

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		
	May 2012	May 2011	April 2012
Total - All employees	162,548	3.19%	0.36%
Executives, officials, and staff assistants	9,587	3.86%	0.45%
Professional and administrative	13,810	1.95%	0.53%
Maintenance of way and structures	37,299	3.53%	1.10%
Maintenance of equipment and stores	29,906	3.26%	0.44%
Transportation (other than train and engine)	6,853	2.62%	0.71%
Transportation (train and engine)	65,093	3.19%	-0.19%

PART 2. Indexes of employment

Index, same month 1967 = 100

	2012	2011	2010
January	26.0	24.9	23.9
February	26.3	25.3	24.2
March	26.6	25.6	24.5
April	26.5	25.7	24.7
May	26.5	25.7	24.6
June	26.1	25.5	24.3
July	0.0	25.5	24.6
August	0.0	25.8	24.7
September	0.0	26.4	25.4
October	0.0	26.8	25.8
November	0.0	27.0	26.1
December	0.0	27.1	26.2

Index, year 1967 = 100\*

	2012	2011	2010
January	26.3	25.2	26.2
February	26.4	25.4	25.8
March	26.6	25.6	25.4
April	26.6	25.7	25.3
May	26.7	25.8	24.9
June	26.8	26.1	24.6
July	0.0	26.1	24.7
August	0.0	26.3	24.6
September	0.0	26.3	24.5
October	0.0	26.3	24.5
November	0.0	26.3	24.1
December	0.0	26.2	24.1

\* Average of 12 months, 1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Report of Number of Employees submitted by Class I Railroads.  
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 [1] per CN/GTW revisions due to programming corrections.  
 [2] per BNSF revisions due to programming corrections.

CARRIER	L100	L 200	L 300	L 400	L500	L600	TOTAL
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May, 2012 (Revised 07/16/12 [1] [2])

BNSF	130500	1,741	3,849	9,097	7,446	1,690	17,078	40,901
CSX	121500	1,325	3,010	6,822	5,080	1,668	11,152	29,057
CN/GTW	114900	360	545	1,877	849	387	2,116	6,134
(Includes all CN US Operations)								
KCS	134500	266	382	493	369	80	1,278	2,868
NS	117100	1,898	2,683	6,286	6,086	1,431	12,043	30,427
SOO	137700	314	357	1,258	599	241	1,558	4,327
UP	139400	3,683	2,984	11,466	9,477	1,356	19,868	48,834
TOTAL		9,587	13,810	37,299	29,906	6,853	65,093	162,548
NRPC	103000	1,405	4,857	2,947	5,058	2,940	3,559	20,766

	May 2012	May 2011	April 2012	% Change	
				Year	Month
L 100	9,587	9,231	9,544	3.86%	0.45%
L 200	13,810	13,546	13,737	1.95%	0.53%
L 300	37,299	36,026	36,893	3.53%	1.10%
L 400	29,906	28,963	29,774	3.26%	0.44%
L500	6,853	6,678	6,805	2.62%	0.71%
L600	65,093	63,078	65,219	3.19%	-0.19%
TOTAL	162,548	157,522	161,972	3.19%	0.36%

	1967 Months	2012 Months	Ratio Corresp. Months	Ratio Average Month
January	614,766	160,129	26.0	26.3
February	610,335	160,774	26.3	26.4
March	608,751	161,992	26.6	26.6
April	611,136	161,972	26.5	26.6
May	613,824	162,548	26.5	26.7
June	624,153	0	26.1	26.8
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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