



Colorado LMI Data Overview

August 2006

Employment					
	Jul-06	Jun-06	Jul-05	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment (SA)	2,274,500	2,269,600	2,228,300	4,900	46,200
Total Resident Employment (SA)	2,497,250	2,512,729	2,420,952	(15,479)	76,298
	Q4 2005	Q3 2005	Q4 2004		
UI Covered Total Employment	2,216,084	2,213,370	2,164,912	2,714	51,172
UI Covered Private Employment	1,866,158	1,873,603	1,818,784	(7,445)	47,374

Unemployment					
	Jul-06	Jun-06	Jul-05	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Unemployment (SA)	123,840	117,682	128,725	6,158	(4,885)
Percent Unemployed (SA)	4.7%	4.5%	5.0%	-	-
Initial Claims	8,313	8,363	8,469	(50)	(156)
Continued Weeks Claimed	100,974	89,108	101,774	11,866	(800)
	Q1 2006	Q4 2005	Q1 2005		
Extended Mass Layoffs	8	18	8	(10)	0
Layoff Initial Claims	917	2,528	978	(1,611)	(61)

Wages and Earnings					
	Q4 2005	Q3 2005	Q4 2004	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Total Average Weekly Wage	\$835	\$808	\$831	\$27	\$4
Private Average Weekly Wage	\$842	\$803	\$839	\$39	\$3
	Jul-06	Jun-06	Jul-05		
Average Weekly Earnings (Construction)	\$799.13	\$808.00	\$759.30	(\$8.87)	\$39.83
Average Weekly Earnings (Manufacturing)	\$648.52	\$646.22	\$605.41	\$2.30	\$43.11

CO Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund					
	Jul-06	Jun-06	Jul-05	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Employer Contributions	\$33,307,292	\$3,176,953	\$26,779,980	\$30,130,339	\$6,527,312
Benefits Paid	\$23,696,473	\$21,159,559	\$23,275,002	\$2,536,914	\$421,472
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$305.29	\$304.65	\$294.50	\$0.64	\$10.79
End of Month Balance	\$452,618,413	\$445,411,793	\$221,741,877	\$7,206,620	\$230,876,536

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers					
	Jan-June 06	July-Dec 05	Jan-June 05	% Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Denver-Boulder-Greeley	196.3	192.6	189.2	1.9%	3.8%
US City Average	200.6	197.4	193.2	1.6%	3.8%