Iowa

Nickname........................................The Hawkeye State
Motto..............................Our Liberties We Prize and Our Rights We Will Maintain
Bird......................................................Wild Rose
Flower ..................................................Wild Rose
Tree ......................................................Oak
Song ..................................................The Song of Iowa
Entered the Union..................................December 28, 1846
Capital..................................................Des Moines

STATISTICS

- Land Area (square miles): 55,857
- Rank in Nation: 30
- Population: 206,688
- Number of Representatives in Congress: 4
- Number of 2012 Electoral Votes: 6
- Number of County Governments: 103
- Number of Municipal Governments: 947
- Number of School Districts: 380
- Number of Special Districts: 528
- Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges: 9
- Number of Supreme Court Judges: 7
- Number of Members in the Cabinet: 14
- Number of Special Districts: 1,531
- Number of School Districts: 316
- Number of 2012 Electoral Votes: 6
- Number of Representatives in Congress: 4
- Number of County Governments: 103
- Number of Municipal Governments: 947
- Number of School Districts: 380
- Number of Special Districts: 528
- Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges: 13
- Number of Supreme Court Judges: 7
- Number of Members in the Cabinet: 14

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

- Legislative Body: General Assembly
- President of the Senate: Pam Jochum
- President Pro Tem of the Senate: Steve Sodders
- Secretary of the Senate: Michael E. Marshall
- Speaker of the House: Kris Kobach
- Speaker Pro Tem of the House: Matt Windschitl
- Clerk of the House: Carmine Boal (Chief)

2014 Regular Session: Jan. 13 – May 2, 2014

- Number of Representative Districts: 100

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

- Governor: Terry Branstad
- Lieutenant Governor: Kim Reynolds
- Secretary of State: Matt Schultz
- Attorney General: Thomas Miller
- Treasurer: Michael Fitzgerald
- Auditor: Mary Mosman
- State Comptroller: Calvin McKeelvogue

Governor’s Present Term: 1/2011 – 1/2015

- Number of Elected Officials in the Executive Branch: 17
- Number of Members in the Cabinet: 30

JUDICIAL BRANCH

- Highest Court: Supreme Court
- Supreme Court Chief Justice: Mark S. Cady
- Number of Supreme Court Judges: 7
- Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges: 9
- Number of U.S. Court Districts: 22
- U.S. Circuit Court: 8th Circuit