

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
COLORADO**

Preliminary Estimates for May 2010 (in thousands)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,670.7	2,669.1	2,728.4	1.6	-57.7
Unemployment	213.8	213.3	225.0	0.5	-11.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.0	8.0	8.2	--	--
Employment	2,456.9	2,455.8	2,503.4	1.1	-46.5
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,645.3	2,659.9	2,715.6	-14.6	-70.3
Unemployment	204.3	208.6	221.5	-4.3	-17.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.8	8.2	--	--
Employment	2,441.0	2,451.3	2,494.1	-10.3	-53.1

WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	22.2	22.1	24.0	0.1	-1.8
Construction	112.4	110.9	131.6	1.5	-19.2
Manufacturing	123.8	124.3	130.7	-0.5	-6.9
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	395.2	396.8	405.4	-1.6	-10.2
Information	70.8	71.8	75.2	-1.0	-4.4
Financial Activities	143.4	144.5	147.7	-1.1	-4.3
Professional & Business Services	323.9	324.2	329.7	-0.3	-5.8
Educational & Health Services	260.0	260.1	256.2	-0.1	3.8
Leisure & Hospitality	256.4	257.1	262.8	-0.7	-6.4
Other Services	95.0	94.2	94.0	0.8	1.0
Government	403.4	395.6	392.4	7.8	11.0
TOTAL NONAG	2206.5	2201.6	2249.7	4.9	-43.2
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	22.1	21.9	23.8	0.2	-1.7
Construction	111.8	107.4	132.5	4.4	-20.7
Manufacturing	123.2	123.5	130.1	-0.3	-6.9
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	391.5	391.7	401.2	-0.2	-9.7
Information	70.8	71.7	75.0	-0.9	-4.2
Financial Activities	142.8	143.6	147.0	-0.8	-4.2
Professional & Business Services	324.9	321.1	330.9	3.8	-6.0
Educational & Health Services	261.1	260.5	257.0	0.6	4.1
Leisure & Hospitality	248.1	254.9	256.5	-6.8	-8.4
Other Services	94.3	93.7	93.9	0.6	0.4
Government	412.1	400.8	401.5	11.3	10.6
TOTAL NONAG	2,202.7	2,190.8	2,249.4	11.9	-46.7
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

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,365.2	1,377.5	1,407.1	-12.3	-41.9
Unemployment	109.6	109.2	120.0	0.4	-10.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.0	7.9	8.5	--	--
Employment	1,255.6	1,268.3	1,287.1	-12.7	-31.5
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	1,178.6	1,176.4	1,201.2	2.2	-22.6
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,359.2	1,367.4	1,401.2	-8.2	-42.0
Unemployment	105.0	107.2	115.4	-2.2	-10.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.8	8.2	--	--
Employment	1,254.2	1,260.2	1,285.8	-6.0	-31.6
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	1,181.3	1,169.3	1,206.2	12.0	-24.9

BOULDER-LONGMONT MSA (Boulder County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	172.6	174.4	177.0	-1.8	-4.4
Unemployment	10.6	10.6	12.5	0.0	-1.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	6.1	7.0	--	--
Employment	162.0	163.8	164.5	-1.8	-2.5
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	158.1	158.2	159.6	-0.1	-1.5
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	172.4	174.0	176.8	-1.6	-4.4
Unemployment	10.1	10.4	12.0	-0.3	-1.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	6.0	6.8	--	--
Employment	162.3	163.6	164.8	-1.3	-2.5
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	159.4	158.6	161.2	0.8	-1.8

COLORADO SPRINGS MSA (El Paso and Teller counties)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	307.1	310.7	315.0	-3.6	-7.9
Unemployment	26.5	26.4	28.0	0.1	-1.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.6	8.5	8.9	--	--
Employment	280.6	284.3	286.9	-3.7	-6.3
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	243.7	243.0	249.0	0.7	-5.3
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	306.5	307.8	314.3	-1.3	-7.8
Unemployment	25.4	25.9	26.9	-0.5	-1.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.3	8.4	8.6	--	--
Employment	281.1	281.9	287.4	-0.8	-6.3
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	245.3	241.9	250.4	3.4	-5.1

FT. COLLINS-LOVELAND MSA (Larimer County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.5	174.7	177.6	-1.2	-4.1
Unemployment	11.4	11.5	12.7	-0.1	-1.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	6.6	7.2	--	--
Employment	162.1	163.2	164.9	-1.1	-2.8
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	131.9	131.6	133.2	0.3	-1.3
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.6	173.4	177.8	0.2	-4.2
Unemployment	10.8	11.3	12.2	-0.5	-1.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	6.5	6.9	--	--
Employment	162.8	162.1	165.6	0.7	-2.8
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	133.2	131.1	134.9	2.1	-1.7

GRAND JUNCTION MSA (Mesa County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	79.0	79.6	82.8	-0.6	-3.8
Unemployment	7.3	7.5	8.0	-0.2	-0.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	9.5	9.6	--	--
Employment	71.7	72.1	74.8	-0.4	-3.1
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	59.3	59.0	62.3	0.3	-3.0
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	79.0	79.1	82.6	-0.1	-3.6
Unemployment	7.0	7.3	7.6	-0.3	-0.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	9.3	9.2	--	--
Employment	72.0	71.8	75.0	0.2	-3.0
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	60.0	59.0	62.7	1.0	-2.7

GREELEY MSA (Weld County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	118.3	117.5	120.2	0.8	-1.9
Unemployment	10.6	10.7	11.4	-0.1	-0.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	9.1	9.5	--	--
Employment	107.7	106.8	108.8	0.9	-1.1
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	77.5	76.7	79.2	0.8	-1.7
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	118.0	116.9	119.8	1.1	-1.8
Unemployment	10.3	10.6	11.0	-0.3	-0.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	9.1	9.2	--	--
Employment	107.7	106.3	108.8	1.4	-1.1
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	78.2	76.9	80.0	1.3	-1.8

PUEBLO MSA (Pueblo County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	74.1	74.6	75.2	-0.5	-1.1
Unemployment	6.9	6.8	7.1	0.1	-0.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	9.1	9.4	--	--
Employment	67.2	67.8	68.1	-0.6	-0.9
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	57.2	57.2	57.6	0.0	-0.4
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	May-10	Apr-10	May-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	74.0	74.4	75.2	-0.4	-1.2
Unemployment	6.5	6.6	6.7	-0.1	-0.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	8.9	8.9	--	--
Employment	67.5	67.8	68.5	-0.3	-1.0
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	57.6	57.3	58.2	0.3	-0.6

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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