

**Colorado Mass Layoff Statistics (MLS) Fourth Quarter 2001**  
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Table 1.

Major Industry Division	Number of Firms	Establishments with Layoffs	Layoff Events	Total Separations	Initial Claims
Total	132,023	47	48	7,652	7,090
Total, Private	130,629	46	47	7,354	6,955
Agriculture	3,538	0	0	0	0
Nonagriculture	126,872	46	47	7,354	6,955
Manufacturing	6,083	13	14	2,319	2,601
Durable	3,468	11	12	2,164	2,446
Nondurable	2,615	2	2	155	155
Nonmanufacturing	120,789	33	33	5,035	4,354
Mining	970	1	1	90	188
Construction	17,966	9	9	1,086	1,084
Transportation and Public	4,836	8	8	1	1,221
Wholesale Trade	11,778	1	1	130	173
Retail Trade	19,568	7	7	1,502	859
Finance, Insurance, and Real	13,270	2	2	193	193
Services	52,401	5	5	688	636
Not Identified	219	0	0	0	0
Government	1,393	1	1	298	135
Federal	43	0	0	0	0
State	82	0	0	0	0
Local	1,268	1	1	298	135
Ownership not identified	1	0	0	0	0

Table 2.

Claimant Characteristic	Initial Claims	Percent
Total	7,090	100.0
Race/Ethnicity		
White/Non-Hispanic	4,093	57.7
Black/Non-Hispanic	291	4.1
Hispanic origin	1,637	23.1
American Indian or Alaskan Native	76	1.1
Asian or Pacific Islander	237	3.3
Information not available	756	10.7
Sex		
Male	4,418	62.3
Female	2,671	37.7
Information not available	1	0.0
Veteran Status		
Veteran	977	13.8
Non-Veteran	6,112	86.2
Information not available	1	0.0
Age		
Under 30	1,457	20.6
30 to 44	2,897	40.9
45 to 54	1,880	26.5
55 and over	837	11.8
Information not available	19	0.3

Table 3.

Layoff Reason	Number of Firms	Layoff Events	Total Separations	Initial Claims
Bankruptcy	1	1	79	69
Business Ownership Change	1	1	319	319
Contract Cancellation	3	3	413	252
Contract Completed	1	1	53	137
Financial Difficulty	2	2	250	245
Overseas Relocation	1	1	116	116
Reorganization within the Company	8	8	1,294	1,500
Seasonal	13	13	2,463	1,848
Slack Work	5	5	663	602
Other	11	11	1,759	1,759
Data Not Provided (Refusal)	1	1	138	138
Data Not Provided (Does Not Know)	1	1	105	105