

TOP 50 FAMILY-OWNED COMPANIES

Ranked by number of employees

'09 '08 ranks	Company	Projected or actual '09 revenue (000's)	'08 revenue (000's)	% change	Relatives with company		Years family-owned		Business Type	Company Head	City	Web Site	
		No. of employees			Generations in family								
1	2	American Furniture Warehouse	N/A	\$310,000	N/A	1,350	1	1	34	Retail furniture and accessories	Jake Jabs	Englewood	afwonline.com
2	3	Natural Grocers by Vitamin Cottage	N/A	185,445	N/A	1,013	10	3	54	Retailer of natural foods and nutritional supplements	Kemper Isely/Zephyr Isely	Lakewood	vitamincottage.com
3	1	Tuff Shed Inc.	N/A	170,000	N/A	1,000	2	1	28	Manufacturer and installer of storage buildings and garages	Tom Suarez	Denver	tuffshed.com
4	4	RK Mechanical Inc.	\$164,908	151,781	8.6%	925	2	2	46	Mechanical contractor	Rick L. Kinning	Denver	rkmi.com
5		C and D Enterprises Inc.	36,000	28,500	26.3%	755	2	2	41	Provider of uniformed security guards and patrol services	Peter Derrington	Colorado Springs	canddsecurity.com
6	5	Burt Automotive Network	N/A	N/A	N/A	592	6	2	71	Automotive sales, service, parts	Loyd G. Chavez	Centennial	burt.com
7	7	Baxa Corp.	150,000	131,000	14.5%	521	3	2	34	Manufacturer and marketer of medical devices	Greg Baldwin	Englewood	baxa.com
8	8	Ralph Schomp Automotive	N/A	N/A	N/A	437	4	4	68	Automotive sales, service and parts	Lisa J. Schomp	Littleton	schomp.com
9		Cigarette Store Corp. (dba Smoker Friendly/Gasamat)	N/A	N/A	N/A	425	9	3	25	Retail cigarettes, cigars, tobacco products, gasoline	Terry Gallagher Jr.	Boulder	smokerfriendly.com
10	6	Productive Data Solutions Inc.	N/A	44,000	N/A	375	1	1	22	IT solutions, tech staffing	Joseph Martinez	Greenwood Village	pdsinc.com
11	9	Brannan Sand & Gravel Co.	N/A	100,000	N/A	350	5	2	21	Asphalt, concrete and utility construction services	Curt Marvel	Denver	brannan1.com
12	13	Mike Shaw Automotive Group	220,000	233,416	-5.7%	330	2	2	15	Automotive sales and service	Mike Shaw	Denver	mikeshawauto.com
13	14	Hercules Industries Inc.	N/A	N/A	N/A	325	7	3	48	Manufacturer/wholesaler of HVAC supplies	William Newland	Denver	herculesindustries.com
14	10	Haselden Construction LLC	N/A	266,000	N/A	300	3	2	37	General contractor-construction manager	Ed J. Haselden	Centennial	haselden.com
15	15	Publication Printers Corp.	64,401	75,300	-14.5%	285	8	2	30	Heatset web printing	Gary Rosenberg	Denver	publicationprinters.com
16	10	Clark's Market Inc.	N/A	N/A	N/A	284	2	2	31	Supermarkets in western Colorado and eastern Utah	Tom Clark	Basalt	clarksmarket.com
17	16	McGuckin Hardware Inc.	N/A	N/A	N/A	274	5	3	54	Retail hardware, kitchen and bath design center	Barry Hight	Boulder	mcguckin.com
18	10	Johnson Storage & Moving Co. Holdings LLC	33,500	42,000	-20.2%	240	2	4	110	Moving, relocation services, distribution, record storage	Mark Johnson	Centennial	johnsonstorage.com
18	21	Rocky Mountain Instrument Co. (RMI Laser)		21,500	-100.0%	240	3	1	26	Manufacturer of precision optical components and industrial laser marking systems	Dr. Yubong Hahn	Lafayette	rmico.com
20	18	Van Gilder Insurance Corp.	N/A	N/A	N/A	225	2	4	104	Insurance broker	Michael Van Gilder	Denver	vgic.com
21	17	Fiore & Sons Inc.		55,190	-100.0%	220	6	3	51	Excavation, demolition, utility and earthwork construction	Michael E. Fiore	Denver	N/A
22		Merritt Equipment Co.	N/A	N/A	N/A	203	2	4	58	Manufacturer of aluminum livestock, commodity and gooseneck trailers, aluminum truck accessories	Everett T. Merritt	Henderson	merrittequipment.com
23		Lehrer's Flowers Inc.	14,000	14,000	0.0%	200	0	3	N/A	Flower sales	Kevin D. Byerly	Denver	thinkflowers.com
23	19	Swingle Inc.	16,100	17,300	-6.9%	200	0	1	62	Landscape care services and holiday décor	Thomas Tolkacz	Denver	myswingle.com
