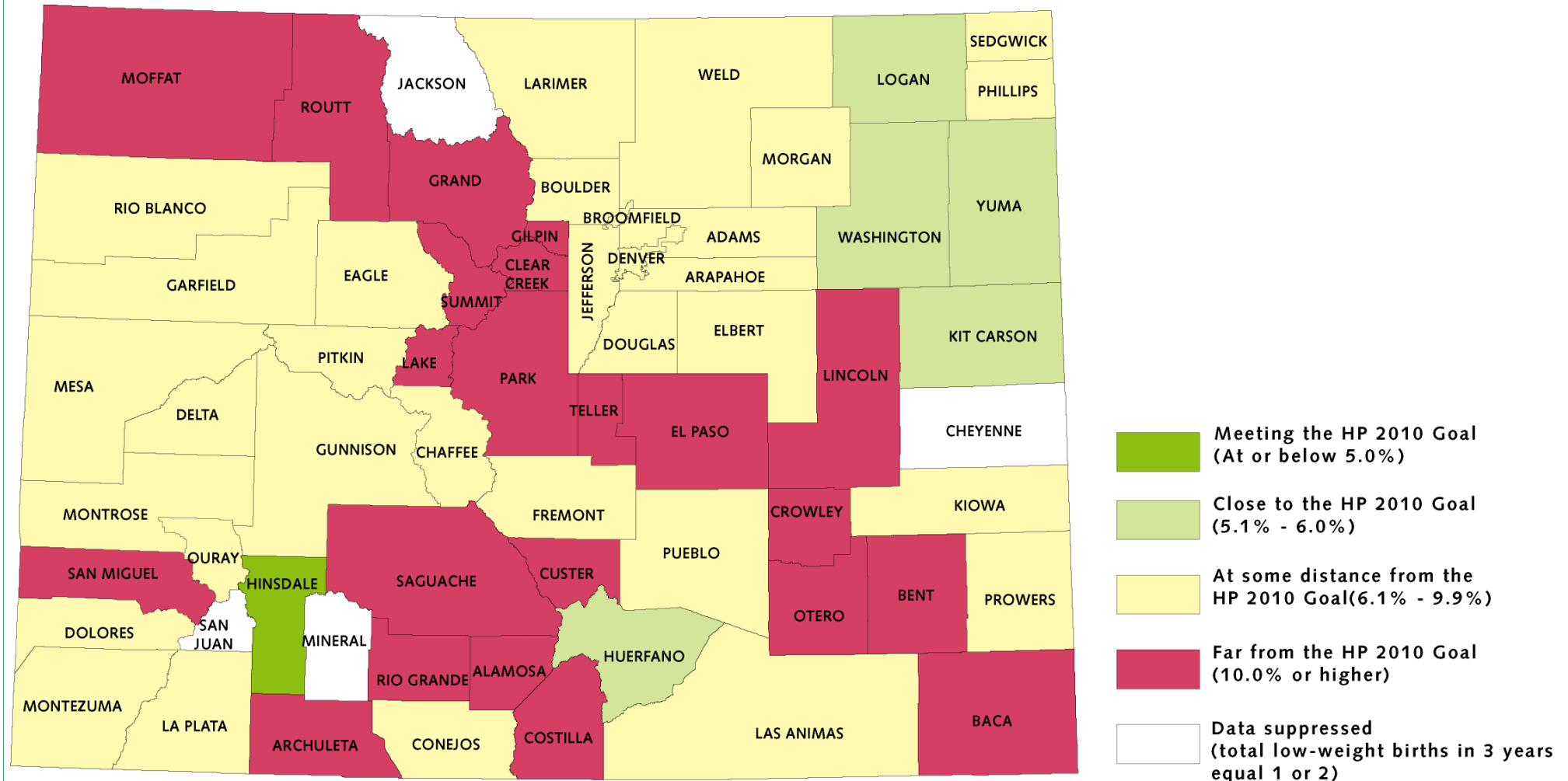


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Hinsdale

Counties Close to the HP 2010 Goal (5.1% - 6.0%)

Huerfano
Kit Carson

Logan
Washington

Yuma

Counties At Some Distance from the HP 2010 Goal (6.1% - 9.9%):

Adams
Arapahoe
Boulder
Broomfield
Chaffee
Conejos
Delta
Denver
Dolores
Douglas
Eagle

Elbert
Fremont
Garfield
Gunnison
Jefferson
Kiowa
La Plata
Larimer
Las Animas
Mesa
Montezuma

Montrose
Morgan
Ouray
Phillips
Pitkin
Prowers
Pueblo
Rio Blanco
Sedgwick
Weld

Counties Far from the HP 2010 Goal (10.0% or higher):

Alamosa
Archuleta
Baca
Bent
Clear Creek
Costilla
Crowley
Custer

El Paso
Gilpin
Grand
Lake
Lincoln
Moffat
Otero
Park

Rio Grande
Routt
Saguache
San Miguel
Summit
Teller

Data suppressed (total low weight births in 3 years equal 1 or 2):

Cheyenne
Jackson

Mineral
San Juan