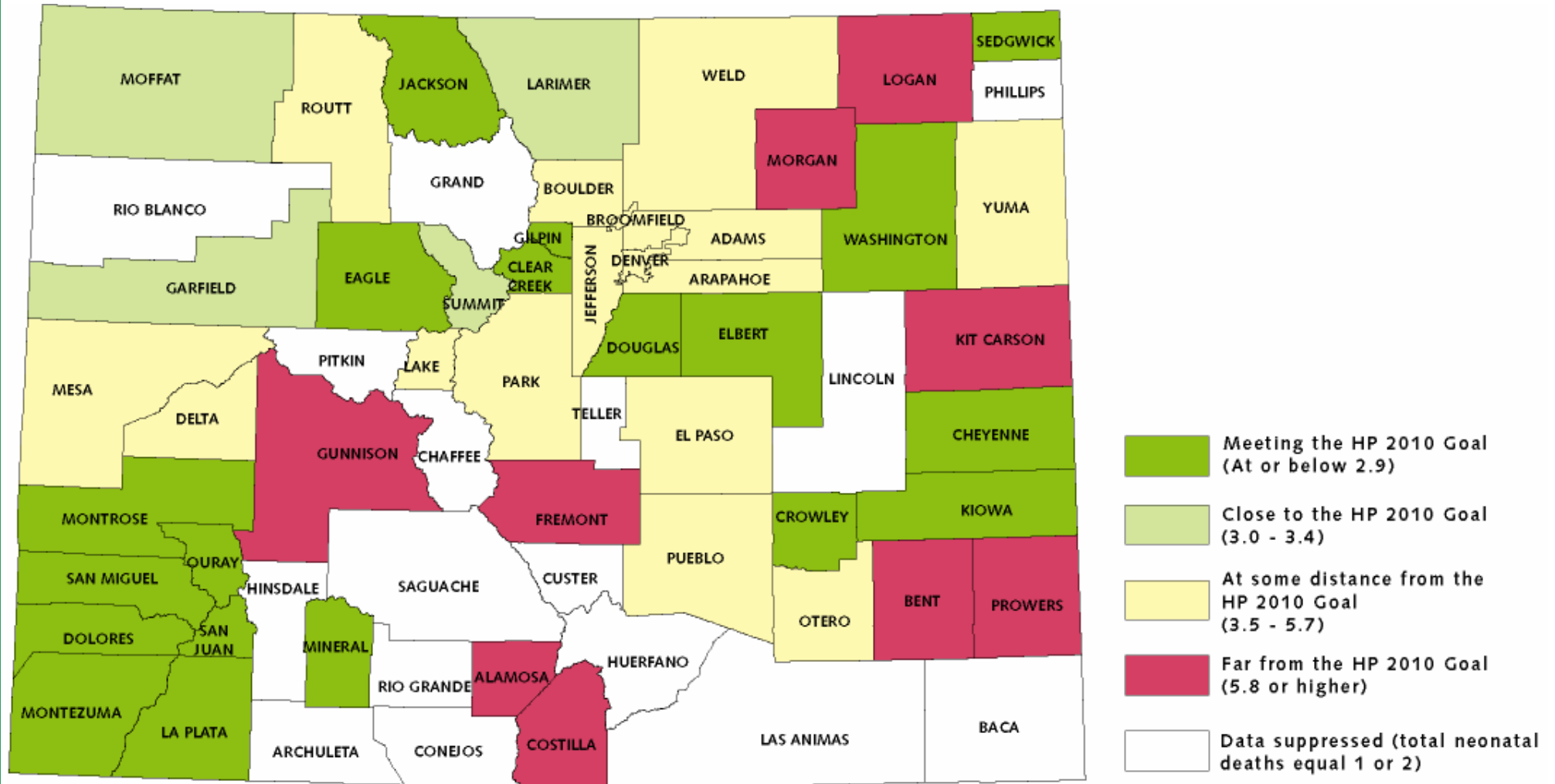# Neonatal Mortality Rate
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Counties Meeting the HP 2010 Goal (at or below 2.9)

Cheyenne	Gilpin	Ouray
Clear Creek	Jackson	San Juan
Crowley	Kiowa	San Miguel
Dolores	La Plata	Sedgwick
Douglas	Mineral	Washington
Eagle	Montezuma	
Elbert	Montrose	

Counties Close to the HP 2010 Goal (3.0 - 3.4)

Garfield	Moffat	Summit
Larimer		

Counties At Some Distance from the HP 2010 Goal (3.5 - 5.7):

Adams	El Paso	Pueblo
Arapahoe	Jefferson	Routt
Boulder	Lake	Weld
Broomfield (2002-2003)	Mesa	Yuma
Delta	Otero	
Denver	Park	

Counties Far from the HP 2010 Goal (5.8 or higher):

Alamosa	Fremont	Logan
Bent	Gunnison	Morgan
Costilla	Kit Carson	Prowers

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Archuleta	Hinsdale	Rio Blanco
Baca	Huerfano	Rio Grande
Chaffee	Las Animas	Saguache
Conejos	Lincoln	Teller
Custer	Phillips	
Grand	Pitkin	