25	21	Porter Industries Inc.		5,629	-100.0%	195	2	1	11	Residential cleaning services	Bob Stone	Loveland	porterindustries.com
26	24	Johnson's Corner	N/A	N/A	N/A	180	4	2	58	Travel plaza, truck stop	Chauncey Taylor	Johnstown	johnsonscorner.com
27		Gallegos Sanitation Inc.	13,000	13,000	0.0%	140	25	3	51	Sanitation	Gerald E. Gallegos	Fort Collins	gsiwest.com
27	19	Guy's Floor Service Inc.	N/A	N/A	N/A	140	8	3	68	Floor covering contractor	Edward Routzon	Denver	guysfloor.com
27	26	Dellenbach Motors	N/A	N/A	N/A	140	11	2	44	Chevrolet, Cadillac, Subaru, Suzuki dealership	R. Michael Dellenbach	Fort Collins	dellenbach.com
30		FMH Material Handling Solutions	38,200	43,260	-11.7%	138	3	2	45	Material handling and forklift equipment dealer	John Faulkner	Denver	fmhsolutions.com
31	23	Wanco Inc.	33,000	43,000	-23.3%	135	5	1	26	Manufacturer of message and traffic-safety equipment, and portable surveillance trailers	Michael Wanasz Arvada	wanco.com	
32		Heggem-Lundquist Paint Co.	13,000	13,000	0.0%	130	5	3	60	Home interior services	Ron Lundquist	Denver	heggem-lundquist.com
32	28	DeBourgh Manufacturing Co.	N/A	N/A	N/A	130	5	4	100	Storage solutions	Rob Berg	La Junta	debourgh.com
34	29	General Air Service & Supply Co.	N/A	N/A	N/A	108	3	3	39	Distributor of atmospheric gases and welding supplies	Gary Armstrong	Denver	generalair.com
35	31	Roche Constructors Inc.	166,570	143,998	15.7%	105	2	2	38	General contractor	Thomas J. Roche	Greeley	rocheconstructors.com
36	31	Rockmount Ranch Wear Manufacturing Co.	N/A	N/A	N/A	100	3	3	63	Manufacturer of Western apparel	Steve Weil	Denver	rockmount.com
36		Mountain Man Nut & Fruit Co.	12,000	11,000	9.1%	100	6	3	33	Manufacturer and distributor of nuts, dried fruit, trail mixes and confectionery products	David Conner	Parker	mtnman.com
36	31	RE/MAX Alliance	2,400,000	2,500,000	-4.0%	100	2	2	11	Real estate brokerage	Chad Ochsner	Arvada	homesincolorado.com
39	47	Affordable American Insurance	N/A	N/A	N/A	97	5	1	6	Insurance agency group	Anthony Fernandez	Thornton	affordableamericaninsurance.com
40	30	Greiner Electric LLC	13,000	17,500	-25.7%	95	5	2	12	Electrical contractor	David Greiner	Littleton	greinerelectric.com
40	36	Horan & McConaty Funeral Sevice/Cremation	N/A	N/A	N/A	95	1	1	23	Mortuaries, cremation, memorial gardens	John J. Horan	Aurora	horancares.com
42	27	Republic Financial Corp.	N/A	234,930	N/A	90	3	2	38	Investment company	Randy Dietrich	Aurora	republic-financial.com
43	37	Good Day Pharmacy	N/A	21,000	N/A	88	3	1	24	Independent pharmacy chain	Vicki Einhellig	Loveland	gooddaypharmacy.com
44		Moody Insurance Agency Inc.	9,738	11,663		80	4	2	38	Insurance agency	Brad Moody	Denver	moodyins.com
45	39	CEAVCO Audio Visual Co. Inc.	17,000	17,000	0.0%	75	3	2	48	Audio visual system design, integration, installation	Jack Emerson	Arvada	ceavco.com
46		Houg Special Services Inc.	26,500	28,000	-5.4%	70	4	2	11	Transportation, logistics, warehousing	Jenyce Houg-Brown	Commerce City	houg.net
46	31	Palisade Greenhouse Inc.	N/A	N/A	N/A	70	7	3	22	Greenhouse, plant sales	Thomas M. McKee	Palisade	palisadegreenhouse.com
48		Innovar Group	16,000	9,800	63.3%	66	2	1	7	Recruiting and staffing	Diane Pacheco, Darryl Hoogstrate	Greenwood Village	innovargroup.com
49		Bell Plumbing & Heating Co.	8,300	92,00	N/A	65	3	4	83	Plumbing, heating and air-conditioning contractor	Larry Bell	Aurora	bellplumbing.com
50	44	Argonaut Wine & Liquor	N/A	N/A	N/A	60	3	3	42	Wine and beverage retailer	Ron Vaughn	Denver	argonautliquor.com
50	40	Western Slope Industries Inc.	6,000	6,000	0.0%	60	2	2	27	Paperboard packaging converting machinery	H. Merritt Kinsey	Grand Junction	wslope.com