

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	
	December 1999	December 1998	December 1998	November 1999
Total - All employees	175,767		-2.33%	-0.61%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	11,331		-3.78%	-0.54%
Professional and administrative	18,532		-6.01%	-0.90%
Maintenance of way and structures	37,565		2.50%	-1.48%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	34,535		-3.80%	-0.28%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	8,314		-1.68%	0.95%
Transportation (train and engine)	65,490		-2.92%	-0.40%

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	29.7	30.6	30.0	October	29.1	30.0	29.4
November	29.8	30.3	30.1	November	29.0	29.6	29.3
December	29.8	30.5	30.2	December	28.8	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	
December, 1999								
BNSF	130500	2,233	4,362	9,926	8,718	1,658	14,687	41,584
CONR	113300	285	641	235	344	220	590	2,315
CSX	121500	1,240	4,441	6,886	6,173	2,018	13,603	34,361
GTW	114900	115	211	360	278	196	614	1,774
IC	124100	190	403	644	570	181	829	2,817
KCS	134500	164	282	456	289	183	1,235	2,609
NS	117100	2,041	4,083	7,501	6,583	2,173	12,890	35,271
SOO	137700	129	434	742	505	198	1,022	3,030
UP	139400	4,934	3,675	10,815	11,075	1,487	20,020	52,006
TOTAL		11,331	18,532	37,565	34,535	8,314	65,490	175,767
NRPC	103000	1,622	5,219	3,879	6,707	3,927	4,143	25,497

	December	December	November	% Change	
	1999	1998	1999	Year	Month
L 100	11,331	11,776	11,393	-3.78%	-0.54%
L 200	18,532	19,718	18,701	-6.01%	-0.90%
L 300	37,565	36,647	38,131	2.50%	-1.48%
L 400	34,535	35,898	34,632	-3.80%	-0.28%
L500	8,314	8,456	8,236	-1.68%	0.95%
L600	65,490	67,463	65,750	-2.92%	-0.40%
TOTAL	175,767	179,958	176,843	-2.33%	-0.61%

	1967	1998	Ratio	Ratio
	Months	Months	Corresp.	Average
	Months	Months	Months	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	177,474	29.7	29.1
November	593,568	176,843	29.8	29.0
December	590,100	175,767	29.8	28.8