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# SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD <br> 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 <br> Employees <br> Mid-Month <br> February 2000 | \% of Change From |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | February $1999$ | January $2000$ |
| Total - All employees | 169,225 | -5.70\% | -0.49\% |
| Executives, officials, and staff assistants | 10,982 | -7.60\% | 0.08\% |
| Professional and administrative | 17,820 | -9.29\% | 0.52\% |
| Maintenance of way and structures | 34,910 | -2.93\% | -0.18\% |
| Maintenance of equipment and stores | 34,110 | -5.34\% | -0.41\% |
| Transportation (other than train and engine) | 8,033 | -5.55\% | -1.16\% |
| Transportation (train and engine) | 63,370 | -6.00\% | -0.98\% |

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month $1967=$ 100

|  | 2000 | 1999 | 1998 |  | 2000 | 1999 | 1998 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| January | 27.7 | 29.0 | 28.7 | January | 27.9 | 29.3 | 28.9 |
| February | 27.7 | 29.0 | 28.7 | February | 27.8 | 29.1 | 28.8 |
| March | 0.0 | 29.1 | 28.7 | March | 0.0 | 29.1 | 28.7 |
| April | 0.0 | 29.4 | 29.2 | April | 0.0 | 29.5 | 29.2 |
| May | 0.0 | 29.4 | 29.1 | May | 0.0 | 29.6 | 29.3 |
| June | 0.0 | 29.0 | 28.5 | June | 0.0 | 29.7 | 29.2 |


| July | 0.0 | 29.2 | 28.5 | July | 0.0 | 29.9 | 29.2 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| August | 0.0 | 29.4 | 28.8 | August | 0.0 | 29.9 | 29.2 |
| September | 0.0 | 30.3 | 29.4 | September | 0.0 | 30.1 | 29.3 |
| October | 0.0 | 30.6 | 30.0 | October | 0.0 | 30.0 | 29.4 |
| November | 0.0 | 30.3 | 30.1 | November | 0.0 | 29.6 | 29.3 |
| December | 0.0 | 30.5 | 30.2 | December | 0.0 | 29.5 | 29.3 |

* Average of 12 months, 1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Report of Number of Employees of Class I Railroads.

| CARRIER |  | L100 | L 200 | L 300 | L 400 | L500 | L600 | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| February, 2000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| BNSF | 130500 | 2,230 | 4,262 | 9,019 | 8,647 | 1,653 | 13,426 | 39,237 |
| CSX | 121500 | 1,207 | 4,451 | 6,599 | 6,221 | 2,006 | 13,314 | 33,798 |
| GTW | 114900 | 117 | 209 | 284 | 281 | 101 | 631 | 1,623 |
| IC | 124100 | 189 | 407 | 642 | 567 | 176 | 829 | 2,810 |
| KCS | 134500 | 165 | 277 | 456 | 299 | 191 | 1,238 | 2,626 |
| NS | 117100 | 2,036 | 4,176 | 6,822 | 6,667 | 2,250 | 12,921 | 34,872 |
| SOO | 137700 | 125 | 425 | 550 | 501 | 182 | 897 | 2,680 |
| UP | 139400 | 4,913 | 3,613 | 10,538 | 10,927 | 1,474 | 20,114 | 51,579 |
| TOTAL |  | 10,982 | 17,820 | 34,910 | 34,110 | 8,033 | 63,370 | 169,225 |
| NRPC | 103000 | 1,709 | 5,399 | 3,796 | 6,866 | 3,803 | 4,141 | 25,714 |
|  |  | February February January |  |  |  | \% Ch | ange |  |
|  |  | 2000 | 1999 | 2000 |  | Year | Month |  |
| L 100 |  | 10,982 | 11,885 | 10,973 |  | -7.60\% | 0.08\% |  |
| L 200 |  | 17,820 | 19,645 | 17,728 |  | -9.29\% | 0.52\% |  |
| L 300 |  | 34,910 | 35,963 | 34,974 |  | -2.93\% | -0.18\% |  |
| L 400 |  | 34,110 | 36,036 | 34,250 |  | -5.34\% | -0.41\% |  |
| L500 |  | 8,033 | 8,505 | 8,127 |  | -5.55\% | -1.16\% |  |


| L600 | 63,370 | 67,412 | 63,998 | $-6.00 \%$ | $-0.98 \%$ |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| TOTAL | 169,225 | 179,446 | 170,050 | $-5.70 \%$ | $-0.49 \%$ |


| 1967 | 2000 | Ratio <br> Corresp. | Ratio <br> Average |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Months | Months | Months | Month |
| 614,766 | 170,050 | 27.7 | 27.9 |
| 610,335 | 169,225 | 27.7 | 27.8 |
| 608,751 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 611,136 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 613,824 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 624,153 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 623,096 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 619,419 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 606,714 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 597,271 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 593,568 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 590,100 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
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