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COLORADO CONSTRUCTION COST INDEX REPORT Calendar Year 2011 First Quarter

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SUMMARY

CONSTRUCTION COST INDEX FOR SELECTED HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION ITEMS $1^{\rm st}~{\rm QUARTER~ENDING~March~31,~2011}$

Index for this quarter	255.4
Index for last quarter	264.5
Point change from last quarter	9.1
Percentage change from last quarter	
Index for same quarter of last year	246.8
Point change from same quarter last year	8.6
Percentage change from this quarter last year	3.5%
4-quarter moving average	271.3

Average number of bidders this quarter	
Change in number of bidders from last quarter+.4%	

NOTE: All information shown in this publication was assembled using 1987 as the base year.

Summary Report for all the projects awarded betwee 1/1/2011 And 3/31/2011

Project Amount	No. of Projects	No. of Bidders	Total Contract Amt. Avg. # of Bids			
\$0.00 to \$49,999.99	0					
\$50,000.00 to \$99,999.99	1	8	\$86,866.00	8.0		
\$100,000.00 to \$249,999.99	4	15	\$683,653.50	3.8		
\$250,000.00 to \$499,999.99	9	46	\$3,514,240.29	5.1		
\$500,000.00 to \$999,999.99	10	49	\$7,705,224.69	4.9		
1,000,000.00 to \$2,499,999.99	8	45	\$13,790,915.31	5.6		
2,500,000.00 to \$4,999,999.99	1	7	\$4,223,262.05	7.0		
5,000,000.00 to \$9,999,999.99	4	23	\$25,278,461.52	5.8		
10,000,000.00 to \$19,999,999.99	1	8	\$16,250,620.93	8.0		
20,000,000.00 to \$49,499,999.99	1	9	\$32,088,000.00	9.0		
50,000,000.00 or Greater	0					

Total	39	210	\$103,621,244.29
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The number of bidders on all projects awards during this period averaged 5.38 bidders per contract. Average cost per project is \$1,996,497.48 (avg. cci 1994=118.8 / avg. cci 1998 =158.1) in 1994 dollars.

CCI ITEMS USED FROM 1/1/2011 TO 3/31/2011

QUANTITY

PRICE

OF ITEM

ITEM CODE

	# OF ITEM	QUANTITY	PRICE	UNIT PRICE	INDEX	
203-00000 To 203-00060 203-00062 To 203-00210 203-00400 To 203-00500	25	English (CY) 377,849.00	\$2,710,715.09	\$7.17		
203-01020 To 203-01030 209-00000 To 209-00050	0	Metric (CM) 0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
UNCLASSIFIED EXCAV (CIP)	25	377,849.00 ^{CY}	\$2,710,715.09	\$7.17	290.4	
403-00720, 403-01000, 403-01010, 403-02000, 403-09121 To 403-09500	59	English (TON) 282,887.62	\$19,597,912.54	\$69.28		
403-31300 To 403 36447 403-91401 To 403-95353 411-03100 To 411-03355 411-10010 To 411-90010 (Gal/Lit Gallon & Liter are converted to Ton		Metric (MT) 0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
HOT MIX ASPHALT (H A)	59	282,887.62 T	\$19,597,912.54	\$69.28	300.9	
412-00000 To 412-00050	4	English (SY) 173,871.94	\$4,998,255.25	\$28.75		
412-00700 To 412-01352 412-03000 To 412-03000	0	Metric (SM) 0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
CONCRETE PAVEMENT (9")	4	173,871.94 ^{SY}	\$4,998,255.25	\$28.75	215.2	
			SURFACING TO	TAL INDEX	290.4	
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509-00000 To 509-00000	1	English (LB) 82,304.00	\$127,571.20	\$1.55		
509-00000 To 509-00000	0		\$127,571.20 \$0.00	\$1.55 \$0.00		
509-00000 To 509-00000 STRUCTURAL STEEL		82,304.00 Metric (KG)			181.7	
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STRUCTURAL STEEL 601-01022 To 601-01022 601-01030 To 601-01060 601-03030 To 601-05064 STRUCTURAL CONCRETE	0 1 1 3 0	82,304.00 Metric (KG) 0.00 82,304.00 English (CY) 9,699.40 Metric (CM) 0.00 9,699.40 English (LB) 2,013,650.00	\$0.00 \$127,571.20 \$3,544,157.58 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$1.55 \$365.40 \$0.00	-	
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STRUCTURAL TOTAL INDEX

