

**MSSubClass:** Identifies the type of dwelling involved in the sale.

20	1-STORY 1946 & NEWER ALL STYLES
30	1-STORY 1945 & OLDER
40	1-STORY W/FINISHED ATTIC ALL AGES
45	1-1/2 STORY - UNFINISHED ALL AGES
50	1-1/2 STORY FINISHED ALL AGES
60	2-STORY 1946 & NEWER
70	2-STORY 1945 & OLDER
75	2-1/2 STORY ALL AGES
80	SPLIT OR MULTI-LEVEL
85	SPLIT FOYER
90	DUPLEX - ALL STYLES AND AGES
120	1-STORY PUD (Planned Unit Development) - 1946 & NEWER
150	1-1/2 STORY PUD - ALL AGES
160	2-STORY PUD - 1946 & NEWER
180	PUD - MULTILEVEL - INCL SPLIT LEV/FOYER
190	2 FAMILY CONVERSION - ALL STYLES AND AGES

**MSZoning:** Identifies the general zoning classification of the sale.

A	Agriculture
C	Commercial
FV	Floating Village Residential
I	Industrial
RH	Residential High Density
RL	Residential Low Density
RP	Residential Low Density Park
RM	Residential Medium Density

**LotFrontage:** Linear feet of street connected to property

**LotArea:** Lot size in square feet

**Street:** Type of road access to property

Grvl	Gravel
Pave	Paved

**Alley:** Type of alley access to property

Grvl	Gravel
Pave	Paved
NA	No alley access

**LotShape:** General shape of property

Reg	Regular
IR1	Slightly irregular
IR2	Moderately Irregular
IR3	Irregular

**LandContour:** Flatness of the property

Lvl	Near Flat/Level
Bnk	Banked - Quick and significant rise from street grade to building
HLS	Hillside - Significant slope from side to side
Low	Depression

**Utilities:** Type of utilities available

AllPub	All public Utilities (E,G,W,& S)
NoSewr	Electricity, Gas, and Water (Septic Tank)
NoSeWa	Electricity and Gas Only
ELO	Electricity only

**LotConfig:** Lot configuration

Inside	Inside lot
Corner	Corner lot
CulDSac	Cul-de-sac
FR2	Frontage on 2 sides of property
FR3	Frontage on 3 sides of property

**LandSlope:** Slope of property

Gtl	Gentle slope
Mod	Moderate Slope
Sev	Severe Slope

**Neighborhood:** Physical locations within Ames city limits

Blmngtn	Bloomington Heights
Blueste	Bluestem
BrDale	Briardale
BrkSide	Brookside
ClearCr	Clear Creek
CollgCr	College Creek
Crawfor	Crawford
Edwards	Edwards
Gilbert	Gilbert
IDOTRR	Iowa DOT and Rail Road
MeadowV	Meadow Village
Mitchel	Mitchell
Names	North Ames
NoRidge	Northridge
NPkVill	Northpark Villa
NridgHt	Northridge Heights
NWAmes	Northwest Ames
OldTown	Old Town
SWISU	South & West of Iowa State University
Sawyer	Sawyer
SawyerW	Sawyer West
Somerst	Somerset
StoneBr	Stone Brook
Timber	Timberland
Veenker	Veenker

**Condition1:** Proximity to various conditions

Artery	Adjacent to arterial street
Feedr	Adjacent to feeder street
Norm	Normal
RRNn	Within 200' of North-South Railroad
RRAn	Adjacent to North-South Railroad
PosN	Near positive off-site feature--park, greenbelt, etc.
PosA	Adjacent to postive off-site feature
RRNe	Within 200' of East-West Railroad
RR Ae	Adjacent to East-West Railroad

**Condition2:** Proximity to various conditions (if more than one is present)

Artery	Adjacent to arterial street
Feedr	Adjacent to feeder street
Norm	Normal
RRNn	Within 200' of North-South Railroad
RRAn	Adjacent to North-South Railroad
PosN	Near positive off-site feature--park, greenbelt, etc.
PosA	Adjacent to postive off-site feature
RRNe	Within 200' of East-West Railroad
RR Ae	Adjacent to East-West Railroad

**BldgType:** Type of dwelling

1Fam	Single-family Detached
2FmCon	Two-family Conversion; originally built as one-family dwelling
Duplx	Duplex
TwnhsE	Townhouse End Unit
TwnhsI	Townhouse Inside Unit

**HouseStyle:** Style of dwelling

1Story	One story
1.5Fin	One and one-half story: 2nd level finished
1.5Unf	One and one-half story: 2nd level unfinished
2Story	Two story
2.5Fin	Two and one-half story: 2nd level finished

2.5Unf Two and one-half story: 2nd level unfinished  
 SFoyer Split Foyer  
 SLvl Split Level

