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1. The Trucking Industry in Colorado provides over 146,000 jobs. That is one out of every 15 people employed in the state.
2. There are 17,330 trucking companies in Colorado, most of them with 10 or fewer trucks.
3. Trucks transport 92% of total manufactured tonnage in the state – which is more than 400,000 tons per day!
4. Nearly 80% of all Colorado communities depend exclusively on trucks to move their goods.
5. The trucking industry in Colorado pays more than \$490 million in federal and state roadway taxes and fees annually.
6. Trucks travel 3.4 billion miles on Colorado's 88,000 miles of public roads each year.
7. Trucking companies pay more than \$17,500 per truck in state and federal taxes and fees – one of the highest in the nation.
8. The trucking industry pays 36% of all taxes and fees owed by Colorado motorists, despite trucks representing only 7% of vehicle miles traveled in the state.
9. Colorado truck drivers make an average of \$46,373 per year, well above the average wage for the state.
10. More than 185,000 people hold a Colorado Commercial Drivers License.

10 Interesting Facts About the Colorado Motor Carriers Association

1. We are 70 years old! We've been the "Voice of the Trucking Industry" longer than most of our members have been in business.
2. CMCA is made up of more than 600 member companies – ranging from oil field drillers to insurance carriers, from grocery haulers to truck and tire manufacturers.
3. CMCA has 2 Councils and 3 Conferences. These include the Safety Management Council, the Maintenance Council, the Allied Conference, the Transfer & Warehouse Conference and the Truckstop Conference.
4. We have been in the same building for more than 50 years! Our offices are custom-made for our needs, making it more efficient for us to serve our members. In addition, our training facility is open for members use.
5. CMCA is a family-affair. We are honored to have several generations of family members serve on our Board of Directors and many member companies are still family-owned and operated.
6. The daily operation of CMCA is run by the President. Our current President, Greg Fulton, has served in this capacity since 1995.
7. CMCA annually offers more than 40 training classes statewide – nearly one each week of the year!
8. The Safety Management Council has won the national "Excellence in Safety" Award twice in the last 5 years.
9. CMCA awards more than \$10,000 per year to college / technical school students through the Ray Smith Scholarship Program.
10. We are an affiliate of the American Trucking Associations, bringing a national focus to Colorado, and escalating local issues to the national level.