

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 2002	September 2003
Total - All employees	154,784	-1.66%	0.19%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	9,189	-2.43%	-0.54%
Professional and administrative	14,376	-7.80%	0.07%
Maintenance of way and structures	34,169	-3.79%	-0.60%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	28,572	-2.53%	0.10%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	7,519	2.01%	-0.87%
Transportation (train and engine)	60,959	1.30%	0.96%

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

Index, year 1967 = 100*

	2003	2002	2001		2003	2002	2001
January	24.8	25.3	27.7	January	25.0	25.5	27.9
February	25.2	25.7	27.7	February	25.2	25.7	27.8
March	25.4	25.5	27.6	March	25.3	25.5	27.6
April	25.5	25.6	27.7	April	25.6	25.7	27.8
May	25.5	25.6	27.4	May	25.7	25.8	27.6
June	24.8	25.0	27.0	June	25.4	25.6	27.7
July	24.9	25.4	27.0	July	25.5	26.0	27.6
August	24.9	25.6	27.2	August	25.4	26.1	27.7
September	25.5	25.9	27.8	September	25.4	25.8	27.7
October	25.9	26.4	28.1	October	25.4	25.8	27.6
November	0.0	26.3	28.4	November	0.0	25.7	27.7
December	0.0	26.1	28.1	December	0.0	25.3	27.2

* 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, 2003								
BNSF	130500	2,218	3,347	8,564	6,597	1,394	14,823	36,943
CSX	121500	1,207	3,486	6,025	5,817	2,090	12,949	31,574
CN/GT Corp	114900	329	610	1,761	1,080	398	1,974	6,152
(Includes all CN US Operations)								
KCS	134500	188	256	475	296	175	1,175	2,565
NS	117100	1,771	3,053	5,803	4,995	1,694	11,379	28,695
SOO	137700	142	368	717	414	166	947	2,754
UP	139400	3,334	3,256	10,824	9,373	1,602	17,712	46,101
TOTAL		9,189	14,376	34,169	28,572	7,519	60,959	154,784
NRPC	103000	1,501	4,314	2,648	5,050	3,034	3,263	19,810

	October 2003	October 2002	September 2003	% Change	
				Year	Month
L 100	9,189	9,418	9,239	-2.43%	-0.54%
L 200	14,376	15,592	14,366	-7.80%	0.07%
L 300	34,169	35,514	34,376	-3.79%	-0.60%
L 400	28,572	29,315	28,544	-2.53%	0.10%
L500	7,519	7,371	7,585	2.01%	-0.87%
L600	60,959	60,179	60,381	1.30%	0.96%
TOTAL	154,784	157,389	154,491	-1.66%	0.19%

	1967 Months	2003 Months	Ratio Corresp. Months	Ratio Average Month
January	614,766	152,442	24.8	25.0
February	610,335	153,554	25.2	25.2
March	608,751	154,454	25.4	25.3
April	611,136	155,983	25.5	25.6
May	613,824	156,711	25.5	25.7
June	624,153	154,975	24.8	25.4
July	623,096	155,165	24.9	25.5
August	619,419	154,494	24.9	25.4
September	606,714	154,491	25.5	25.4
October	597,271	154,784	25.9	25.4
November	593,568	0	0.0	0.0
December	590,100	0	0.0	0.0

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