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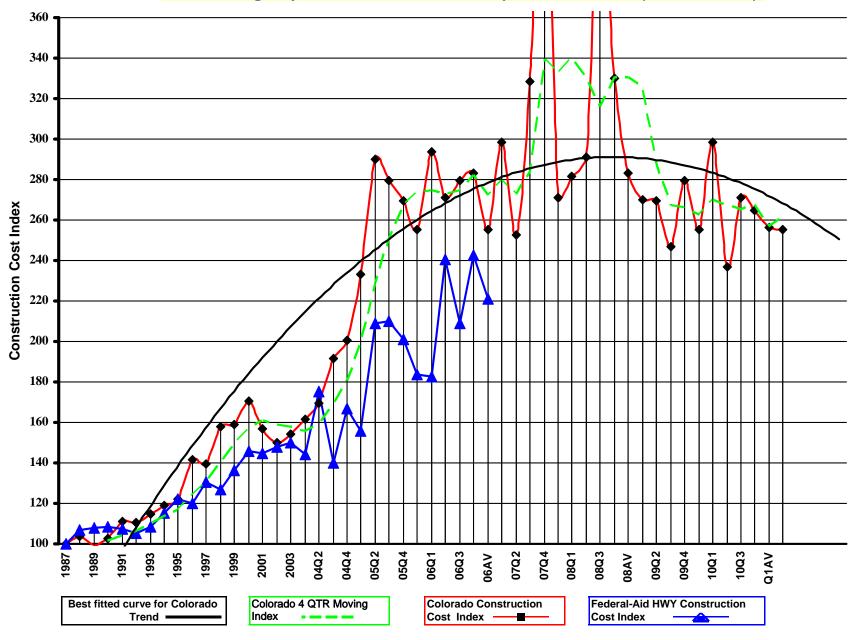
COMPOSITE INDEX = 255.4

Sum of the 6 categories cost = \$32,518,619.88

HBP Unit Price per CY = \$137.17

UNIT PRICE INDEX

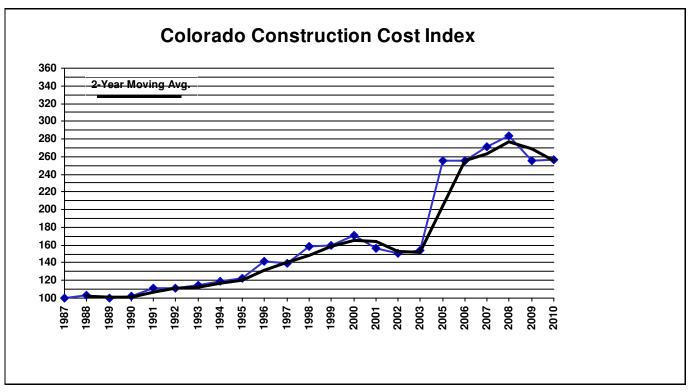
Colorado Highway Construction Cost Index Graph and Tabulations (1987 Base Year)

