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PROVINCIAL/REGIONAL PROFILES



	Atlantic Canada	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
FREIGHT TRAFFIC							
Carloads originated	287,693	913,969	1,010,516	203,209	564,636	955,380	1,292,864
Tonnes originated (000)	20,760	116,811	46,956	12,352	40,043	61,938	60,136
Freight train-kilometres	2,593,186	5,806,100	25,866,022	9,827,791	15,926,536	17,369,911	26,680,312
Revenue tonne-kilometres (000)	6,726,896	28,462,972	102,548,151	39,907,088	66,609,763	72,730,241	110,883,731
EMPLOYEES & MEMBERS							
Employees	914	7,157	7,174	3,939	2,060	3,811	5,608
Active RAC member companies	7	22	20	9	7	6	11
Average annual wage per employee (\$)	89,843	97,189	99,333	100,543	102,976	103,004	98,396
Total compensation (\$000)	82,116	695,546	712,564	396,036	212,085	392,532	551,852
TAXES¹ (\$000)							
Locomotive fuel & excise tax	1,463	2,620	23,671	10,360	40,847	18,689	15,668
Carbon-related levies	0	4,770	13,480	0	0	19,942	40,039
Property tax	4,992	40,589	32,098	15,831	21,887	19,702	49,448
Other sales tax	149	18,373	695	17,022	12,944	40	41,126
Capital tax & customs duties	0	20	0	20	71	1	0
Income tax	1,961	31,376	88,257	12,127	22,948	91,648	33,458
Health tax	0	29,864	14,603	7,265	0	0	325
INFRASTRUCTURE							
Track operated (kilometres)	2,023	6,217	10,796	3,495	7,790	6,739	10,248
FUEL (litres in thousands)							
Freight	71,054	136,131	524,924	166,452	271,030	337,278	522,138
Passenger	3,830	21,648	77,389	3,805	1,987	2,384	7,470
INVESTMENTS (\$000)							
Track & roadway	25,997	-12,981	221,620	73,823	304,893	172,722	193,520
Buildings & related machinery & equipment	4,250	189,301	29,310	7,442	1,854	32,559	10,759
Signals & communications	3,852	6,595	46,407	6,702	11,072	11,972	17,215
Terminals & fuel stations	2,553	2,558	6,213	0	155	122	3,486
Rolling stock	506	27,645	39,553	8,117	20,641	20,157	65,126
Intermodal equipment	718	4,657	17,953	7,680	13,304	21,050	37,071
Work equipment & roadway machines	1,033	2,678	10,943	4,299	8,004	10,120	20,202
Other equipment	251	26,932	12,081	7,073	7,710	35,336	19,518
Total	39,160	247,386	384,080	115,136	367,633	304,038	366,896

¹ Reflects taxes paid to provincial authorities only.
The figures do not include rail activity in the Territories.
Source: Rail Trends Database