

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
COLORADO**

Preliminary Estimates for October 2010 (in thousands)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,658.9	2,661.1	2,663.3	-2.2	-4.4
Unemployment	222.6	219.4	200.4	3.2	22.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.4	8.2	7.5	--	--
Employment	2,436.3	2,441.7	2,462.9	-5.4	-26.6
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	2,664.8	2,684.6	2,671.0	-19.8	-6.2
Unemployment	214.9	214.9	189.5	0.0	25.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	8.0	7.1	--	--
Employment	2,449.9	2,469.7	2,481.5	-19.8	-31.6

WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	24.6	23.0	22.8	1.6	1.8
Construction	112.2	110.4	121.4	1.8	-9.2
Manufacturing	123.6	124.3	125.3	-0.7	-1.7
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	394.6	395.3	397.1	-0.7	-2.5
Information	70.2	70.3	73.6	-0.1	-3.4
Financial Activities	141.9	142.7	144.7	-0.8	-2.8
Professional & Business Services	324.4	324.6	323.7	-0.2	0.7
Educational & Health Services	268.8	263.8	260.6	5.0	8.2
Leisure & Hospitality	259.9	260.9	262.8	-1.0	-2.9
Other Services	94.5	94.0	94.2	0.5	0.3
Government	391.7	390.0	392.8	1.7	-1.1
TOTAL NONAG	2,206.4	2,199.3	2,219.0	7.1	-12.6
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Month	Year
Mining & Logging	24.6	23.0	22.8	1.6	1.8
Construction	116.3	115.7	125.5	0.6	-9.2
Manufacturing	124.0	124.8	125.7	-0.8	-1.7
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	396.3	395.4	398.7	0.9	-2.4
Information	70.4	70.1	73.7	0.3	-3.3
Financial Activities	141.4	143.2	144.2	-1.8	-2.8
Professional & Business Services	328.8	330.4	328.1	-1.6	0.7
Educational & Health Services	269.6	263.4	261.4	6.2	8.2
Leisure & Hospitality	251.2	260.4	253.9	-9.2	-2.7
Other Services	93.6	93.5	93.3	0.1	0.3
Government	399.1	391.4	400.2	7.7	-1.1
TOTAL NONAG	2,215.3	2,211.3	2,227.5	4.0	-12.2
Labor Disputants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

**LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
COLORADO METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS**

Preliminary Estimates for October 2010 (in thousands)

DENVER-AURORA-BROOMFIELD MSA (Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Clear Creek,

Denver, Douglas, Elbert, Gilpin, Jefferson, and Park

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,359.6	1,372.0	1,347.2	-12.4	12.4
Unemployment	116.0	115.3	103.5	0.7	12.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.5	8.4	7.7	--	--
Employment	1,243.6	1,256.7	1,243.7	-13.1	-0.1
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	1,183.6	1,183.5	1,186.0	0.1	-2.4
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	1,371.6	1,380.2	1,359.2	-8.6	12.4
Unemployment	112.1	112.8	99.6	-0.7	12.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	8.2	7.3	--	--
Employment	1,259.5	1,267.4	1,259.6	-7.9	-0.1
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	1,192.1	1,191.5	1,194.3	0.6	-2.2

BOULDER-LONGMONT MSA (Boulder County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	171.4	172.6	170.2	-1.2	1.2
Unemployment	11.3	11.1	10.4	0.2	0.9
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	6.4	6.1	--	--
Employment	160.1	161.5	159.8	-1.4	0.3
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	159.3	159.1	159.1	0.2	0.2
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.7	173.8	172.7	-0.1	1.0
Unemployment	10.8	10.8	10.0	0.0	0.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	6.2	5.8	--	--
Employment	162.9	163.0	162.7	-0.1	0.2
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	161.0	159.6	160.7	1.4	0.3

COLORADO SPRINGS MSA (El Paso and Teller counties)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	303.6	307.4	302.6	-3.8	1.0
Unemployment	27.8	27.7	24.2	0.1	3.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	9.0	8.0	--	--
Employment	275.8	279.7	278.4	-3.9	-2.6
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	244.7	244.8	247.1	-0.1	-2.4
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	305.9	309.5	304.9	-3.6	1.0
Unemployment	26.9	27.0	23.3	-0.1	3.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	8.7	7.6	--	--
Employment	279.0	282.5	281.6	-3.5	-2.6
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	245.2	245.5	247.6	-0.3	-2.4

FT. COLLINS-LOVELAND MSA (Larimer County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	173.9	175.1	172.6	-1.2	1.3
Unemployment	11.9	11.7	10.9	0.2	1.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.7	6.3	--	--
Employment	162.0	163.4	161.7	-1.4	0.3
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	133.5	133.3	132.8	0.2	0.7
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	176.2	177.4	175.0	-1.2	1.2
Unemployment	11.4	11.3	10.4	0.1	1.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	6.4	5.9	--	--
Employment	164.8	166.1	164.6	-1.3	0.2
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	135.0	135.2	134.3	-0.2	0.7

GRAND JUNCTION MSA (Mesa County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	77.1	78.2	79.3	-1.1	-2.2
Unemployment	7.4	7.4	7.2	0.0	0.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.5	9.1	--	--
Employment	69.7	70.8	72.1	-1.1	-2.4
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	58.8	58.6	60.3	0.2	-1.5
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	77.9	78.9	80.1	-1.0	-2.2
Unemployment	7.1	7.2	6.9	-0.1	0.2

Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	9.1	8.7	--	--
Employment	70.8	71.7	73.2	-0.9	-2.4
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	58.9	58.9	60.4	0.0	-1.5

GREELEY MSA (Weld County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	119.0	120.9	119.4	-1.9	-0.4
Unemployment	11.3	11.2	10.0	0.1	1.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	9.3	8.4	--	--
Employment	107.7	109.7	109.4	-2.0	-1.7
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	78.5	78.5	77.4	0.0	1.1
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	120.6	121.9	121.0	-1.3	-0.4
Unemployment	10.9	10.8	9.6	0.1	1.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	8.9	7.9	--	--
Employment	109.7	111.1	111.4	-1.4	-1.7
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	79.4	78.9	78.3	0.5	1.1

PUEBLO MSA (Pueblo County)

LABOR FORCE DATA					
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED*	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	73.8	74.5	73.1	-0.7	0.7
Unemployment	7.4	7.4	6.2	0.0	1.2
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	9.9	8.4	--	--
Employment	66.4	67.1	66.9	-0.7	-0.5
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	56.9	57.0	56.9	-0.1	0.0
UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:					
	Oct-10	Sep-10	Oct-09	Change from last:	
				Month	Year
Total Civilian Labor Force	74.2	74.8	73.3	-0.6	0.9
Unemployment	7.1	7.2	5.8	-0.1	1.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.6	7.9	--	--
Employment	67.1	67.6	67.5	-0.5	-0.4
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT DATA					
TOTAL NONAG	57.2	57.1	57.2	0.1	0.0

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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