



Colorado LMI Data Overview

March 2015

Employment					
	Mar-15	Feb-15	Mar-14	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment (SA)	2,504,900	2,508,000	2,436,400	(3,100)	68,500
Total Resident Employment (SA)	2,714,793	2,712,322	2,649,969	2,471	64,824
	Q3 2014	Q2 2014	Q3 2013		
UI Covered Total Employment	2,444,548	2,410,868	2,359,076	33,680	85,472
UI Covered Private Employment	2,062,540	2,017,893	1,982,359	44,647	80,181

Unemployment					
	Mar-15	Feb-15	Mar-14	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Unemployment (SA)	118,201	118,765	154,535	(564)	(36,334)
Percent Unemployed (SA)	4.2%	4.2%	5.5%	-	-
Initial Claims	11,967	12,449	10,962	(482)	1,005
Continued Weeks Claimed	176,392	143,327	213,182	33,065	(36,790)

Wages and Earnings					
	Q3 2014	Q2 2014	Q3 2013	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Total Average Weekly Wage	\$982	\$960	\$952	\$22	\$30
Private Average Weekly Wage	\$970	\$969	\$941	\$1	\$29
	Mar-15	Feb-15	Mar-14		
Average Weekly Earnings (Construction)	\$957.76	\$940.40	\$893.92	\$17.36	\$63.84
Average Weekly Earnings (Manufacturing)	\$1,048.87	\$1,012.26	\$974.83	\$36.61	\$74.04

CO Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund					
	Mar-15	Feb-15	Mar-14	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Employer Contributions	\$1,644,991	\$61,169,306	\$3,061,498	(\$59,524,315)	(\$1,416,507)
Benefits Paid	\$55,676,578	\$44,467,531	\$55,262,938	\$11,209,047	\$413,641
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$373.97	\$367.34	\$353.42	\$6.63	\$20.55
End of Month Balance	\$568,641,506	\$621,670,751	\$464,546,526	(\$53,029,245)	\$104,094,980

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers					
Not seasonally adjusted	Jul-Dec14	Jan-Jun14	Jul-Dec13	% Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Denver-Boulder-Greeley	238.664	235.736	232.439	1.2%	2.7%
US City Average	237.088	236.384	233.548	0.3%	1.5%

(Most current data available for all categories)