

**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD
REPORT OF RAILROAD EMPLOYMENT - CLASS I LINE-HAUL RAILROADS**

This statement furnishes current employment data trends for class I line-haul railroads.

PART 1. Number of Employees

	Number of Employees Mid-Month	% of Change From	
	October 2008	October 2007	September 2008
Total - All employees	164,025	-0.78%	1.06%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	10,094	-0.20%	0.17%
Professional and administrative	13,430	-2.78%	-0.67%
Maintenance of way and structures	36,051	1.51%	0.40%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	30,310	-0.10%	0.55%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	6,633	-4.29%	0.48%
Transportation (train and engine)	67,507	-1.58%	2.20%

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

Index, year 1967 = 100*

	2008	2007	2006		2008	2007	2006
January	26.5	27.0	26.6	January	26.7	27.3	26.8
February	26.7	27.3	27.0	February	26.8	27.3	27.0
March	26.8	27.4	27.2	March	26.8	27.4	27.1
April	26.9	27.4	27.1	April	27.0	27.4	27.2
May	26.9	27.3	27.2	May	27.1	27.5	27.4
June	26.2	26.7	26.9	June	26.8	27.4	27.5
July	26.4	26.6	26.6	July	27.0	27.2	27.2
August	26.5	27.0	27.1	August	27.0	27.4	27.6
September	26.8	27.4	27.7	September	26.6	27.2	27.6
October	27.5	27.7	28.1	October	26.9	27.1	27.5
November	0.0	27.9	28.4	November	0.0	27.2	27.7
December	0.0	27.8	28.4	December	0.0	27.0	27.5

* Average of 12 months, 1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Report of Number of Employees submitted by Class I Railroads.
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CARRIER		L100	L 200	L 300	L 400	L500	L600	TOTAL
October, 2008								
BNSF	130500	2,420	3,352	9,430	7,408	1,427	17,036	41,073
CSX	121500	1,245	2,766	6,315	5,645	1,929	12,491	30,391
CN/GT Co	114900	352	490	1,828	864	412	2,004	5,950
(Includes all CN US Operations)								
KCS	134500	292	361	485	415	113	1,336	3,002
NS	117100	1,825	2,886	6,206	5,755	1,541	11,976	30,189
SOO	137700	148	313	617	413	154	959	2,604
UP	139400	3,812	3,262	11,170	9,810	1,057	21,705	50,816
TOTAL		10,094	13,430	36,051	30,310	6,633	67,507	164,025
NRPC	103000	1,342	4,627	2,525	4,722	2,743	3,321	19,280

	October 2008	October 2007	September 2008	% Change	
				Year	Month
L 100	10,094	10,114	10,077	-0.20%	0.17%
L 200	13,430	13,814	13,520	-2.78%	-0.67%
L 300	36,051	35,516	35,906	1.51%	0.40%
L 400	30,310	30,339	30,144	-0.10%	0.55%
L500	6,633	6,930	6,601	-4.29%	0.48%
L600	67,507	68,594	66,055	-1.58%	2.20%
TOTAL	164,025	165,307	162,303	-0.78%	1.06%

	1967 Months	2008 Months	Ratio Corresp. Months	Ratio Average Month
January	614,766	162,946	26.5	26.7
February	610,335	163,100	26.7	26.8
March	608,751	163,430	26.8	26.8
April	611,136	164,577	26.9	27.0
May	613,824	165,299	26.9	27.1
June	624,153	163,416	26.2	26.8
July	623,096	164,644	26.4	27.0
August	619,419	164,268	26.5	27.0
September	606,714	162,303	26.8	26.6
October	597,271	164,025	27.5	26.9
November	593,568	0	0.0	0.0
December	590,100	0	0.0	0.0

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