

**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 April 2006	April 2005	April 2005	March 2006
Total - All employees	165,850		2.59%	0.25%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	9,678		4.17%	0.18%
Professional and administrative	13,831		1.95%	0.13%
Maintenance of way and structures	34,814		3.08%	2.19%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	30,105		0.73%	0.33%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	7,386		0.41%	0.52%
Transportation (train and engine)	70,036		3.33%	-0.71%

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

Index, year 1967 = 100*

	2006	2005	2004		2006	2005	2004
January	26.6	25.7	24.9	January	26.8	26.0	25.1
February	27.0	26.1	25.0	February	27.0	26.1	25.1
March	27.2	26.4	25.3	March	27.1	26.4	25.3
April	27.1	26.5	25.5	April	27.2	26.5	25.5
May	0.0	26.5	25.4	May	0.0	26.7	25.5
June	0.0	26.1	25.1	June	0.0	26.8	25.7
July	0.0	26.0	25.2	July	0.0	26.6	25.8
August	0.0	26.4	25.1	August	0.0	26.8	25.5
September	0.0	27.0	26.0	September	0.0	26.9	25.9
October	0.0	27.3	26.4	October	0.0	26.8	25.9
November	0.0	27.7	26.7	November	0.0	27.0	26.0
December	0.0	27.9	27.0	December	0.0	27.1	26.1

* Average of 12 months, 1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Report of Number of Employees submitted by Class I Railroads.
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CARRIER		L100	L 200	L 300	L 400	L500	L600	TOTAL
April, 2006								
BNSF	130500	2,426	3,206	9,082	7,375	1,423	17,622	41,134
CSX	121500	951	3,056	5,931	5,668	2,037	13,590	31,233
CN/GTW	114900	357	520	1,770	997	435	1,923	6,002
(Includes all CN US Operations)								
KCS	134500	208	334	499	356	141	1,387	2,925
NS	117100	1,645	2,762	5,935	5,557	1,588	12,382	29,869
SOO	137700	144	356	636	393	163	1,078	2,770
UP	139400	3,947	3,597	10,961	9,759	1,599	22,054	51,917
TOTAL		9,678	13,831	34,814	30,105	7,386	70,036	165,850
NRPC	103000	1,490	4,190	2,520	4,924	2,647	3,160	18,931

	April 2006	April 2005	March 2006	% Change	
				Year	Month
L 100	9,678	9,291	9,661	4.17%	0.18%
L 200	13,831	13,567	13,813	1.95%	0.13%
L 300	34,814	33,775	34,068	3.08%	2.19%
L 400	30,105	29,888	30,005	0.73%	0.33%
L500	7,386	7,356	7,348	0.41%	0.52%
L600	70,036	67,781	70,538	3.33%	-0.71%
TOTAL	165,850	161,658	165,433	2.59%	0.25%

	1967 Months	2006 Months	Ratio Corresp. Months	Ratio Average Month
January	614,766	163,406	26.6	26.8
February	610,335	164,797	27.0	27.0
March	608,751	165,433	27.2	27.1
April	611,136	165,850	27.1	27.2
May	613,824	0	0.0	0.0
June	624,153	0	0.0	0.0
July	623,096	0	0.0	0.0
August	619,419	0	0.0	0.0
September	606,714	0	0.0	0.0
October	597,271	0	0.0	0.0
November	593,568	0	0.0	0.0
December	590,100	0	0.0	0.0

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