OverallQual: Rates the overall material and finish of the house

10 Very Excellent  
 9 Excellent  
 8 Very Good  
 7 Good  
 6 Above Average  
 5 Average  
 4 Below Average  
 3 Fair  
 2 Poor  
 1 Very Poor

OverallCond: Rates the overall condition of the house

10 Very Excellent  
 9 Excellent  
 8 Very Good  
 7 Good  
 6 Above Average  
 5 Average  
 4 Below Average  
 3 Fair  
 2 Poor  
 1 Very Poor

YearBuilt: Original construction date

YearRemodAdd: Remodel date (same as construction date if no remodeling or additions)

RoofStyle: Type of roof

Flat Flat  
 Gable Gable  
 Gambrel Gabrel (Barn)  
 Hip Hip  
 Mansard Mansard  
 Shed Shed

RoofMatl: Roof material

ClyTile Clay or Tile  
 CompShg Standard (Composite) Shingle  
 Membran Membrane  
 Metal Metal  
 Roll Roll  
 Tar&Grv Gravel & Tar  
 WdShake Wood Shakes  
 WdShngl Wood Shingles

Exterior1st: Exterior covering on house

AsbShng Asbestos Shingles  
 AsphShn Asphalt Shingles  
 BrkComm Brick Common  
 BrkFace Brick Face  
 CBlock Cinder Block  
 CemntBd Cement Board  
 HdBoard Hard Board  
 ImStucc Imitation Stucco  
 MetalSd Metal Siding  
 Other Other  
 Plywood Plywood  
 PreCast PreCast  
 Stone Stone  
 Stucco Stucco  
 VinylSd Vinyl Siding  
 Wd Sdng Wood Siding  
 WdShing Wood Shingles

**Exterior2nd:** Exterior covering on house (if more than one material)

AsbShng	Asbestos Shingles
AsphShn	Asphalt Shingles
BrkComm	Brick Common
BrkFace	Brick Face
CBlock	Cinder Block
CemntBd	Cement Board
HdBoard	Hard Board
ImStucc	Imitation Stucco
MetalSd	Metal Siding
Other	Other
Plywood	Plywood
PreCast	PreCast
Stone	Stone
Stucco	Stucco
VinylSd	Vinyl Siding
Wd Sdng	Wood Siding
WdShing	Wood Shingles

**MasVnrType:** Masonry veneer type

BrkCmn	Brick Common
BrkFace	Brick Face
CBlock	Cinder Block
None	None
Stone	Stone

**MasVnrArea:** Masonry veneer area in square feet

**ExterQual:** Evaluates the quality of the material on the exterior

Ex	Excellent
Gd	Good
TA	Average/Typical
Fa	Fair
Po	Poor

**ExterCond:** Evaluates the present condition of the material on the exterior

Ex	Excellent
Gd	Good
TA	Average/Typical
Fa	Fair
Po	Poor

**Foundation:** Type of foundation

BrkTil	Brick & Tile
CBlock	Cinder Block
PConc	Poured Contrete
Slab	Slab
Stone	Stone
Wood	Wood

**BsmtQual:** Evaluates the height of the basement

Ex	Excellent (100+ inches)
Gd	Good (90-99 inches)
TA	Typical (80-89 inches)
Fa	Fair (70-79 inches)
Po	Poor (<70 inches)
NA	No Basement

**BsmtCond:** Evaluates the general condition of the basement

Ex	Excellent
Gd	Good
TA	Typical - slight dampness allowed
Fa	Fair - dampness or some cracking or settling
Po	Poor - Severe cracking, settling, or wetness
NA	No Basement

**BsmtExposure:** Refers to walkout or garden level walls

Gd	Good Exposure
Av	Average Exposure (split levels or foyers typically score average or above)
Mn	Mimimum Exposure
No	No Exposure
NA	No Basement

BsmtFinType1: Rating of basement finished area

GLQ	Good Living Quarters
ALQ	Average Living Quarters
BLQ	Below Average Living Quarters
Rec	Average Rec Room
LwQ	Low Quality
Unf	Unfinshed
NA	No Basement

BsmtFinSF1: Type 1 finished square feet

BsmtFinType2: Rating of basement finished area (if multiple types)

GLQ	Good Living Quarters
ALQ	Average Living Quarters
BLQ	Below Average Living Quarters
Rec	Average Rec Room
LwQ	Low Quality
Unf	Unfinshed
NA	No Basement

BsmtFinSF2: Type 2 finished square feet

BsmtUnfSF: Unfinished square feet of basement area

TotalBsmtSF: Total square feet of basement area

Heating: Type of heating

Floor	Floor Furnace
GasA	Gas forced warm air furnace
GasW	Gas hot water or steam heat
Grav	Gravity furnace
OthW	Hot water or steam heat other than gas
Wall	Wall furnace

