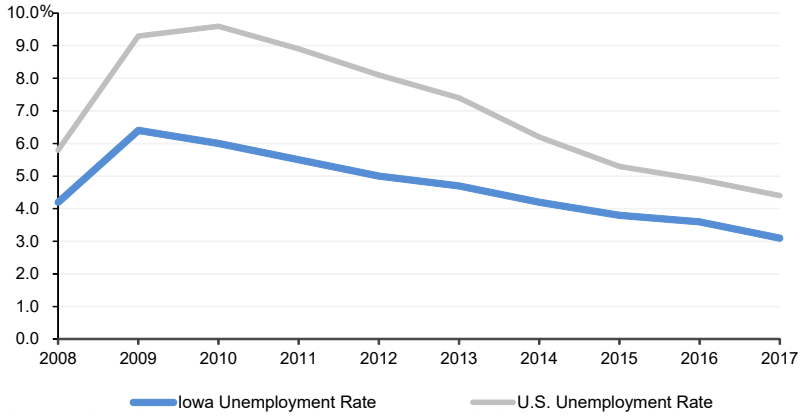
Unemployment Rate in Iowa and the United States — CY 2017



4.4%

2017 Unemployment Rate for the U.S.

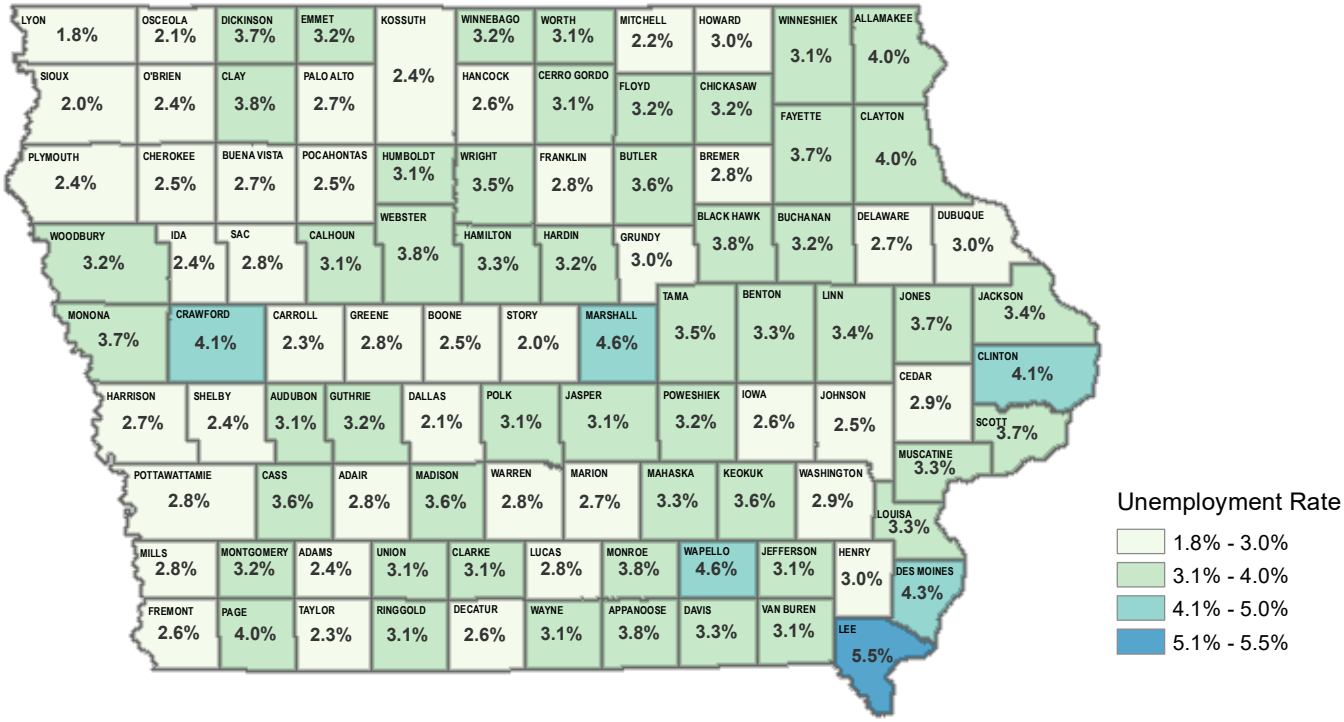
3.1%

2017 Unemployment Rate for Iowa

Calendar Year	Iowa Labor Force (in thousands)	Iowa Number Employed (in thousands)	Iowa Number Unemployed (in thousands)	Iowa Unemp. Rate	U.S. Unemp. Rate
2008	1,679.3	1,608.7	70.6	4.2%	5.8%
2009	1,687.4	1,579.2	108.2	6.4%	9.3%
2010	1,678.3	1,577.4	100.8	6.0%	9.6%
2011	1,662.4	1,570.2	92.2	5.5%	8.9%
2012	1,653.1	1,569.9	83.3	5.0%	8.1%
2013	1,674.2	1,594.9	79.3	4.7%	7.4%
2014	1,700.8	1,628.5	72.3	4.2%	6.2%
2015	1,701.3	1,637.1	64.2	3.8%	5.3%
2016	1,696.1	1,635.0	61.1	3.6%	4.9%
2017	1,678.5	1,626.0	52.5	3.1%	4.4%

Source: Labor Market Information Division, Iowa Workforce Development

Unemployment Rate by County – CY 2017



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