

# Prosperity Eastern Iowa Region

## Labor Force

Labor Market	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	% Unemployed
1990	108,720	102,810	5,910	5.02%
1991	111,520	104,960	6,410	5.37%
1992	114,490	108,150	6,450	5.55%
1993	117,170	111,980	5,280	4.60%
1994	117,530	112,600	4,930	4.35%
1995	116,640	111,750	4,880	4.42%
1996	119,500	113,030	6,370	5.25%
1997	117,940	113,210	4,740	4.10%
1998	115,650	111,790	3,880	3.45%
1999	115,770	112,240	3,530	3.17%
2000	118,810	114,240	4,580	3.67%
2001	119,240	113,900	5,340	4.52%
2002	119,370	113,380	6,000	5.23%
2003	118,670	112,900	5,950	5.08%
2004	121,040	114,600	6,450	5.30%
2005	122,300	116,640	5,560	4.70%
2006	125,840	121,110	4,820	3.85%

## Payroll Employment by Industry

	1997	2000	2005
Total All Industries	93,646	96,574	98,813
Private Business	82,519	85,061	86,977
Ag/Natural Resources Mining	702	513	807
Construction	3,674	3,937	4,658
Manufacturing	21,013	21,126	18,276
Trade	16,932	17,950	17,589
Wholesale trade	4,953	4,315	4,695
Retail trade	11,979	13,635	12,894
Transp., warehousing & utilities	2,852	2,608	3,602
Information	2,945	2,840	2,871
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	3,444	3,776	4,796
Professional & business services	5,210	6,478	6,263
Educational & health services	13,975	14,320	15,722
Leisure & hospitality	9,253	8,951	9,658
Other services, excluding public	2,519	2,562	2,734
Government	11,127	11,513	11,836

## Worker Earnings by Industry

	Employment	Wages (000)	Average weekly earnings
Total All Industries	98,813	\$2,966,616,677	\$526
Private Business	86,977	2,613,063,478	517
Ag/Natural Resources Mining	807	21,928,501	535
Construction	4,658	161,410,929	593
Manufacturing	18,276	799,739,923	721
Trade	17,589	426,438,464	465
Wholesale trade	4,695	168,437,804	669
Retail trade	12,894	258,000,660	379
Transp., warehousing & utilities	3,602	128,911,901	640
Information	2,871	102,914,058	540
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	4,796	172,310,927	614
Professional & business services	6,263	180,758,261	492
Educational & health services	15,722	461,894,642	448
Leisure & hospitality	9,658	106,919,632	172
Other services, excluding public	2,734	49,836,240	361
Government	11,836	353,553,199	560

## Notes & Sources

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS), [www.bls.gov/lau/home.htm](http://www.bls.gov/lau/home.htm)

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