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Dunlap, Iowa City Profile

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Population profile

The 2020 population for Dunlap is 1,038. Between 2010 and 2020 the population decreased by 0.4%. The City of Dunlap is in Harrison County. Harrison County saw a 2.3% population decrease between 2010 and 2020.

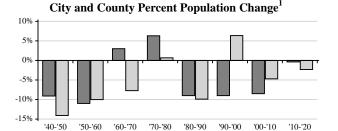
Harrison County Cities - Total Population¹

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City	2000	2010	2020			
Dunlap	1,139	1,042	1,038			
Male Total	541	500	525			
Female Total	598	542	513			
Little Sioux	217	170	166			
Logan	1,545	1,534	1,397			
Magnolia	200	183	190			
Missouri Valley	2,992	2,838	2,678			
Modale	303	283	273			
Mondamin	423	402	339			
Persia	363	319	297			
Pisgah	316	251	249			
Woodbine	1,564	1,459	1,625			
Harrison County Total	15,666	14,928	14,582			
State of Iowa Total	2,926,324	3,046,355	3,190,369			

 $^{^\}dagger C$ ity is located in multiple counties, total population is provided.

Neighboring Cities - Percent Population Change

	'90-'00	'00-'10	'10-'20
Arion	-8.1%	-20.6%	-10.2%
Dow City	14.6%	1.4%	-4.9%
Earling	1.1%	-7.2%	-9.2%
Panama	5.5%	4.2%	6.3%
Woodbine	4.3%	-6.7%	11.4%
Dunlap	-9.0%	-8.5%	-0.4%
Harrison County	6.4%	4.7%	-2.3%
State of Iowa	5.4%	4.1%	4.7%



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Dunlap's population is predominantly White. The City of Dunlap, compared to Harrison 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 2010.³

Percentage of Population by Race/Hispanic Origin¹

	(City	Co	unty
Race Groups	2010	2020	2010	2020
One race only	98.8%	97.4%	99.2%	96.8%
White	98.0%	96.1%	98.2%	95.5%
White alone, not Hispanic	97.5%	96.0%	97.3%	94.8%
Black or African American	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
Asian	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.3%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.7%	0.5%	0.3%	0.2%
Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%
Two or more races	1.2%	2.6%	0.8%	3.2%
Hispanic origin ^a	0.8%	0.9%	1.2%	2.0%

^a Hispanics can be of any race.

Households by Family or Nonfamily Type^{1,3}

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		City	C	ounty
	2010	2020	2010	2020
Total households	466	451	5,987	5,951
Family households ^{a,b}	59.9%	74.4%	68.8%	66.0%
Married couple family ^b	45.7%	59.0%	56.5%	52.4%
With own children	13.5%	11.5%	20.9%	17.5%
Other family ^c	14.2%	16.2%	12.3%	13.7%
Male householder ^c	2.6%	5.1%	4.0%	5.3%
With own children	1.5%	2.2%	2.5%	3.0%
Female householder ^c	11.6%	11.1%	8.2%	8.4%
With own children	6.4%	6.0%	4.9%	4.5%
Nonfamily households ^d	40.1%	25.6%	31.2%	34.0%
Male living alone	14.8%	17.1%	12.9%	14.7%
Female living alone	23.0%	17.7%	14.1%	14.0%

Households by Couple or Non-couple Type^{1,3}

		City		ounty
	2010	2020	2010	2020
Total households	466	451	5,987	5,951
Married couple ^b	45.7%	59.0%	56.5%	52.4%
Cohabiting couple ^{b,f}	NA ^e	6.0%	NA ^e	6.5%
Male householder g	NA^e	23.3%	NA^e	19.9%
Female householder ^g	NA ^e	27.7%	NA ^e	21.2%

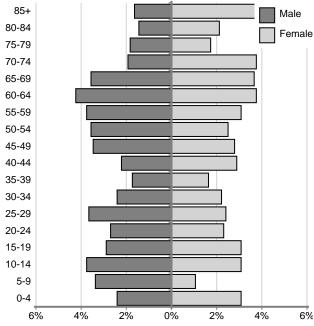
^aHouseholder and at least one other person related to the householder. ^bFor 2020 includes same-sex couples. ^cNo spouse present, but at least one relative present. ^dIn 2010 included same-sex couples whether married or not (if no relatives present). ^e2010 not comparable with 2020. ^fFor 2020 householder has an unmarried partner. ^gFor 2020 no spouse or partner present, but relatives, nonrelatives may be present or householder may be living alone.

