	2,117	12.1%	16,535	2,369	14.3%	18.4%
Winnebago	5,856	556	9.5%	5,739	732	12.8%	34.3%
Winneshiek	8,750	733	8.4%	8,503	970	11.4%	36.2%
Woodbury	46,223	6,442	13.9%	44,072	7,635	17.3%	24.3%
Worth	3,496	371	10.6%	3,396	420	12.4%	16.5%
Wright	6,385	695	10.9%	6,194	867	14.0%	28.6%
State	1,328,413	139,306	10.5%	1,301,861	167,838	12.9%	22.9%
Rural	222,472	23,981	10.8%	215,362	28,865	13.4%	24.3%
Small Urban	492,269	53,471	10.9%	476,465	64,182	13.5%	24.0%
Metropolitan	613,672	61,854	10.1%	610,034	74,791	12.3%	21.6%
United States	125,302,193	18,750,417	15.0%	125,389,545	21,246,448	16.9%	13.2%