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# Sigourney, Iowa **City Profile**

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## Population profile

The 2020 population for Sigourney is 2,004. Between 2010 and 2020 the population decreased by 2.7%. The City of Sigourney is in Keokuk County. Keokuk County saw a 4.5% population decrease between 2010 and 2020.

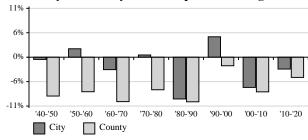
Keokuk County Cities - Total Population <sup>1</sup>						
City	2000	2010	2020			
Sigourney	2,209	2,059	2,004			
Male Total	980	968	952			
Female Total	1,229	1,091	1,052			
Delta	410	328	264			
Gibson	92	61	63			
Harper	134	114	118			
Hayesville	64	50	41			
Hedrick	837	764	728			
Keota	1,025	1,009	897			
Keswick	295	246	242			
Kinross	80	73	80			
Martinsburg	126	112	110			
North English <sup>†</sup>	991	1,041	1,065			
Ollie	224	215	201			
Richland	587	584	542			
South English	213	212	202			
Thornburg	84	67	45			
Webster	110	88	94			
What Cheer	678	646	607			
Keokuk County Total	11,400	10,511	10,033			
State of Iowa Total	2,926,324	3,046,355	3,190,369			

 $<sup>^{\</sup>dagger}$ City is located in multiple counties, total population is provided.

#### **Neighboring Cities - Percent Population Change**

	'90-'00	'00-'10	'10-'20
Delta	0.2%	-20.0%	-19.5%
Harper	-8.8%	-14.9%	3.5%
Hayesville	3.2%	-21.9%	-18.0%
Keswick	3.9%	-16.6%	-1.6%
Webster	6.8%	-20.0%	6.8%
Sigourney	4.6%	-6.8%	-2.7%
Keokuk County	-1.9%	7.8%	-4.5%
State of Iowa	5.4%	4.1%	4.7%

#### City and County Percent Population Change<sup>1</sup>



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Sigourney's population is predominantly White. The City of Sigourney, compared to Keokuk County, had a lower percentage of young people (17 or younger) and a higher percentage of older people (65 and older) in 2020. New household relationship categories were reported for 2020 that are not comparable with 2010.<sup>3</sup>

#### Percentage of Population by Race/Hispanic Origin<sup>1</sup>

	C	City	Co	unty
Race Groups	2010	2020	2010	2020
One race only	99.6%	96.8%	99.4%	96.8%
White	98.2%	94.6%	98.4%	95.2%
White alone, not Hispanic	98.0%	93.9%	97.9%	94.4%
Black or African American	0.7%	0.9%	0.5%	0.5%
Asian	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other	0.1%	1.0%	0.3%	0.8%
Two or more races	0.4%	3.2%	0.6%	3.2%
Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	0.4%	1.9%	0.9%	2.1%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Hispanics can be of any race.

#### Households by Family or Nonfamily Type<sup>1,3</sup>

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		City	С	ounty
	2010	2020	2010	2020
Total households	878	880	4,408	4,174
Family households <sup>a,b</sup>	61.2%	58.3%	66.7%	65.0%
Married couple family <sup>b</sup>	47.5%	43.8%	54.6%	51.4%
With own children	16.3%	13.9%	18.6%	17.1%
Other family <sup>c</sup>	13.7%	14.5%	12.1%	13.6%
Male householder <sup>c</sup>	4.2%	5.6%	4.5%	5.5%
With own children	2.7%	3.3%	2.9%	3.1%
Female householder <sup>c</sup>	9.5%	9.0%	7.6%	8.0%
With own children	6.4%	5.7%	5.0%	5.0%
Nonfamily households <sup>d</sup>	38.8%	41.7%	33.3%	35.0%
Male living alone	14.2%	14.0%	13.7%	15.5%
Female living alone	20.0%	22.3%	15.2%	14.6%

#### Households by Couple or Non-couple Type<sup>1,3</sup>

		City		County		
	2010	2020	2010	2020		
Total households	878	880	4,408	4,174		
Married couple <sup>b</sup>	47.5%	43.8%	54.6%	51.4%		
Cohabiting couple <sup>b,f</sup>	NA <sup>e</sup>	7.7%	NA <sup>e</sup>	7.4%		
Male householder g	NA <sup>e</sup>	18.4%	$NA^e$	20.0%		
Female householder <sup>g</sup>	NA <sup>e</sup>	30.1%	NA <sup>e</sup>	21.2%		

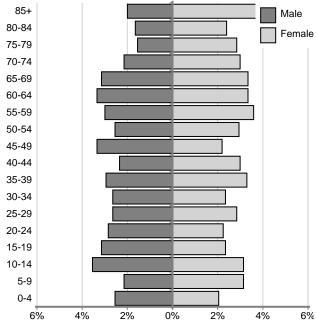
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Householder and at least one other person related to the householder. <sup>b</sup>For 2020 includes same-sex couples. <sup>c</sup>No spouse present, but at least one relative present. <sup>d</sup>In 2010 included same-sex couples whether married or not (if no relatives present). <sup>e</sup>2010 not comparable with 2020. <sup>f</sup>For 2020 householder has an unmarried partner. <sup>g</sup>For 2020 no spouse or partner present, but relatives, nonrelatives may be present or householder may be living alone.