HeatingQC: Heating quality and condition

Ex	Excellent
Gd	Good
TA	Average/Typical
Fa	Fair
Po	Poor

CentralAir: Central air conditioning

N	No
Y	Yes

Electrical: Electrical system

SBrkr	Standard Circuit Breakers & Romex
FuseA	Fuse Box over 60 AMP and all Romex wiring (Average)
FuseF	60 AMP Fuse Box and mostly Romex wiring (Fair)
FuseP	60 AMP Fuse Box and mostly knob & tube wiring (poor)
Mix	Mixed

1stFlrSF: First Floor square feet

2ndFlrSF: Second floor square feet

LowQualFinSF: Low quality finished square feet (all floors)

GrLivArea: Above grade (ground) living area square feet

BsmtFullBath: Basement full bathrooms

BsmtHalfBath: Basement half bathrooms

FullBath: Full bathrooms above grade

HalfBath: Half baths above grade

Bedroom: Bedrooms above grade (does NOT include basement bedrooms)

Kitchen: Kitchens above grade

KitchenQual: Kitchen quality

Ex	Excellent
Gd	Good
TA	Typical/Average
Fa	Fair
Po	Poor

TotRmsAbvGrd: Total rooms above grade (does not include bathrooms)

Functional: Home functionality (Assume typical unless deductions are warranted)

Typ	Typical Functionality
Min1	Minor Deductions 1
Min2	Minor Deductions 2
Mod	Moderate Deductions
Maj1	Major Deductions 1
Maj2	Major Deductions 2
Sev	Severely Damaged
Sal	Salvage only

Fireplaces: Number of fireplaces

FireplaceQu: Fireplace quality

Ex	Excellent - Exceptional Masonry Fireplace
Gd	Good - Masonry Fireplace in main level
TA	Average - Prefabricated Fireplace in main living area or Masonry Fireplace in basement
Fa	Fair - Prefabricated Fireplace in basement
Po	Poor - Ben Franklin Stove
NA	No Fireplace

GarageType: Garage location

2Types	More than one type of garage
Attchd	Attached to home
Basment	Basement Garage
BuiltIn	Built-In (Garage part of house - typically has room above garage)
CarPort	Car Port
Detchd	Detached from home
NA	No Garage

GarageYrBlt: Year garage was built

GarageFinish: Interior finish of the garage

Fin	Finished
Rfn	Rough Finished
Unf	Unfinished
NA	No Garage

GarageCars: Size of garage in car capacity

GarageArea: Size of garage in square feet

GarageQual: Garage quality

Ex	Excellent
Gd	Good
TA	Typical/Average
Fa	Fair
Po	Poor

NA No Garage

GarageCond: Garage condition

Ex Excellent  
Gd Good  
TA Typical/Average  
Fa Fair  
Po Poor  
NA No Garage

PavedDrive: Paved driveway

Y Paved  
P Partial Pavement  
N Dirt/Gravel

WoodDeckSF: Wood deck area in square feet

OpenPorchSF: Open porch area in square feet

EnclosedPorch: Enclosed porch area in square feet

3SsnPorch: Three season porch area in square feet

ScreenPorch: Screen porch area in square feet

PoolArea: Pool area in square feet

PoolQC: Pool quality

Ex Excellent  
Gd Good  
TA Average/Typical  
Fa Fair  
NA No Pool

Fence: Fence quality

GdPrv Good Privacy  
MnPrv Minimum Privacy  
GdWo Good Wood  
MnWw Minimum Wood/Wire  
NA No Fence

MiscFeature: Miscellaneous feature not covered in other categories

Elev Elevator  
Gar2 2nd Garage (if not described in garage section)  
Othr Other  
Shed Shed (over 100 SF)  
TenC Tennis Court  
NA None

MiscVal: \$Value of miscellaneous feature

MoSold: Month Sold (MM)

YrSold: Year Sold (YYYY)

SaleType: Type of sale

WD Warranty Deed - Conventional  
CWD Warranty Deed - Cash  
VWD Warranty Deed - VA Loan  
New Home just constructed and sold  
COD Court Officer Deed/Estate  
Con Contract 15% Down payment regular terms  
ConLw Contract Low Down payment and low interest  
ConLI Contract Low Interest  
ConLD Contract Low Down  
Oth Other

SaleCondition: Condition of sale

Normal	Normal Sale
Abnorml	Abnormal Sale - trade, foreclosure, short sale
AdjLand	Adjoining Land Purchase
Alloca	Allocation - two linked properties with separate deeds, typically condo with a
garage unit	
Family	Sale between family members
Partial	Home was not completed when last assessed (associated with New Homes)