



Colorado LMI Data Overview

May 2019

Employment					
	May-19	Apr-19	May-18	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment (SA)	2,766,500	2,764,300	2,720,600	2,200	45,900
Total Resident Employment (SA)	3,039,357	3,033,640	2,987,811	5,717	51,546
	Q4 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2017		
UI Covered Total Employment	2,701,446	2,696,101	2,640,213	5,345	61,233
UI Covered Private Employment	2,278,674	2,282,143	2,223,815	(3,469)	54,859

Unemployment					
	May-19	Apr-19	May-18	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Unemployment (SA)	99,040	105,097	94,845	(6,057)	4,195
Percent Unemployed (SA)	3.2%	3.3%	3.1%	(0.1)	0.1
	May-19	Apr-19	May-18		
Initial Claims	7,721	8,568	8,107	(847)	(386)
Continued Weeks Claimed	74,205	79,300	82,016	(5,095)	(7,811)

Wages and Earnings					
	Q4 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2017	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Total Average Weekly Wage	\$1,180	\$1,104	\$1,133	\$76	\$47
Private Average Weekly Wage	\$1,189	\$1,096	\$1,145	\$93	\$44
	May-19	Apr-19	May-18		
Average Weekly Earnings (Construction)	\$1,067.77	\$1,050.40	\$1,032.88	\$17.37	\$34.89
Average Weekly Earnings (Manufacturing)	\$1,106.44	\$1,089.41	\$1,063.56	\$17.03	\$42.88

CO Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund					
	Apr-19	Mar-19	Apr-18	Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Employer Contributions	\$85,490,683	\$2,895,838	\$94,391,837	\$82,594,845	(\$8,901,154)
Benefits Paid	\$35,505,527	\$34,242,545	\$33,202,257	\$1,262,982	\$2,303,270
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$438.61	\$435.99	\$417.73	\$2.62	\$20.88
Duration (weeks)	17.28	15.58	16.53	1.70	0.76
End of Month Balance	\$945,784,816	\$896,224,240	\$793,633,014	\$49,560,576	\$152,151,802

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers					
Not seasonally adjusted	Jul-Dec18	Jan-Jun18	Jul-Dec17	% Change from previous:	
				Period	Year
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood	263.127	260.790	257.230	0.9%	2.3%
US City Average	252.125	250.089	246.163	0.8%	2.4%

(Most current data available for all categories)