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Adams	461,558	10.7%	49,580	61%	22%	18%
Alamosa	16,111	14.0%	2,260	75%	12%	13%
Arapahoe	596,684	14.0%	83,450	45%	16%	39%
Archuleta	12,132	12.9%	1,560	57%	19%	24%
Baca	3,735	13.6%	510	67%	20%	13%
Bent	6,000	13.8%	830	43%	16%	40%
Boulder	305,166	13.3%	40,500	52%	9%	39%
Broomfield	59,027	11.2%	6,590	33%	10%	57%
Chaffee	18,121	12.4%	2,250	41%	25%	34%
Cheyenne	2,153	10.3%	220	45%	32%	23%
Clear Creek	9,114	12.1%	1,100	34%	9%	58%
Conejos	8,276	8.9%	740	92%	8%	0%
Costilla	3,578	9.3%	330	91%	9%	0%
Crowley	5,558	14.7%	820	60%	17%	23%
Custer	4,274	15.3%	650	66%	27%	7%
Delta	30,378	14.8%	4,500	60%	14%	26%
Denver	633,777	14.8%	93,570	60%	17%	23%
Dolores	1,736	14.3%	250	79%	10%	11%
Douglas	299,794	9.3%	27,780	22%	9%	68%
Eagle	52,233	9.4%	4,910	48%	15%	38%
Elbert	23,545	10.0%	2,360	36%	13%	51%
El Paso	645,707	14.7%	95,180	44%	17%	39%
Fremont	46,879	16.6%	7,780	43%	15%	42%
Garfield	56,684	11.2%	6,350	53%	22%	24%
Gilpin	5,557	12.3%	690	50%	9%	42%
Grand	14,478	12.4%	1,800	45%	26%	29%
Gunnison	15,503	15.5%	2,400	55%	10%	34%
Hinsdale	871	12.2%	110	47%	13%	40%
Huerfano	6,550	14.0%	920	66%	24%	10%
Jackson	1,389	12.2%	170	64%	12%	25%
Jefferson	546,162	11.5%	63,050	38%	13%	50%
Kiowa	1,407	14.3%	200	59%	26%	15%
Kit Carson	8,122	12.9%	1,040	61%	23%	16%
Lake	7,311	11.7%	860	59%	23%	18%
La Plata	52,547	12.8%	6,720	48%	15%	38%
Larimer	311,435	13.8%	42,880	50%	12%	38%
Las Animas	14,789	10.9%	1,610	64%	17%	19%
Lincoln	5,462	15.5%	850	44%	9%	47%
Logan	22,604	13.6%	3,070	65%	11%	25%
Mesa	147,509	14.5%	21,390	54%	16%	30%
Mineral	704	12.5%	90	40%	29%	31%
Moffat	13,286	12.8%	1,700	52%	21%	27%
Montezuma	25,569	15.3%	3,900	60%	12%	28%
Montrose	40,885	14.1%	5,770	62%	23%	15%
Morgan	28,342	10.9%	3,080	64%	22%	14%
Otero	18,712	13.8%	2,590	75%	18%	7%
Ouray	4,532	13.1%	590	46%	20%	34%
Park	16,174	11.2%	1,810	42%	14%	44%
Phillips	4,385	12.0%	520	66%	17%	16%
Pitkin	17,303	12.9%	2,220	36%	9%	56%
Prowers	12,359	12.1%	1,500	80%	20%	0%
Pueblo	160,757	12.3%	19,760	67%	18%	16%
Rio Blanco	6,739	14.6%	990	56%	5%	40%
Rio Grande	11,840	12.8%	1,510	67%	23%	10%
Routt	23,428	12.9%	3,030	43%	11%	46%
Saguache	6,211	14.0%	870	88%	12%	0%
San Juan	653	14.1%	90	64%	22%	15%

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San Miguel	7,597	13.9%	1,050	45%	15%	40%
Sedgwick	2,365	13.4%	320	55%	24%	21%
Summit	28,482	12.3%	3,510	50%	23%	28%
Teller	23,363	12.3%	2,880	34%	17%	49%
Washington	4,781	12.8%	610	50%	21%	29%
Weld	265,066	10.6%	28,120	60%	18%	22%
Yuma	10,131	11.5%	1,170	47%	27%	26%
State Total⁶	5,355,866	12.9%	692,840	47.7%	15.6%	36.7%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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⁶Population and food insecurity data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state. All data in the state totals row pertaining to the cost of food or the "Meal Gap" reflect state-level data and are not aggregations of either counties or congressional districts.



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1	788,694	13.9%	109,830	55%	15%	30%
2	765,721	13.2%	100,910	44%	12%	44%
3	729,368	13.1%	95,880	57%	17%	26%
4	768,242	11.0%	84,740	44%	18%	38%
5	759,664	15.2%	115,100	43%	16%	42%
6	772,966	12.9%	99,670	43%	16%	41%
7	771,211	11.2%	86,710	49%	17%	35%

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