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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 Mid-Month	% of Change From		
	December	December	November	
	2010	2009	2010	
Total - All employees	154,400	5.23%	-0.41%	
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	9,174	1.22%	0.26%	
Professional and administrative	13,474	1.35%	-2.76%	
Maintenance of way and structures	34,614	6.03%	-1.58%	
Maintenance of equipment and stores	28,535	0.67%	0.52%	
Transportation (other than train and engine)	6,536	-0.14%	-1.85%	
Transportation (train and engine)	62,067	9.21%	0.40%	

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

Index, year 1967 = 100*

	2010	2009	2008	
January	23.9	25.9	26.5	J
February	24.2	25.7	26.7	F
March	24.5	25.5	26.8	Ν
April	24.7	25.2	26.9	A
May	24.6	24.7	26.9	N
June	24.3	24.0	26.2	J
July	24.6	24.1	26.4	J
August	24.7	24.2	26.5	A
September	25.4	24.6	26.8	S
October	25.8	25.0	27.5	
November	26.1	24.8	27.5	Ν
December	26.2	24.9	27.3	

	2010	2009	2008
January	24.1	26.2	26.7
February	24.2	25.8	26.8
March	24.5	25.4	26.8
April	24.8	25.3	27.0
May	24.8	24.9	27.1
June	24.9	24.6	26.8
July	25.1	24.7	27.0
August	25.1	24.6	27.0
September	25.3	24.5	26.6
October	25.3	24.5	26.9
November	25.4	24.1	26.7
December	25.3	24.1	26.4

* 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 Decembe	-	L100	L 200	L 300	L 400	L500	L600	TOTAL
BNSF	130500	1,753	3,704	8,146	7,005	1,498	15,529	37,635
CSX	121500	1,211	2,820	6,165	4,900	1,654	10,584	27,334
CN/GT C	114900	373	498	1,880	799	399	2,439	6,388
(Includes	s all CN US	Operations)						
KCS	134500	292	354	454	359	79	1,237	2,775
NS	117100	1,856	2,660	6,176	5,766	1,394	11,415	29,267
SOO	137700	223	412	1,058	556	180	1,430	3,859
UP	139400	3,466	3,026	10,735	9,150	1,332	19,433	47,142
TOTAL		9,174	13,474	34,614	28,535	6,536	62,067	154,400
NRPC	103000	1,462	4,829	2,932	5,176	2,910	3,490	20,799

	December	December	November	% Change		
	2010	2009	2010	Year Month		
L 100	9,174	9,063	9,150	1.22% 0.26%		
L 200	13,474	13,294	13,856	1.35% -2.76%		
L 300	34,614	32,646	35,171	6.03% -1.58%		
L 400	28,535	28,344	28,387	0.67% 0.52%		
L500	6,536	6,545	6,659	-0.14% -1.85%		
L600	62,067	56,833	61,819	9.21% 0.40%		
TOTAL	154,400	146,725	155,042	5.23% -0.41%		
				Ratio Ratio		
	1967		2010	Corresp. Average		
	Months		Months	Months Month		
January	614,766		146,890	23.9 24.1		
February	610,335		147,617	24.2 24.2		
March	608,751		149,240	24.5 24.5		
April	611,136		151,088	24.7 24.8		
May	613,824		150,915	24.6 24.8		
June	624,153		151,527	24.3 24.9		
July	623,096		153,046	24.6 25.1		
August	619,419		152,708	24.7 25.1		
September	606,714		154,094	25.4 25.3		
October	597,271		154,285	25.8 25.3		
November	593,568		155,042	26.1 25.4		
December	590,100		154,400	26.2 25.3		

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