

# Douglas County Economic Development Profile

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Job growth in Douglas County increased 7.5% between 2020 and 2022. Establishments or businesses increased by 15.9% in the same period. A total of 15,584 businesses employed at least one person with an annual wage for jobs at \$72,507.

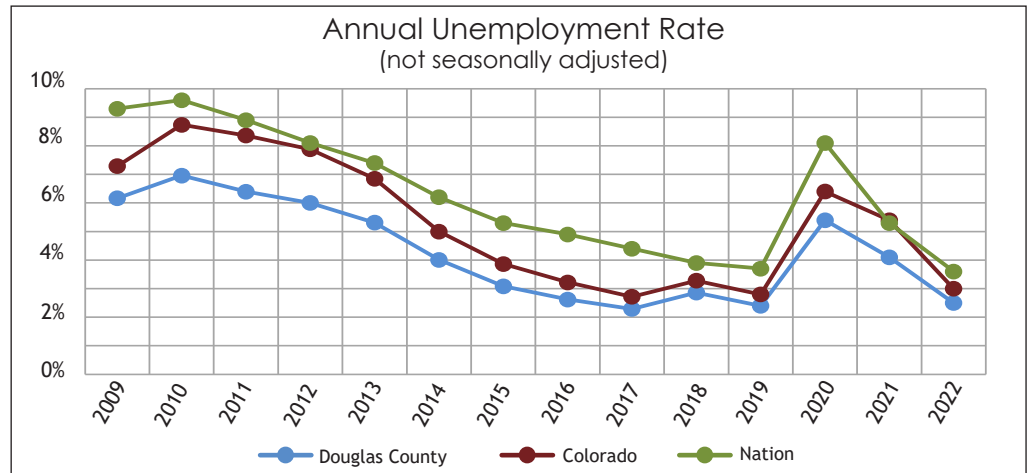
## Total Employment

Year	Employment	% Increase
2020	129,676	
2021	132,560	2.2%
2022	140,193	5.4%

## Total Establishments

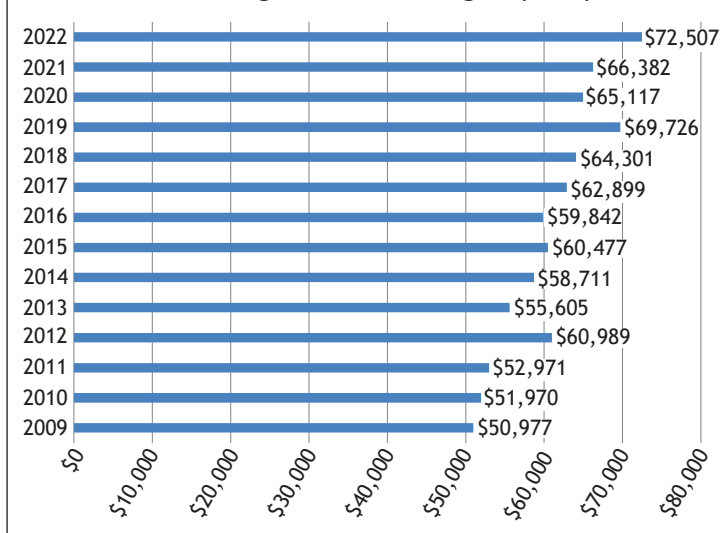
Year	Establishments	% Increase
2020	13,108	
2021	14,269	8.1%
2022	15,584	8.4%

Source for both tables: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages from the Colorado Department of Labor and Employment (CDLE)



Source: Current Population Survey from CDLE and Bureau of Labor Statistics

## Average Annual Wages (USD)



Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages from CDLE



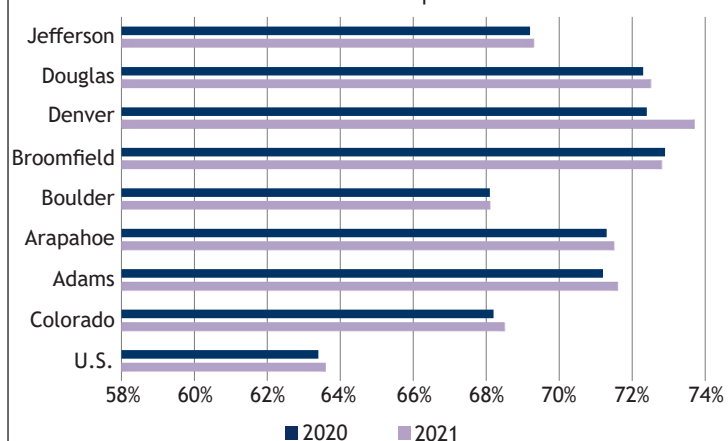
	Douglas	Colorado	Nation
Age 25+ with a College Degree	59.2%	42.8%	33.7%
Median Household Income	\$127,443	\$80,184	\$69,021
Per Capita Income	\$57,481	\$42,807	\$37,638
Worked in County of Residence	54.3%	68.4%	73.6%

Of all counties in the U.S., Douglas County ranked:

- 3rd for population age 25 and over with a college degree (by %)
- 6th for the highest median household income
- 54.3% of Douglas County residents worked within the county

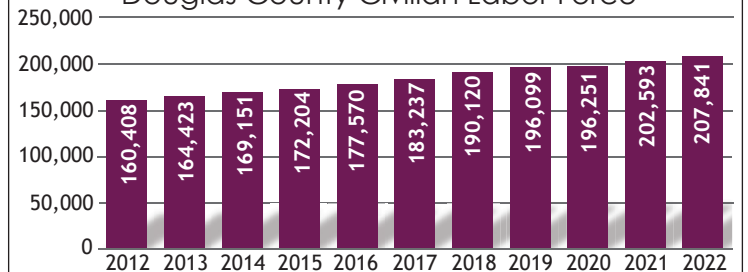
Source for above data: 2021 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates  
(\* 2021 inflation adjusted dollars)

## Labor Force Participation Rate



Source: 2020 and 2021 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

## Douglas County Civilian Labor Force



Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) from CDLE