Rural County Peer Group	24
Adair	14
Adams	10
Audubon	14
Calhoun	17
Davis	17
Decatur	16
Franklin	18
Fremont	15
Greene	16
Guthrie	19
Ida	16
Keokuk	18
Kossuth	16
Monona	13
Monroe	18
Osceola	16
Palo Alto	17
Pocahontas	13
Ringgold	10
Sac	18
Taylor	12
Van Buren	16
Wayne	12
Worth	19

Dense Rural County Peer Group	Part 1 49
Allamakee	22
Appanoose	26
Benton	36
Buchanan	37
Buena Vista	35
Butler	26
Carroll	37
Cass	25
Cedar	32
Cherokee	21
Chickasaw	25
Clarke	22
Clay	29
Clayton	23
Crawford	24
Delaware	31
Emmet	26
Fayette	29
Floyd	33
Grundy	25
Hamilton	27
Hancock	20
Hardin	31
Harrison	21

Dense Rural County Peer Group	Part 2 49
Howard	20
Humboldt	23
Iowa	28
Jackson	31
Jefferson	39
Jones	36
Louisa	28
Lucas	21
Lyon	20
Madison	28
Mahaska	39
Mills	34
Mitchell	23
Montgomery	25
O'Brien	25
Page	30
Plymouth	29
Poweshiek	32
Shelby	21
Tama	25
Union	30
Washington	38
Winnebago	27
Winneshiek	31
Wright	23

Semi-Urban County Peer Group	Part 1 19
Boone	46
Bremer	56
Cerro Gordo	78
Clinton	71
Dallas	112
Des Moines	97
Dickinson	44
Henry	46
Jasper	50
Lee	69

Semi-Urban County Peer Group	Part 2 19
Marion	60
Marshall	71
Muscatine	98
Pottawattamie	98
Sioux	44
Wapello	82
Warren	81
Webster	53
Woodbury	117

Urban County Peer Group	7
Black Hawk	232
Dubuque	154
Johnson	213
Linn	295
Polk	750
Scott	361
Story	156

Population Density Estimates 10/2012

Population Density Peer Group	Count	Peer Group Definitions (Per Square mile)	Population Estimate (US Census 2010)	Percent of Population (10/2012)
Urban	7	150 or more persons	1,252,257	41.11%
Semi-Urban	19	40-149 persons	825,424	27.10%
Dense Rural	49	20-39 persons	768,635	25.23%
Rural	24	6-19 persons	200,039	6.57%
All Iowa Counties	99	State Average: 54.5 persons	3,046,355	100%

Population Density Peer Groups Per Square Mile

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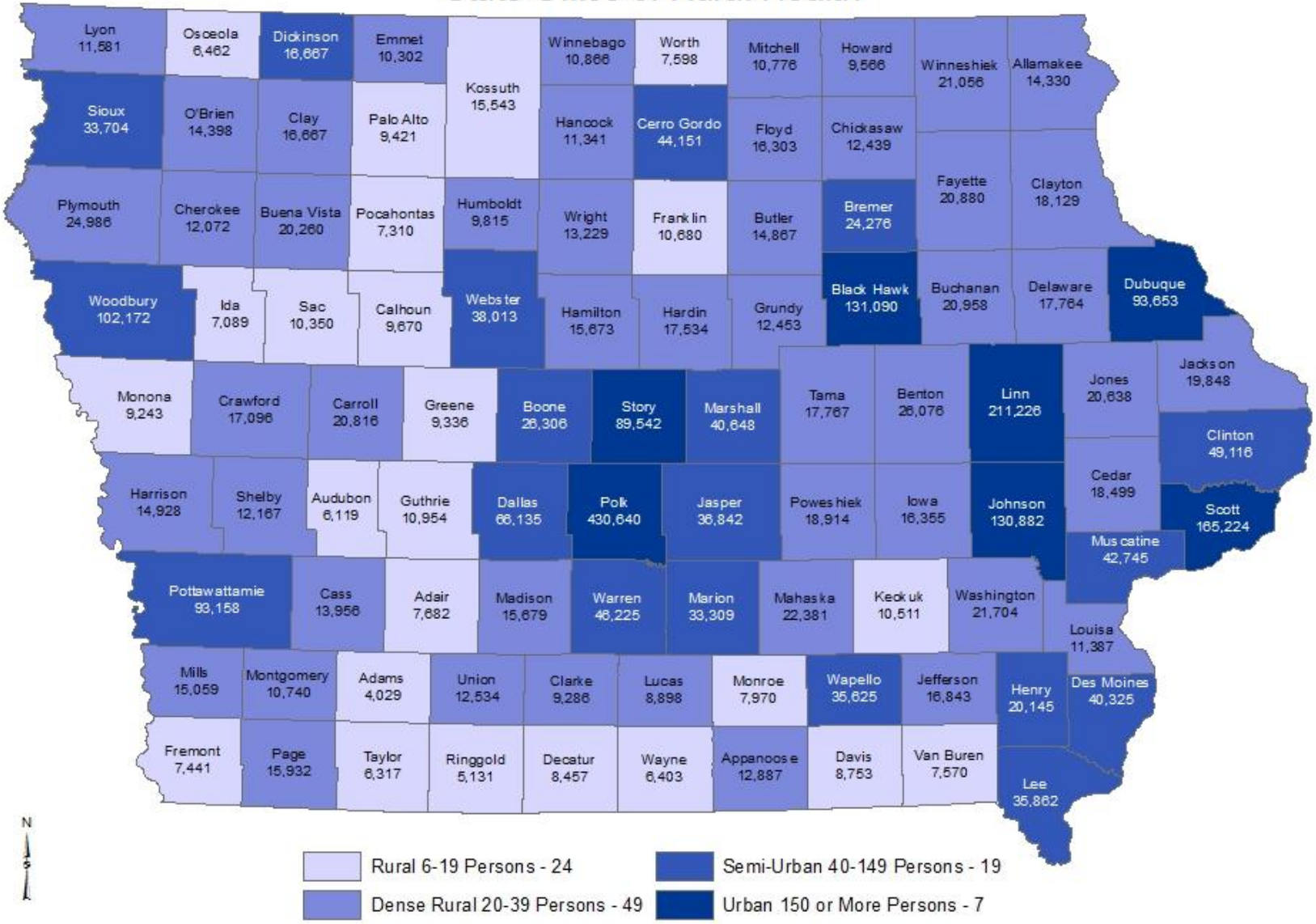

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