Percentage of Population by Age¹

	(City	Co	unty
Age Groups	2010	2020	2010	2020
17 or younger	21%	20.6%	24.1%	23.4%
0 - 4	6%	5.5%	6.2%	5.8%
5 - 9	5.7%	4.4%	6.2%	6.3%
10 - 14	5.9%	6.8%	7.0%	7.2%
15 - 17	3.4%	3.9%	4.7%	4.1%
18 - 24	5.8%	7.1%	6.6%	6.8%
25 - 44	21.1%	19.2%	21.9%	21.3%
45 - 64	26.6%	27.2%	29.6%	27.8%
65 or older	25.5%	25.9%	17.8%	20.7%
65 - 84	17.8%	20.1%	14.6%	18%
85 or older	7.7%	5.9%	3.2%	2.7%
Median ⁴ Age (years)	46.9	48.0	42.9	43.5
Age Dependency ^{a, 5}	86.9	86.9	72.1	78.9
Old-Age	47.7	48.4	30.6	37.0
Child	39.3	38.5	41.5	41.9

^aAge Dependency Ratio

Dunlap, Iowa Population Pyramid,^a 2020¹



^aEach bar represents the percentage that an age-sex group comprises of the total population.

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

Median Household and Per Capita Income, 2018-2022²

		City	Co	ounty
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Total Households	614	+/- 109	5,963	+/- 135
Less than \$34,999	23.6%	+/- 4.3%	21.3%	+/- 2.2%
\$35,000 To \$49,999	18.1%	+/- 7.2%	9.2%	+/- 1.7%
\$50,000 To \$99,999	34.7%	+/- 3.3%	36.8%	+/- 2.2%
\$100,000 Or More	23.6%	+/- 3.3%	32.8%	+/- 2.2%
Median ⁴ Household Income	\$56,667	+/- \$10,799	\$75,830	+/- \$3,022
Median Family Income	\$70,144	+/- \$12,212	\$89,443	+/- \$5,049
Per Capita Income	\$31,606	+/- \$4,023	\$36,998	+/- \$1,952

Educational Attainment, 2018-2022²

	(City	County		
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*	
Population 25 and older	1,035	+/-169	10,166	+/-51	
High School Graduate or Higher	90.5%	+/-4.2%	93.1%	+/-1.2%	
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	15.9%	+/-4.9%	20.6%	+/-2%	

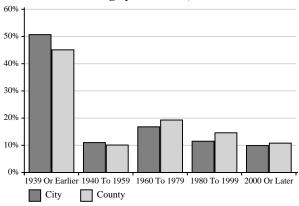
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Housing Characteristics, 2018-2022²

		City	Co	ounty
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Total Units	676	+/- 107	6,684	+/- 34
Vacant	9.2%	+/- 5.2%	10.8%	+/- 2.0%
Occupied	90.8%	+/- 5.2%	89.2%	+/- 2.0%
Occupied ^a	614	+/- 109	5,963	+/- 135
Owner	69.7%	+/- 8.7%	75.7%	+/- 2.6%
Renter	30.3%	+/- 8.7%	24.3%	+/- 2.6%
Rent ^b	\$838	+/- \$101	\$819	+/- \$58
Value ^c	\$105,600	+/-\$22,585	\$152,000	+/-\$8,212

^aOccupied Units, ^bMedian gross rent of renter-occupied units, ^cMedian value of owner-occupied units

Percent Housing by Year Built, 2018-2022²



In Dunlap 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 17.7% of occupations of the civilian employed population in the city.

