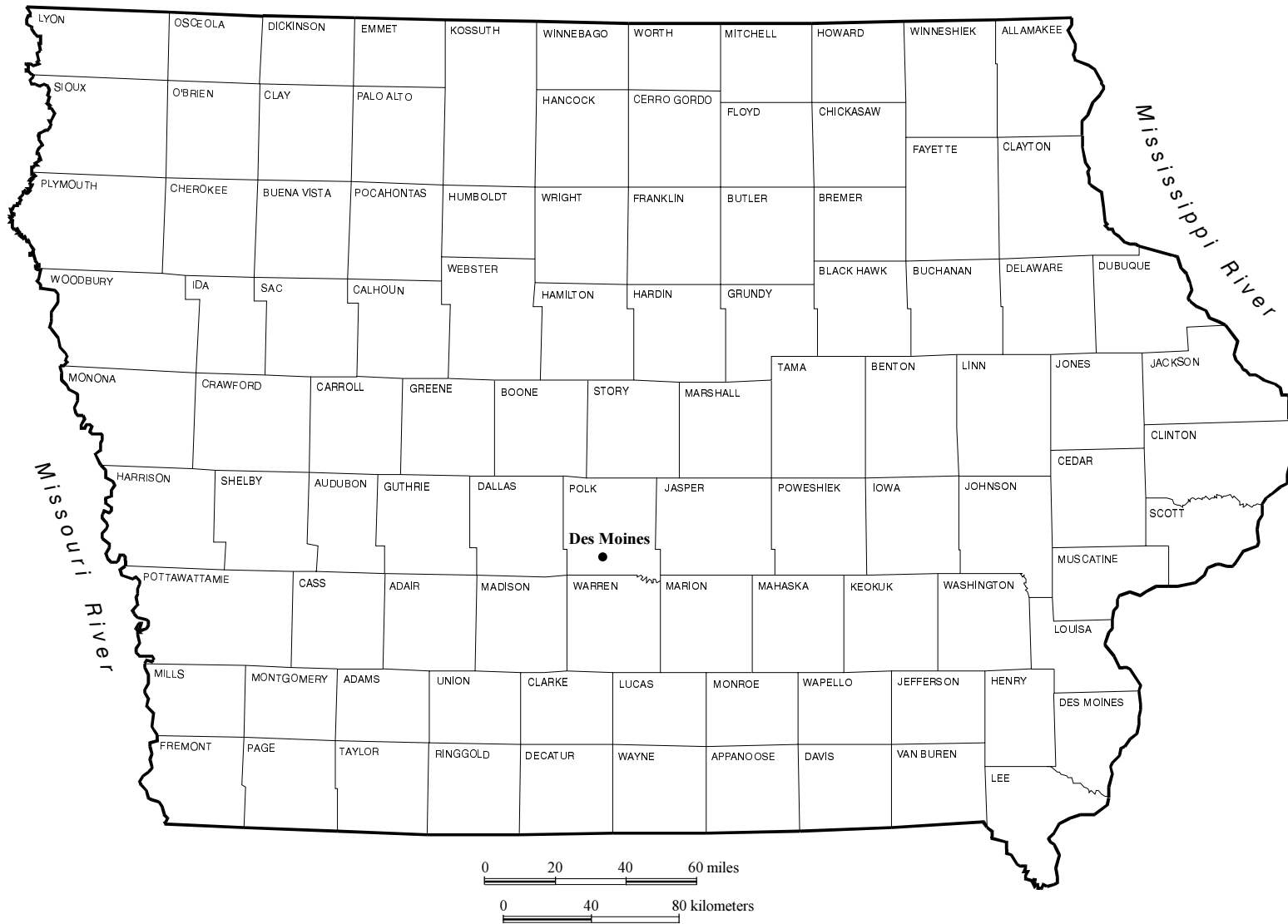


STATE OF IOWA

WITH COUNTIES



IOWA FACTS

Area: 56,290 square miles (25th)
 Population (1998): 2,862,000 (30th)
 Statehood granted: 1846 (29th)
 State capital: Des Moines
 Number of counties: 99

Educational Materials: EM-13 (1999)