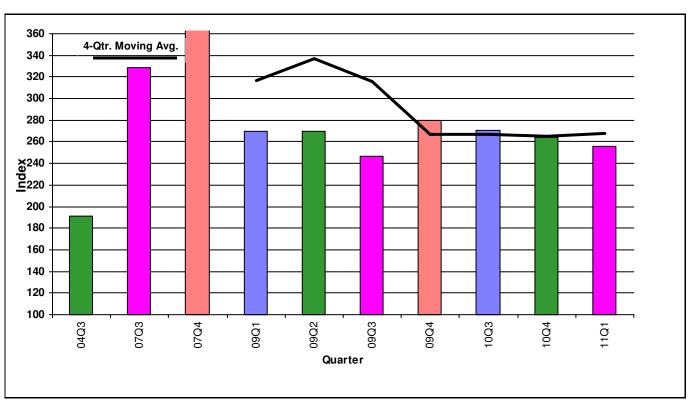


YEAR	QTR.	Earthw Bid Price	vork Index	Asph. Pa Bid Price	avement Index	Concrete I Bid Price	Pavement Index	Surfacing Index	Structural Bid Price	Concrete Index	Reinforcii Bid Price	ng Steel Index	Structura Bid Price	I Steel	Structural Index	Composite Index
1987	1987	\$2.47	100.0	\$23.17	100.0	\$13.36	100.0	100.0	\$217.32	100.0	\$0.41	100.0	\$0.85	100.0	100.0	100.0
1988	1988	\$2.92	118.1	\$23.88	103.0	\$13.84	103.6	103.1	\$195.02	89.7	\$0.45	110.7	\$0.89	104.1	96.7	103.7
1989	1989	\$2.57	103.9	\$23.67	102.2	\$11.65	87.2	100.6	\$199.41	91.8	\$0.40	97.8	\$0.88	103.5	95.3	99.6
1990	1990	\$2.78	112.5	\$23.98	103.5	\$15.09	113.0	104.5	\$190.86	87.8	\$0.37	90.8	\$0.99	116.0	94.1	102.7
1991	1991	\$3.31	133.8	\$26.25	113.3	\$16.03	120.0	114.0	\$195.43	89.9	\$0.38	93.1	\$0.89	104.4	93.5	111.2
1992	1992	\$2.77	112.3	\$26.20	113.1	\$23.82	178.3	119.8	\$216.87	99.8	\$0.36	87.9	\$0.71	82.8	94.0	110.7
1993	1993	\$3.25	131.4	\$27.74	119.7	\$16.75	125.4	121.3	\$212.43	97.7	\$0.37	90.1	\$0.79	93.0	95.3	114.7
1994	1994	\$3.56	144.2	\$28.40	122.6	\$18.78	140.6	124.4	\$219.94	101.2	\$0.37	89.7	\$0.67	78.8	94.4	118.8
1995	1995	\$3.41	138.1	\$30.25	130.5	\$17.82	133.4	130.8	\$211.29	97.2	\$0.39	94.0	\$0.90	105.5	98.3	122.3
1996	1996	\$4.46	180.5	\$32.73	141.3	\$19.22	143.9	141.5	\$265.98	122.4	\$0.43	105.1	\$1.09	128.5	120.2	141.7
1997	1997	\$4.24	171.7	\$32.92	142.1	\$21.39	160.1	143.9	\$246.29	113.3	\$0.45	110.8	\$1.01	117.9	113.8	139.6
1998	1998	\$4.89	198.0	\$35.72	154.2	\$26.54	198.7	158.7	\$283.01	130.2	\$0.50	122.0	(\$1.00)	-1.0	128.2	158.1
1999	1999	\$4.94	199.8	\$35.23	152.0	\$22.78	170.5	153.9	\$310.56	142.9	\$0.54	132.0	\$1.41	165.3	145.3	159.2
2000	2000	\$5.25	212.6	\$40.02	173.0	\$20.56	153.9	170.8	\$346.82	159.6	\$0.47	115.2	\$1.18	138.8	146.8	170.7
2001	2001	\$4.19	169.5	\$38.67	167.4	\$17.45	130.6	163.2	\$303.22	139.5	\$0.50	120.9	\$1.29	151.5	138.4	156.8
2002	2002	\$3.74	151.2	\$37.99	164.7	\$24.81	185.7	166.2	\$285.35	131.3	\$0.50	121.3	\$0.78	91.9	121.4	150.1
2003	2003	\$4.42	178.9	\$38.23	165.7	\$20.91	156.6	164.1	\$289.44	133.2	\$0.55	133.4	\$0.72	84.7	123.4	154.4
2004	04Q3	\$4.38	177.1	\$43.33	188.0	\$27.59	206.5	189.0	\$350.71	161.4	\$0.91	221.3	\$2.70	316.3	204.4	191.6
2005	05AV	\$12.90	522.0	\$44.17	191.8	\$30.69	229.8	194.7	\$508.77	234.1	\$0.96	232.9	\$1.01	118.4	210.4	255.2
2006	06AV	\$7.54	305.1	\$59.61	258.4	\$33.79	253.0	256.8	\$430.27	198.0	\$0.92	223.5	\$2.62	306.9	225.1	255.5