Occupation of the Civilian Employed Population, 2018-2022²

	City		County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	747	+/- 142	7,378	+/- 215
Management, business, science, and arts	23.4%	+/- 6.4%	36.6%	+/- 2.8%
Service	17.3%	+/- 5.9%	14.2%	+/- 1.8%
Sales and office	21.6%	+/- 6.0%	21.0%	+/- 2.2%
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance	20.1%	+/- 7.2%	13.4%	+/- 2.0%
Production, transportation, and material moving	17.7%	+/- 5.0%	14.8%	+/- 1.9%

^{**}MOE is high, use county estimate.

Dunlap has a higher proportion of the population age 16 or older in the labor force than Harrison 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 Dunlap tend to be lower than the median earnings for Harrison County. Families with children tend to have a higher rate of poverty than families without children.

Median Employment Earnings, 2018-2022²

	(City		ounty
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Population 16+ ^a	835	+/- 150	8,030	+/- 207
Median Earnings	\$34,375	+/- \$34	\$44,207	+/- \$2,059
Female	\$33,352	+/- \$6,421	\$38,138	+/- \$3,410
Female, full time ^b	\$41,667	+/- \$9,299	\$46,750	+/- \$2,150
Male	\$36,591	+/- \$8,678	\$50,409	+/- \$2,832
Male, full time ^b	\$48,088	+/- \$7,422	\$57,991	+/- \$2,910

^a with earnings, ^b year round, **MOE is high, use county estimate.

Disability Status and Health Insurance Coverage of the Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population, 2018-2022²

	City		County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Population ^a	1,373	+/-234	14,359	+/-17
With a disability ^b	11.7%	+/-4.7%	12.1%	+/-1.4%
With Health Insurance	98.3%	+/-1.5%	95.2%	+/-1.4%
With Private ^c Coverage	71.2%	+/-8.6%	73.5%	+/-2.3%
With Public ^d Coverage	42.9%	+/-8.6%	34.7%	+/-2.3%
No Health Insurance	**%	+/-**%	4.8%	+/-1.4%

^aCivilan Noninstitutionalized Population, ^blimitations of activities or inability for full participation, ^cprovided by employer, union, bought by individual, and some miliary plans, ^dincludes Medicare, Medicaid, VA Health Care, children's CHIP, and some state plans, **MOE is high, use county estimate.

Employment Status, 2018-2022²

	City		County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Population 16+	1,201	+/- 190	11,644	+/- 67
in labor force	66.0%	+/- 7.0%	65.2%	+/- 1.7%
not in labor force	34.0%	+/- 7.0%	34.8%	+/- 1.7%
Civilian labor force	793	+/- 150	7,586	+/- 197
Unemployed	5.8%	+/- 4.6%	2.7%	+/- 0.8%

^{**}MOE is high, use county estimate.

Individuals and Families Below Poverty Level, 2018-2022²

	City		County	
	Estimate	MOE*	Estimate	MOE*
Total Population ^a	1,373	+/-234	14,348	+/-21
Below poverty	**%	+/-**%	7.6%	+/-1.3%
17 and under	**%	+/-**%	9.2%	+/-3.2%
18 - 64	**%	+/-**%	7.3%	+/-1.4%
65+	**%	+/-**%	6.5%	+/-2.0%
All Families	**%	+/-**%	4.9%	+/-1.5%
with children	**%	+/-**%	7.1%	+/-2.8%
Married Couple	**%	+/-**%	2.0%	+/-0.8%
with children	**%	+/-**%	**%	+/-**%
Female HH ^b	**%	+/-**%	20.1%	+/-9.9%
with children	**%	+/-**%	**%	+/-**%

^a for whom poverty status is determined, ^b female householder, no husband present, **MOE is high, use county estimate.

Notes and Source Information:

- ¹U.S. Census Bureau; Decennial Censuses 1940 2020
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- ³ 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.
- ⁴Median is the middle value of a distribution.
- ⁵The 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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