

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY  
COLORADO**

Preliminary Estimates for September 2010 (in thousands)

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*				Change from last:	
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,660.4	2,656.4	2,676.0	4.0	-15.6
Unemployment	218.9	216.5	206.5	2.4	12.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	8.1	7.7	--	--
Employment	2,441.5	2,439.9	2,469.5	1.6	-28.0
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
				Change from last:	
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,683.2	2,686.5	2,687.9	-3.3	-4.7
Unemployment	213.8	215.0	196.2	-1.2	17.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.0	8.0	7.3	--	--
Employment	2,469.4	2,471.5	2,491.7	-2.1	-22.3

<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	23.1	23.1	22.8	0.0	0.3
Construction	109.3	109.3	123.5	0.0	-14.2
Manufacturing	124.0	123.9	126.7	0.1	-2.7
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	394.9	395.6	399.2	-0.7	-4.3
Information	69.9	70.5	73.7	-0.6	-3.8
Financial Activities	142.5	143.7	145.6	-1.2	-3.1
Professional & Business Services	324.1	322.7	323.5	1.4	0.6
Educational & Health Services	264.0	264.8	257.7	-0.8	6.3
Leisure & Hospitality	260.2	259.8	261.5	0.4	-1.3
Other Services	94.4	93.5	93.7	0.9	0.7
Government	389.8	389.1	390.5	0.7	-0.7
TOTAL NONAG	2,196.2	2,196.0	2,218.4	0.2	-22.2
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	23.1	23.3	22.8	-0.2	0.3
Construction	114.6	116.3	129.6	-1.7	-15.0
Manufacturing	124.5	124.3	127.3	0.2	-2.8
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	395.0	397.2	399.4	-2.2	-4.4
Information	69.7	70.6	73.5	-0.9	-3.8
Financial Activities	143.0	145.2	145.4	-2.2	-2.4
Professional & Business Services	329.9	331.7	328.0	-1.8	1.9
Educational & Health Services	263.6	263.4	256.7	0.2	6.9
Leisure & Hospitality	259.7	271.1	262.4	-11.4	-2.7
Other Services	93.9	94.3	93.5	-0.4	0.4
Government	391.2	371.9	393.4	19.3	-2.2
TOTAL NONAG	2,208.2	2,209.3	2,232.0	-1.1	-23.8
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY**  
**COLORADO METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS**  
Preliminary Estimates for September 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*	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,373.2	1,373.0	1,355.3	0.2	17.9
Unemployment	114.6	113.9	106.6	0.7	8.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.3	8.3	7.9	--	--
Employment	1,258.6	1,259.1	1,248.7	-0.5	9.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	1,184.0	1,182.5	1,187.3	1.5	-3.3
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,381.3	1,381.8	1,363.6	-0.5	17.7
Unemployment	112.1	112.1	104.2	0.0	7.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	8.1	7.6	--	--
Employment	1,269.2	1,269.7	1,259.4	-0.5	9.8
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	1,192.1	1,191.3	1,194.3	0.8	-2.2

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

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	172.1	172.4	171.0	-0.3	1.1
Unemployment	11.0	10.9	10.8	0.1	0.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	6.3	6.3	--	--
Employment	161.1	161.5	160.2	-0.4	0.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	158.4	158.3	158.9	0.1	-0.5
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.2	170.7	172.2	2.5	1.0
Unemployment	10.7	10.8	10.5	-0.1	0.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	6.3	6.1	--	--
Employment	162.5	159.9	161.7	2.6	0.8
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	158.9	155.2	159.5	3.7	-0.6

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

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	307.3	305.8	304.6	1.5	2.7
Unemployment	27.5	27.3	24.5	0.2	3.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	8.9	8.0	--	--
Employment	279.8	278.5	280.1	1.3	-0.3
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	244.6	243.2	245.9	1.4	-1.3
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	309.4	308.6	306.6	0.8	2.8
Unemployment	26.9	27.0	23.8	-0.1	3.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	8.7	7.8	--	--
Employment	282.5	281.6	282.8	0.9	-0.3
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	245.3	244.6	247.9	0.7	-2.6

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

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	174.8	175.5	173.8	-0.7	1.0
Unemployment	11.7	11.7	11.2	0.0	0.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	6.7	6.5	--	--
Employment	163.1	163.8	162.6	-0.7	0.5
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	133.0	133.1	132.1	-0.1	0.9
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	177.2	176.4	176.1	0.8	1.1
Unemployment	11.3	11.4	10.8	-0.1	0.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	6.5	6.1	--	--
Employment	165.9	165.0	165.3	0.9	0.6
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	134.9	134.0	134.7	0.9	0.2

**GRAND JUNCTION MSA (Mesa County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	78.1	78.2	80.1	-0.1	-2.0
Unemployment	7.4	7.4	7.5	0.0	-0.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	9.4	9.4	--	--
Employment	70.7	70.8	72.6	-0.1	-1.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	58.4	58.3	59.9	0.1	-1.5
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	78.8	78.4	80.9	0.4	-2.1
Unemployment	7.1	7.3	7.3	-0.2	-0.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	9.3	9.0	--	--
Employment	71.7	71.1	73.6	0.6	-1.9
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	58.7	58.4	60.5	0.3	-1.8

**GREELEY MSA (Weld County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	120.9	120.4	121.0	0.5	-0.1
Unemployment	11.2	11.2	10.3	0.0	0.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	9.3	8.5	--	--
Employment	109.7	109.2	110.7	0.5	-1.0
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	78.5	78.1	77.4	0.4	1.1
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	Sep-10	Aug-10	Sep-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	121.9	120.6	122.1	1.3	-0.2
Unemployment	10.8	10.9	9.9	-0.1	0.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	9.1	8.1	--	--
Employment	111.1	109.7	112.2	1.4	-1.1
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
TOTAL NONAG	78.9	77.8	78.3	1.1	0.6

**PUEBLO MSA (Pueblo County)**

<b>LABOR FORCE DATA</b>					
<b>SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*</b>	<b>Sep-10</b>	<b>Aug-10</b>	<b>Sep-09</b>	<b>Change from last:</b>	
				<b>Month</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	74.7	74.6	73.4	0.1	1.3
<b>Unemployment</b>	7.4	7.4	6.2	0.0	1.2
<b>Unemployment Rate (%)</b>	9.9	9.9	8.5	--	--
<b>Employment</b>	67.3	67.2	67.2	0.1	0.1
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
<b>TOTAL NONAG</b>	57.3	56.7	56.9	0.6	0.4
<b>UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>					
	<b>Sep-10</b>	<b>Aug-10</b>	<b>Sep-09</b>	<b>Change from last:</b>	
				<b>Month</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Total Civilian Labor Force</b>	74.9	74.1	73.7	0.8	1.2
<b>Unemployment</b>	7.1	7.2	6.0	-0.1	1.1
<b>Unemployment Rate (%)</b>	9.5	9.7	8.1	--	--
<b>Employment</b>	67.8	66.9	67.7	0.9	0.1
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA</b>					
<b>TOTAL NONAG</b>	57.4	56.4	57.1	1.0	0.3

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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