#### Percentage of Population by Age<sup>1</sup>

	(	City		unty
Age Groups	2010	2020	2010	2020
17 or younger	22.5%	20.3%	23.2%	23.7%
0 - 4	5.2%	4.6%	5.8%	5.7%
5 - 9	7%	5.3%	6.4%	6.4%
10 - 14	6%	6.7%	6.6%	7.3%
15 - 17	4.3%	3.7%	4.4%	4.3%
18 - 24	6.5%	6.9%	6.6%	6.3%
25 - 44	20.8%	22%	21.6%	21.6%
45 - 64	25%	24.3%	29.3%	26.7%
65 or older	25.2%	26.5%	19.2%	21.7%
65 - 84	18.2%	20%	15.8%	18.6%
85 or older	7%	6.4%	3.4%	3.0%
Median <sup>4</sup> Age (years)	45.1	45.7	43.8	43.5
Age Dependency <sup>a, 5</sup>	91.2	88.0	73.7	83.2
Old-Age	48.2	49.8	33.4	39.7
Child	43.0	38.2	40.3	43.4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Age Dependency Ratio

#### Sigourney, Iowa Population Pyramid, a 20201



<sup>a</sup>Each bar represents the percentage that an age-sex group comprises of the total population.

The median household income in Sigourney is less than the median household income of Keokuk County. The median value of owner-occupied housing units is higher in Sigourney than for Keokuk County. There is a higher percentage of vacant housing units in Sigourney than there is for Keokuk County. Many housing units in Sigourney were built prior to 1940. There is a higher percentage of individuals 25 and older with a Bachelor's degree or higher in Sigourney compared to Keokuk County.

Median Household and Per Capita Income, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>

		City	Co	ounty
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Total Households	873	+/- 103	4,085	+/- 99
Less than \$34,999	39.8%	+/- 4.3%	28.6%	+/- 2.6%
\$35,000 To \$49,999	10.7%	+/- 4.7%	12.2%	+/- 1.9%
\$50,000 To \$99,999	28.3%	+/- 3.3%	34.3%	+/- 2.3%
\$100,000 Or More	21.2%	+/- 3.7%	24.9%	+/- 2.3%
Median <sup>4</sup> Household Income	\$49,688	+/- \$12,261	\$60,016	+/- \$3,203
Median Family Income	\$71,328	+/- \$11,321	\$77,740	+/- \$5,567
Per Capita Income	\$31,823	+/- \$4,827	\$32,747	+/- \$1,979

#### **Educational Attainment, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>**

	(	City		ounty
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Population 25 and older	1,443	+/-149	6,987	+/-33
High School Graduate or Higher	92.8%	+/-3.6%	93.5%	+/-1%
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	19.4%	+/-5.3%	16.4%	+/-1.7%

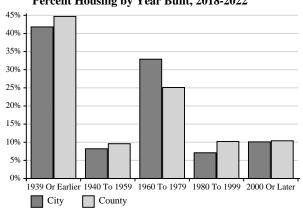
<sup>\*</sup>MOE = the margin of error for American Community Survey estimates<sup>2</sup> which is a numerical value that when added to or subtracted from the point estimate value gives the range of a 90% confidence interval around the estimate.

#### Housing Characteristics, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>

	(	City	Co	ounty
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Total Units	1,022	+/- 103	4,668	+/- 26
Vacant	14.6%	+/- 5.4%	12.5%	+/- 2.1%
Occupied	85.4%	+/- 5.4%	87.5%	+/- 2.1%
Occupied <sup>a</sup>	873	+/- 103	4,085	+/- 99
Owner	67.6%	+/- 7.3%	78.5%	+/- 2.6%
Renter	32.4%	+/- 7.3%	21.5%	+/- 2.6%
Rent <sup>b</sup>	\$823	+/- \$67	\$744	+/- \$53
Value <sup>c</sup>	\$105,700	+/-\$9,538	\$105,500	+/-\$5,329

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Occupied Units, <sup>b</sup>Median gross rent of renter-occupied units, <sup>c</sup>Median value of owner-occupied units

#### Percent Housing by Year Built, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>



In Sigourney there is a higher percentage of workers in management, business, science, and arts occupations than any other occupation category. The production, transportation, and material moving occupation category makes up 22.9% of occupations of the civilian employed population in the city.

#### Occupation of the Civilian Employed Population, $2018-2022^2$

	City		Сог	County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*	
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	807	+/- 161	4,631	+/- 189	
Management, business, science, and arts	30.0%	+/- 6.8%	33.0%	+/- 2.3%	
Service	15.7%	+/- 4.4%	12.9%	+/- 1.7%	
Sales and office	14.5%	+/- 5.2%	18.1%	+/- 1.9%	
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance	16.9%	+/- 6.6%	14.1%	+/- 2.5%	
Production, transportation, and material moving	22.9%	+/- 6.6%	21.8%	+/- 2.4%	

<sup>\*\*</sup>MOE is high, use county estimate.

