

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 From
	Mid-Month		
	September 1999	September 1998	August 1999
Total - All employees	178,393	-2.82%	0.48%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	11,435	-2.10%	-1.14%
Professional and administrative	18,870	-5.18%	-2.01%
Maintenance of way and structures	38,566	-4.51%	-0.03%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	35,000	-3.24%	-0.41%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	8,281	-2.25%	-0.35%
Transportation (train and engine)	66,241	-1.07%	2.41%

PART 2. Indexes of employment

	Index, same month 1967 = 100				Index, year 1967 = 100*		
	1999	1998	1997		1999	1998	1997
January	29.2	29.0	28.7	January	29.5	29.3	28.9
February	29.4	29.0	28.7	February	29.4	29.1	28.8
March	29.6	29.1	28.7	March	29.6	29.1	28.7
April	29.7	29.4	29.2	April	29.8	29.5	29.2
May	29.4	29.4	29.1	May	29.6	29.6	29.3
June	29.0	29.0	28.5	June	29.7	29.7	29.2
July	28.7	29.2	28.5	July	29.3	29.9	29.2
August	28.7	29.4	28.8	August	29.1	29.9	29.2
September	29.4	30.3	29.4	September	29.3	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	
September, 1999								
BNSF	130500	2,228	4,392	10,578	8,789	1,688	15,201	42,876
CONR	113300	338	913	215	334	217	539	2,556
CSX	121500	1,245	4,425	7,001	6,295	1,986	13,575	34,527
GTW	114900	119	214	416	275	94	643	1,761
IC	124100	189	404	630	574	180	835	2,812
KCS	134500	167	291	467	300	181	1,230	2,636
NS	117100	2,029	4,006	7,343	6,748	2,250	12,772	35,148
SOO	137700	138	460	917	488	212	1,015	3,230
UP	139400	4,982	3,765	10,999	11,197	1,473	20,431	52,847
TOTAL		11,435	18,870	38,566	35,000	8,281	66,241	178,393
NRPC	103000	1,625	5,207	3,880	6,693	3,961	4,157	25,523

	September	September	August	% Change	
	1999	1998	1999	Year	Month
L 100	11,435	11,680	11,567	-2.10%	-1.14%
L 200	18,870	19,900	19,257	-5.18%	-2.01%
L 300	38,566	40,389	38,578	-4.51%	-0.03%
L 400	35,000	36,172	35,143	-3.24%	-0.41%
L500	8,281	8,472	8,310	-2.25%	-0.35%
L600	66,241	66,957	64,683	-1.07%	2.41%
TOTAL	178,393	183,570	177,538	-2.82%	0.48%

	1967	1998	Ratio	Ratio
	Months	Months	Corresp. Months	Average Month
January	614,766	179,639	29.2	29.5
February	610,335	179,446	29.4	29.4
March	608,751	180,215	29.6	29.6
April	611,136	181,441	29.7	29.8
May	613,824	180,630	29.4	29.6
June	624,153	180,876	29.0	29.7
July	623,096	178,800	28.7	29.3
August	619,419	177,538	28.7	29.1
September	606,714	178,393	29.4	29.3
October	597,271	0	0.0	0.0
November	593,568	0	0.0	0.0
December	590,100	0	0.0	0.0