

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY**  
**COLORADO**

Preliminary Estimates for November 2009 (in thousands)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,664.2	2,660.6	2,741.6	3.6	-77.4
Unemployment	183.5	186.2	148.4	-2.7	35.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	7.0	5.4	--	--
Employment	2,480.7	2,474.4	2,593.2	6.3	-112.5
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,665.0	2,672.6	2,735.7	-7.6	-70.7
Unemployment	179.1	177.6	147.9	1.5	31.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	6.6	5.4	--	--
Employment	2,485.9	2,495.0	2,587.8	-9.1	-101.9

<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	23.2	23.0	29.6	0.2	-6.4
Construction	133.0	132.4	154.9	0.6	-21.9
Manufacturing	127.7	127.8	141.0	-0.1	-13.3
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	406.8	408.3	423.9	-1.5	-17.1
Information	71.9	72.2	76.2	-0.3	-4.3
Financial Activities	144.8	144.7	153.2	0.1	-8.4
Professional & Business Services	327.2	323.9	343.3	3.3	-16.1
Educational & Health Services	261.0	260.2	254.2	0.8	6.8
Leisure & Hospitality	262.2	263.0	271.9	-0.8	-9.7
Other Services	92.3	92.3	96.0	0.0	-3.7
Government	392.8	393.3	388.7	-0.5	4.1
TOTAL NONAG	2,242.9	2,241.1	2,332.9	1.8	-90.0
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	23.3	23.1	29.7	0.2	-6.4
Construction	133.8	136.6	155.7	-2.8	-21.9
Manufacturing	127.8	128.3	141.1	-0.5	-13.3
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	414.7	409.3	432.0	5.4	-17.3
Information	72.2	72.3	76.5	-0.1	-4.3
Financial Activities	144.1	144.1	152.4	0.0	-8.3
Professional & Business Services	326.0	327.0	342.2	-1.0	-16.2
Educational & Health Services	261.8	260.5	254.9	1.3	6.9
Leisure & Hospitality	251.7	253.4	261.3	-1.7	-9.6
Other Services	91.2	91.3	94.9	-0.1	-3.7
Government	400.4	400.5	396.2	-0.1	4.2
TOTAL NONAG	2,247.0	2,246.4	2,336.9	0.6	-89.9
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY**  
**COLORADO METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS**  
Preliminary Estimates for November 2009 (in thousands)

**DENVER-AURORA-BROOMFIELD MSA** (Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Clear Creek, Denver, Douglas, Elbert, Gilpin, Jefferson, and Park)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,360.3	1,351.9	1,398.1	8.4	-37.8
Unemployment	94.9	97.6	80.0	-2.7	14.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	7.2	5.7	--	--
Employment	1,265.4	1,254.3	1,318.1	11.1	-52.7
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	1195.8	1197.6	1239.0	-1.8	-43.2
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,365.8	1,363.8	1,404.9	2.0	-39.1
Unemployment	93.5	93.6	78.5	-0.1	15.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.9	5.6	--	--
Employment	1,272.3	1,270.2	1,326.4	2.1	-54.1
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	1200.7	1202.5	1244.1	-1.8	-43.4

**BOULDER-LONGMONT MSA** (Boulder County)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	171.7	170.7	178.6	1.0	-6.9
Unemployment	9.4	9.6	8.4	-0.2	1.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	5.6	4.7	--	--
Employment	162.3	161.1	170.2	1.2	-7.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	159.7	159.9	167.5	-0.2	-7.8
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.6	173.2	180.6	0.4	-7.0
Unemployment	9.3	9.2	8.2	0.1	1.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.4	5.3	4.6	--	--
Employment	164.3	164.0	172.4	0.3	-8.1
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	161.6	161.5	169.5	0.1	-7.9

## COLORADO SPRINGS MSA (El Paso and Teller counties)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	302.2	301.1	313.3	1.1	-11.1
Unemployment	22.2	22.7	19.9	-0.5	2.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	7.6	6.4	--	--
Employment	280.0	278.4	293.4	1.6	-13.4
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	246.2	247.0	256.6	-0.8	-10.4
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	303.4	303.4	314.9	0.0	-11.5
Unemployment	21.9	21.8	19.6	0.1	2.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.2	7.2	6.2	--	--
Employment	281.5	281.6	295.3	-0.1	-13.8
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	246.8	247.2	257.2	-0.4	-10.4

## FT. COLLINS-LOVELAND MSA (Larimer County)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	172.3	172.3	176.4	0.0	-4.1
Unemployment	10.0	10.1	8.3	-0.1	1.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	5.9	4.7	--	--
Employment	162.3	162.2	168.1	0.1	-5.8
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	132.8	133.6	137.3	-0.8	-4.5
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.7	174.6	178.0	-0.9	-4.3
Unemployment	9.8	9.6	8.1	0.2	1.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.7	5.5	4.5	--	--
Employment	163.9	165.0	169.9	-1.1	-6.0
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	133.8	134.8	138.3	-1.0	-4.5

**GRAND JUNCTION MSA (Mesa County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	80.8	80.7	83.7	0.1	-2.9
Unemployment	6.6	6.9	3.6	-0.3	3.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	8.5	4.3	--	--
Employment	74.2	73.8	80.1	0.4	-5.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	61.4	61.5	66.6	-0.1	-5.2
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	81.1	81.5	84.1	-0.4	-3.0
Unemployment	6.5	6.6	3.4	-0.1	3.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.0	8.1	4.1	--	--
Employment	74.6	74.9	80.7	-0.3	-6.1
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	62.1	62.1	67.4	0.0	-5.3

**GREELEY MSA (Weld County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	117.2	118.7	120.2	-1.5	-3.0
Unemployment	9.3	9.4	7.1	-0.1	2.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	7.9	5.9	--	--
Employment	107.9	109.3	113.1	-1.4	-5.2
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	78.0	77.8	82.6	0.2	-4.6
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	118.0	120.3	121.0	-2.3	-3.0
Unemployment	9.1	8.9	6.9	0.2	2.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.4	5.7	--	--
Employment	108.9	111.4	114.1	-2.5	-5.2
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	78.8	79.0	83.5	-0.2	-4.7

## PUEBLO MSA (Pueblo County)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	72.5	72.6	74.1	-0.1	-1.6
Unemployment	5.6	5.8	5.0	-0.2	0.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.9	6.7	--	--
Employment	66.9	66.8	69.1	0.1	-2.2
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	56.8	57.0	58.6	-0.2	-1.8
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Nov-09	Oct-09	Nov-08	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	72.7	72.9	74.4	-0.2	-1.7
Unemployment	5.5	5.4	4.9	0.1	0.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	7.4	6.6	--	--
Employment	67.2	67.5	69.5	-0.3	-2.3
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	57.2	57.2	59.0	0.0	-1.8

Seasonally Adjusted MSA Labor Force Data not official BLS series

Labor force estimates are adjusted to Current Population Survey data. Estimates made in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

1/ Residents unemployed during the week including the 12th of the month.

2/ Total resident employment includes nonagricultural wage and salary workers; self-employed, unpaid family and domestic workers; agricultural workers and persons involved in labor disputes.

3/ Due to rounding, sum of individual items may not equal total. Industry data represents jobs by place of work coded under the 2002 North American Industry Classification System

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