

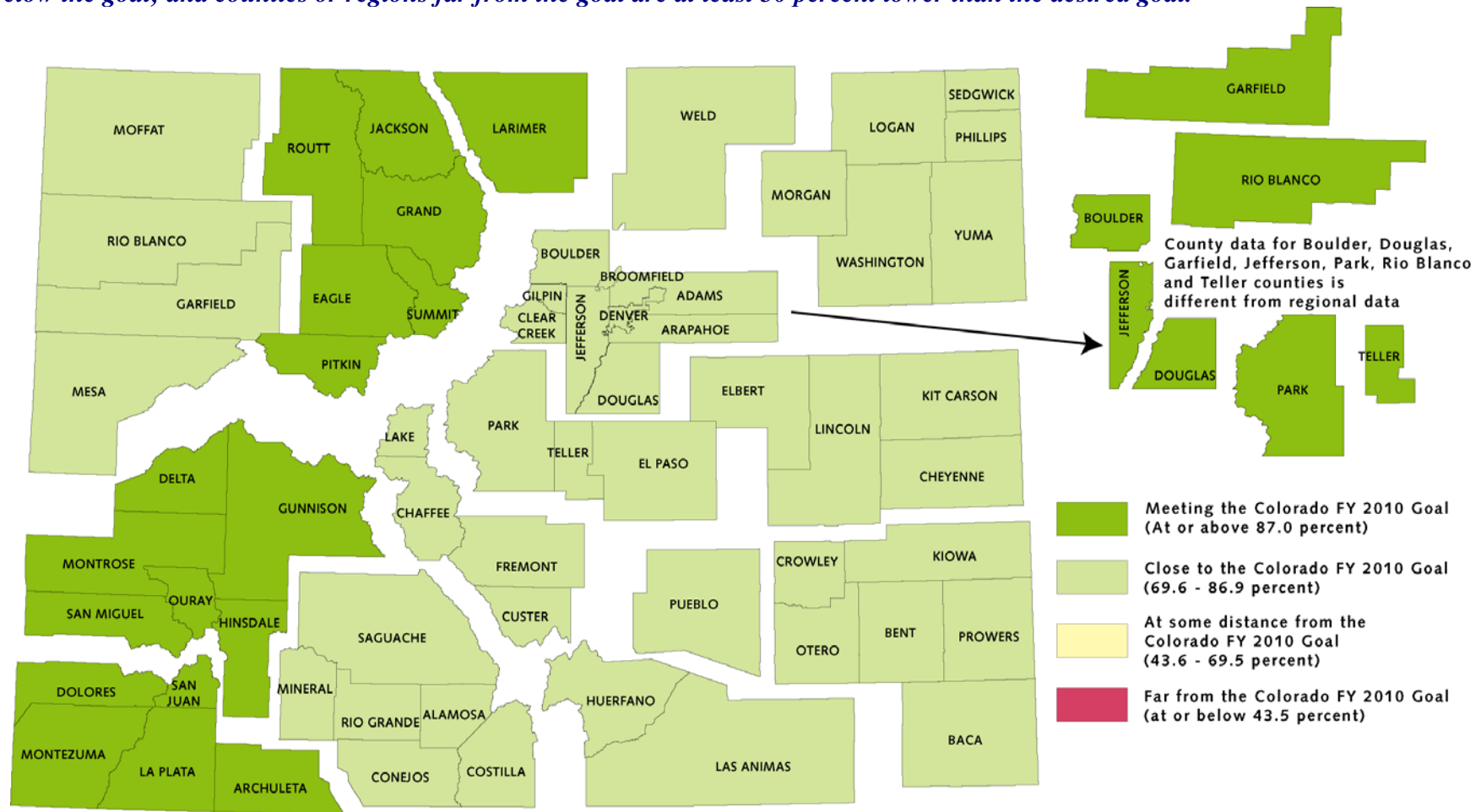
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Counties or Regions Meeting the Colorado 2010 Goal (at or above 87.0%)

Boulder	Gunnison	Park
Delta	Jefferson	Rio Blanco
Douglas	La Plata	Routt
Eagle	Larimer	Summit
Garfield	Montezuma	Teller
Grand	Montrose	

Archuleta/Dolores/La Plata/Montezuma/San Juan
Delta/Gunnison/Hinsdale/Montrose/Ouray/San Miguel
Eagle/Grand/Jackson/Pitkin/Routt/Summit

Counties or Regions Close to the Colorado 2010 Goal (69.6%-86.9%)

Adams	Elbert	Pueblo
Alamosa	Logan	Rio Grande
Arapahoe	Mesa	Weld
Denver	Morgan	
El Paso	Otero	

Adams/Arapahoe/Boulder/Broomfield/Clear Creek/Denver/Douglas/Gilpin/Jefferson
Alamosa/Conejos/Costilla/Mineral/Rio Grande/Saguache
Baca/Bent/Crowley/Kiowa/Otero/Prowers
Chaffee/Custer
Cheyenne/Elbert/Kit Carson/Lincoln
Fremont/Lake
Garfield/Mesa/Moffat/Rio Blanco
Huerfano/Las Animas
Logan/Morgan/Phillips/Sedgwick/Washington/Yuma

Counties or Regions At Some Distance from the Colorado 2010 Goal (43.6%-69.5%):

None

Counties or Regions Far from the Colorado 2010 Goal (at or below 43.5%):

None