## Socioeconomic Profile

### Sigourney, Iowa

Sigourney has a lower proportion of the population age 16 or older in the labor force than Keokuk County. A portion of those who are not in the labor force are people who are retired. Earnings data are provided for the population 16 and over who have earnings. Median earnings in Sigourney tend to be lower than the median earnings for Keokuk County. Families with children tend to have a higher rate of poverty than families without children.

#### **Median Employment Earnings, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>**

	(	City		ounty
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Population 16+ <sup>a</sup>	844	+/- 161	5,194	+/- 158
Median Earnings	\$35,236	+/- \$35	\$39,074	+/- \$2,062
Female	\$33,264	+/- \$5,340	\$34,073	+/- \$2,529
Female, full time <sup>b</sup>	\$40,000	+/- \$8,631	\$43,963	+/- \$3,561
Male	\$36,182	+/- \$7,981	\$45,173	+/- \$2,151
Male, full time <sup>b</sup>	\$47,366	+/- \$18,851	\$52,030	+/- \$2,138

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> with earnings, <sup>b</sup> year round, \*\*MOE is high, use county estimate.

## Disability Status and Health Insurance Coverage of the Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>

	City		County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Population <sup>a</sup>	1,741	+/-214	9,910	+/-7
With a disability <sup>b</sup>	23.0%	+/-5.7%	17.4%	+/-1.6%
With Health Insurance	98.1%	+/-1.1%	97.2%	+/-0.7%
With Private <sup>c</sup> Coverage	67.5%	+/-6.9%	68.4%	+/-2.8%
With Public <sup>d</sup> Coverage	54.2%	+/-6.6%	46.4%	+/-2.8%
No Health Insurance	**%	+/-**%	2.8%	+/-0.7%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Civilan Noninstitutionalized Population, <sup>b</sup>limitations of activities or inability for full participation, <sup>c</sup>provided by employer, union, bought by individual, and some miliary plans, <sup>d</sup>includes Medicare, Medicaid, VA Health Care, children's CHIP, and some state plans, \*\*MOE is high, use county estimate.

#### Employment Status, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>

	City		County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Population 16+	1,600	+/- 176	8,032	+/- 47
in labor force	51.2%	+/- 6.5%	59.8%	+/- 2.4%
not in labor force	48.8%	+/- 6.5%	40.2%	+/- 2.4%
Civilian labor force	819	+/- 159	4,806	+/- 188
Unemployed	1.5%	+/- 1.6%	3.6%	+/- 1.1%

<sup>\*\*</sup>MOE is high, use county estimate.

## Individuals and Families Below Poverty Level, 2018-2022<sup>2</sup>

	City		County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Total Population <sup>a</sup>	1,728	+/-215	9,883	+/-26
Below poverty	**%	+/-**%	12.2%	+/-2.3%
17 and under	**%	+/-**%	13.2%	+/-4%
18 - 64	**%	+/-**%	11.1%	+/-2.4%
65+	**%	+/-**%	14.0%	+/-3.7%
All Families	**%	+/-**%	10.6%	+/-2.7%
with children	**%	+/-**%	15.9%	+/-5.1%
Married Couple	**%	+/-**%	6.5%	+/-2.3%
with children	**%	+/-**%	**%	+/-**%
Female HH <sup>b</sup>	**%	+/-**%	32.6%	+/-12.8%
with children	77.3%	+/-35.2%	45.0%	+/-16.5%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> for whom poverty status is determined, <sup>b</sup> female householder, no husband present, \*\*MOE is high, use county estimate.

#### **Notes and Source Information:**

- <sup>1</sup>U.S. Census Bureau; Decennial Censuses 1940 2020
- <sup>2</sup>U.S. Census Bureau; American Community Survey 2018-2022
- <sup>3</sup>For the 2020 Decennial Census, households are divided into subcategories by two different methods. One method (family or nonfamily) is based on the presence or absence of family relationships among the household members and the householder. Using family relationships (birth, marriage, or adoption) has been the usual way to classify households, and the data using this method has good comparability between 2010 and 2020. In 2020, the Census Bureau introduced an additional method to divide households into subcategories. This second method (couple or noncouple) is based on the presence or absence of a couple relationship for the householder. The relationship can be as a married spouse or as an unmarried partner and can be of the opposite or same sex. The 2020 data reported for the second method (except for married couples) does not have good comparability with data from 2010. For smaller towns, the couple or noncouple data are omitted in this profile.
- <sup>4</sup>Median is the middle value of a distribution.
- <sup>5</sup>The age dependency ratio compares, by age, those typically not in the labor force with those who typically are in the labor force. Old Age dependency is persons 65+ per 100 persons age 18-64. Child dependency is persons under age 18 per 100 persons age 18-64. The total age dependency ratio is persons under age 18 plus persons 65 or older per 100 persons age 18-64.

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