



Colorado LMI Data Overview

February 2009

Employment					
	Feb-09	Jan-09	Feb-08	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment (SA)	2,297,200	2,311,900	2,357,300	(14,700)	(60,100)
Total Resident Employment (SA)	2,534,875	2,556,353	2,597,844	(21,478)	(62,969)
	Q3 2008	Q2 2008	Q3 2007		
UI Covered Total Employment	2,332,313	2,323,121	2,315,741	9,192	16,572
UI Covered Private Employment	1,969,176	1,952,355	1,964,418	16,821	4,758

Unemployment					
	Feb-09	Jan-09	Feb-08	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Unemployment (SA)	195,816	182,099	123,532	13,717	72,284
Percent Unemployed (SA)	7.2%	6.6%	4.5%	-	-
Initial Claims	23,685	27,445	11,022	(3,760)	12,663
Continued Weeks Claimed	262,469	226,806	122,865	35,663	139,604
	Q4 2008	Q3 2008	Q4 2007		
Extended Mass Layoffs	28	7	15	21	13
Layoff Initial Claims	3,795	579	2,036	3,216	1,759

Wages and Earnings					
	Q3 2008	Q2 2008	Q3 2007	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Total Average Weekly Wage	\$877	\$858	\$845	\$19	\$32
Private Average Weekly Wage	\$867	\$861	\$839	\$6	\$28
	Feb-09	Jan-09	Feb-08		
Average Weekly Earnings (Construction)	\$795.28	\$800.38	\$793.62	(\$5.10)	\$1.66
Average Weekly Earnings (Manufacturing)	\$836.08	\$829.83	\$750.63	\$6.25	\$85.45

CO Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund					
	Feb-09	Jan-09	Feb-08	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Employer Contributions	\$30,359,751	\$8,919,534	\$32,133,957	\$21,440,217	(\$1,774,206)
Benefits Paid	\$71,589,110	\$61,039,459	\$32,238,861	\$10,549,650	\$39,350,248
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$349.04	\$347.34	\$332.17	\$1.71	\$16.87
End of Month Balance	\$529,658,269	\$562,762,198	\$602,910,632	(\$33,103,929)	(\$73,252,362)

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers					
	Jul-Dec 08	Jan-June 08	July-Dec 07	% Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Denver-Boulder-Greeley	211.066	208.741	202.799	1.1%	4.1%
US City Average	216.177	214.429	208.976	0.8%	3.4%

(Most current data available for all categories)