

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY  
COLORADO**

Preliminary Estimates for April 2010 (in thousands)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,668.4	2,656.1	2,734.1	12.3	-65.6
Unemployment	212.6	209.9	220.7	2.7	-8.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.0	7.9	8.1	--	--
Employment	2,455.8	2,446.2	2,513.3	9.6	-57.5
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,658.4	2,645.6	2,717.2	12.8	-58.7
Unemployment	207.0	222.0	214.3	-15.0	-7.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	8.4	7.9	--	--
Employment	2,451.4	2,423.6	2,502.8	27.8	-51.4

<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	22.0	22.6	24.6	-0.6	-2.6
Construction	109.6	112.6	135.8	-3.0	-26.2
Manufacturing	124.4	124.5	132.0	-0.1	-7.6
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	398.0	397.5	405.9	0.5	-7.9
Information	72.1	72.5	75.6	-0.4	-3.5
Financial Activities	143.9	142.5	148.4	1.4	-4.5
Professional & Business Services	324.0	327.0	331.7	-3.0	-7.7
Educational & Health Services	260.0	259.1	255.8	0.9	4.2
Leisure & Hospitality	257.4	258.1	263.2	-0.7	-5.8
Other Services	94.1	94.1	94.0	0.0	0.1
Government	394.8	394.0	391.8	0.8	3.0
TOTAL NONAG	2,200.3	2,204.5	2,258.8	-4.2	-58.5
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	21.8	22.5	24.2	-0.7	-2.4
Construction	106.1	106.7	131.3	-0.6	-25.2
Manufacturing	123.6	123.6	130.9	0.0	-7.3
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	392.9	391.6	400.3	1.3	-7.4
Information	72.0	72.2	75.4	-0.2	-3.4
Financial Activities	143.0	141.9	148.0	1.1	-5.0
Professional & Business Services	320.9	317.7	330.2	3.2	-9.3
Educational & Health Services	260.4	259.2	256.2	1.2	4.2
Leisure & Hospitality	255.2	260.4	260.2	-5.2	-5.0
Other Services	93.6	94.3	93.8	-0.7	-0.2
Government	400.0	399.8	396.6	0.2	3.4
TOTAL NONAG	2,189.5	2,189.9	2,247.1	-0.4	-57.6
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY  
COLORADO METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS**

Preliminary Estimates for April 2010 (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*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,376.4	1,366.6	1,406.7	9.8	-30.2
Unemployment	108.5	110.3	114.4	-1.7	-5.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	8.1	8.1	--	--
Employment	1,267.9	1,256.4	1,292.2	11.5	-24.4
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	1,175.3	1,177.4	1,204.6	-2.1	-29.3
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,366.3	1,355.1	1,396.5	11.2	-30.2
Unemployment	106.5	114.7	112.4	-8.2	-5.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	8.5	8.0	--	--
Employment	1,259.8	1,240.3	1,284.1	19.4	-24.4
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	1,168.2	1,163.2	1,198.3	5.0	-30.1

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

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	174.1	172.6	177.0	1.5	-2.8
Unemployment	10.5	10.6	11.5	-0.1	-1.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.0	6.2	6.5	--	--
Employment	163.6	162.0	165.5	1.6	-1.8
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	157.9	158.2	160.2	-0.3	-2.3
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.7	172.2	176.6	1.5	-2.8
Unemployment	10.3	11.0	11.3	-0.7	-1.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.9	6.4	6.4	--	--
Employment	163.4	161.2	165.3	2.3	-1.8
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	158.3	158.2	160.9	0.1	-2.6

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

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	310.1	309.4	315.6	0.7	-5.5
Unemployment	26.3	26.5	26.8	-0.3	-0.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.5	8.6	8.5	--	--
Employment	283.8	282.9	288.8	1.0	-4.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	242.6	242.9	249.8	-0.3	-7.2
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	307.2	305.1	312.7	2.1	-5.5
Unemployment	25.7	27.5	26.3	-1.7	-0.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.4	9.0	8.4	--	--
Employment	281.5	277.7	286.4	3.8	-4.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	241.5	240.6	247.9	0.9	-6.4

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

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	174.7	173.4	177.2	1.2	-2.6
Unemployment	11.4	11.7	12.2	-0.3	-0.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	6.8	6.9	--	--
Employment	163.3	161.7	165.0	1.6	-1.7
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	131.4	131.3	133.7	0.1	-2.3
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.4	171.2	175.9	2.2	-2.6
Unemployment	11.2	12.2	12.0	-1.1	-0.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	7.1	6.8	--	--
Employment	162.2	159.0	164.0	3.2	-1.7
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	130.9	129.7	132.7	1.2	-1.8

**GRAND JUNCTION MSA (Mesa County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	79.9	80.2	83.5	-0.3	-3.7
Unemployment	7.5	8.0	7.6	-0.5	-0.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	9.9	9.1	--	--
Employment	72.4	72.2	75.9	0.1	-3.5
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	59.3	59.4	62.7	-0.1	-3.4
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	79.4	79.4	83.0	-0.1	-3.7
Unemployment	7.3	8.2	7.4	-0.9	-0.1

Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	10.3	9.0	--	--
Employment	72.1	71.2	75.6	0.9	-3.5
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	59.3	59.0	62.4	0.3	-3.1

**GREELEY MSA (Weld County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	117.5	117.9	120.7	-0.4	-3.2
Unemployment	10.6	11.0	10.7	-0.4	-0.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	9.4	8.9	--	--
Employment	106.9	106.9	110.1	0.0	-3.2
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	76.7	77.2	80.0	-0.5	-3.3
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	116.9	116.6	120.1	0.2	-3.2
Unemployment	10.5	11.5	10.6	-1.1	-0.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	9.9	8.8	--	--
Employment	106.4	105.1	109.5	1.3	-3.2
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	76.9	76.8	80.0	0.1	-3.1

**PUEBLO MSA (Pueblo County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	74.4	73.9	75.1	0.6	-0.7
Unemployment	6.8	6.8	6.7	0.0	0.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	9.1	9.0	--	--
Employment	67.6	67.1	68.4	0.5	-0.7
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	56.9	57.1	57.7	-0.2	-0.8
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Apr-10	Mar-10	Apr-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	74.3	73.9	74.9	0.4	-0.7
Unemployment	6.6	7.1	6.6	-0.5	0.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	9.6	8.7	--	--
Employment	67.7	66.8	68.4	0.9	-0.7
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	57.0	57.1	58.0	-0.1	-1.0

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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