



Colorado LMI Data Overview

August 2009

Employment					
	Aug-09	Jul-09	Aug-08	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment (SA)	2,245,200	2,253,000	2,358,300	(7,800)	(113,100)
Total Resident Employment (SA)	2,485,933	2,480,929	2,597,219	5,004	(111,286)
	Q1 2009	Q4 2008	Q1 2008		
UI Covered Total Employment	2,217,847	2,299,624	2,288,142	(81,777)	(70,295)
UI Covered Private Employment	1,847,137	1,925,881	1,925,095	(78,744)	(77,958)

Unemployment					
	Aug-09	Jul-09	Aug-08	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Unemployment (SA)	197,151	210,006	134,113	(12,855)	63,038
Percent Unemployed (SA)	7.3%	7.8%	4.9%	-	-
Initial Claims	18,384	20,686	11,342	(2,302)	7,042
Continued Weeks Claimed	336,063	309,872	122,590	26,191	213,473
	Q2 2009	Q1 2009	Q2 2008		
Extended Mass Layoffs	32	33	12	(1)	20
Layoff Initial Claims	4,529	4,599	1,559	(70)	2,970

Wages and Earnings					
	Q1 2009	Q4 2008	Q1 2008	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Total Average Weekly Wage	\$913	\$932	\$920	(\$19)	(\$7)
Private Average Weekly Wage	\$919	\$936	\$931	(\$17)	(\$12)
	Aug-09	Jul-09	Aug-08		
Average Weekly Earnings (Construction)	\$885.81	\$879.40	\$820.00	\$6.41	\$65.81
Average Weekly Earnings (Manufacturing)	\$816.94	\$819.62	\$816.87	(\$2.68)	\$0.07

CO Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund					
	Aug-09	Jul-09	Aug-08	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Employer Contributions	\$43,092,058	\$23,439,704	\$46,336,599	\$19,652,354	(\$3,244,541)
Benefits Paid	\$99,918,339	\$92,377,249	\$31,296,185	\$7,541,090	\$68,622,154
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$358.97	\$359.13	\$333.24	(\$0.16)	\$25.73
End of Month Balance	\$209,440,899	\$270,194,489	\$709,946,751	(\$60,753,590)	(\$500,505,852)

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers					
	Jan-June 09	July-Dec 08	Jan-June 08	% Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Denver-Boulder-Greeley	207.444	211.066	208.741	-1.7%	-0.6%
US City Average	213.139	216.177	214.429	-1.4%	-0.6%

(Most current data available for all categories)