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## 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 % of Change		
	Mid-Month	From	
	October	October	September
	2005	2004	2005
Total - All employees	163,087	3.39%	-0.40%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	9,479	6.24%	-0.26%
Professional and administrative	13,623	0.32%	-0.13%
Maintenance of way and structures	34,479	2.10%	-0.11%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	29,974	4.24%	0.21%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	7,366	0.16%	-0.12%
Transportation (train and engine)	68,166	4.30%	-0.92%

## PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

## Index, year 1967 = 100\*

_	2005	2004	2003
January	25.7	24.9	24.8
February	26.1	25.0	25.2
March	26.4	25.3	25.4
April	26.5	25.5	25.5
May	26.5	25.4	25.5
June	26.1	25.1	24.8
July	26.0	25.2	24.9
August	26.4	25.1	24.9
September	27.0	26.0	25.5
October	27.3	26.4	25.9
November	0.0	26.7	25.9
December	0.0	27.0	26.0

_	2005	2004	2003
January	26.0	25.1	25.0
February	26.1	25.1	25.2
March	26.4	25.3	25.3
April	26.5	25.5	25.6
May	26.7	25.5	25.7
June	26.8	25.7	25.4
July	26.6	25.8	25.5
August	26.8	25.5	25.4
September	26.9	25.9	25.4
October	26.8	25.9	25.4
November	0.0	26.0	25.2
December	0.0	26.1	25.2

\* Average of 12 months, 1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Report of Number of Employees submitted by Class I Railroads. These reports have not been verified by the Surface Transportation Board.

CARRIER October, 20	05	L100	L 200	L 300	L 400	L500	L600	TOTAL	
BNSF	130500	2,357	3,198	8,828	7,204	1,414	16,633	39,634	
CSX	121500	934	3,078	5,819	5,712	1,986	13,196	30,725	
CN/GT Co	114900	366	541	1,850	1,056	433	1,953	6,199	
(Includes a	(Includes all CN US Operations)								
KĊS	134500	173	330	484	334	145	1,299	2,765	
NS	117100	1,658	2,742	5,912	5,583	1,589	12,585	30,069	
SOO	137700	144	376	687	394	155	1,036	2,792	
UP	139400	3,847	3,358	10,899	9,691	1,644	21,464	50,903	
TOTAL		9,479	13,623	34,479	29,974	7,366	68,166	163,087	
NRPC	103000	1,478	4,131	2,575	4,971	2,673	3,074	18,902	

	October	October	September	% Change	
	2005	2004	2005	Year	Month
L 100	9,479	8,922	9,504	6.24%	-0.26%
L 200	13,623	13,580	13,641	0.32%	-0.13%
L 300	34,479	33,769	34,518	2.10%	-0.11%
L 400	29,974	28,755	29,911	4.24%	0.21%
L500	7,366	7,354	7,375	0.16%	-0.12%
L600	68,166	65,358	68,799	4.30%	-0.92%
TOTAL	163,087	157,738	163,748	3.39%	-0.40%
				Ratio	Ratio
	1967		2005	Corresp.	Average
	Months		Months	Months	Month
January	614,766		158,167	25.7	26.0
February	610,335		159,196	26.1	26.1
March	608,751		160,608	26.4	26.4
April	611,136		161,658	26.5	26.5
Мау	613,824		162,599	26.5	26.7
June	624,153		163,179	26.1	26.8
July	623,096		162,051	26.0	26.6
August	619,419		163,334	26.4	26.8
September	606,714		163,748	27.0	26.9
October	597,271		163,087	27.3	26.8
November	593,568		0	0.0	0.0
December	590,100		0	0.0	0.0

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