2007	07AV	\$7.18	290.5	\$66.58	287.9	\$37.76	282.7	286.9	\$546.29	251.4	\$1.01	245.7	\$1.40	163.6	232.4	271.1
2007	07Q3	\$10.32	417.6	\$81.60	352.9	\$28.59	214.0	338.0	\$588.03	270.6	\$1.06	258.9	\$2.00	234.4	261.0	328.3
2007	07Q4	\$17.76	719.0	\$103.64	448.2	\$98.13	734.6	476.8	\$563.39	259.3	\$1.02	249.2	\$5.90	691.1	345.1	478.4
2008	VA80	\$9.04	365.7	\$69.72	302.2	\$29.93	224.1	293.0	\$467.51	215.1	\$1.05	255.8	\$1.65	193.6	218.6	283.0
2009	09AV	\$6.63	268.3	\$66.49	287.5	\$44.12	330.2	291.4	\$399.34	183.8	\$0.75	183.8	\$1.58	185.5	184.1	255.1
2009	09Q1	\$5.87	237.5	\$67.74	292.9	\$78.51	587.7	322.7	\$425.40	195.8	\$0.85	207.2	\$1.55	181.7	195.1	269.8
2009	09Q2	\$7.91	320.1	\$65.25	282.2	\$37.17	278.3	281.3	\$379.98	174.9	\$0.70	169.7	\$3.46	405.9	220.8	269.7
2009	09Q4	\$6.13	248.1	\$77.79	336.4	\$38.79	290.4	331.1	\$352.16	162.1	\$0.54	132.7	\$3.50	410.2	206.8	279.5
2009	09Q3	\$6.11	247.5	\$62.94	272.0	\$31.44	235.4	267.9	\$450.29	207.2	\$0.90	218.9	\$1.77	207.8	209.6	246.8
2010	10Q3	\$9.30	376.3	\$59.49	257.1	\$48.22	361.0	267.4	\$428.29	197.1	\$0.91	222.9	\$0.00	0.0	203.3	270.8
2010	10Q4	\$8.52	344.7	\$64.69	279.6	\$32.63	244.3	275.6	\$395.91	182.2	\$0.76	186.3	\$0.00	0.0	183.2	264.5
2010	Q1AV	\$7.86	318.3	\$61.92	267.9	\$29.19	218.5	262.2	\$430.84	198.3	\$0.78	190.6	\$2.27	266.4	210.6	256.2
2011	11Q1	\$7.17	290.4	\$69.28	300.9	\$28.75	215.2	290.4	\$365.40	168.2	\$0.76	186.5	\$1.55	181.7	174.4	255.4

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Comments:

This Colorado Construction Cost Index is composed of six indicator items and based on bid prices relative to the unit prices of 1987 (unit index=100). The Index varies due to type and location of projects in addition to overall economic conditions.

Earthwork (Excavation and Embankment):

The average price was \$7.17 a cu. yd. which is down \$1.35 from the previous quarter.

Hot Mix Asphalt:

The average price was \$69.28 a ton which is up \$4.59 from the previous quarter.

Concrete Pavement:

The average price was \$28.75 a sq. yd. which is down \$3.88 per sq. yd. from the previous quarter.

Structural Steel:

The average price of Structural Steel was \$1.55 per LB this quarter. Insignificant last quarter.

Structural Concrete:

The average price was \$365.40 a cu. yd. which is down \$30.51 from the previous quarter.

Reinforcing Steel:

The average price was \$.76 a lb which is no change from the previous quarter.