

CANADA'S RAILWAYS:

AN INDUSTRY WITH IMPACT

2021 DATA



PROVINCIAL/REGIONAL PROFILES



**5.5 MILLION
CARLOADS**



**MILLIONS OF
PASSENGERS**

FREIGHT TRAFFIC

	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
Carloads originated	179,112	1,195,822	983,085	237,790	717,734	930,997	1,248,905
Tonnes originated (000)	9,917	94,847	44,756	14,162	49,716	59,887	56,463
Freight train kilometres	2,045,734	5,705,820	23,800,100	9,642,186	15,531,300	16,730,990	25,111,792
Revenue tonnes kilometres (000)	7,593,162	31,822,031	102,949,627	40,958,590	70,056,953	75,174,534	112,540,743



34,318 EMPLOYEES

EMPLOYEES & MEMBERS

	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
Number of Employees	1,034	7,694	9,004	3,598	2,091	5,877	5,016
Total jobs supported	5,484	40,804	47,751	19,081	11,089	31,168	26,602
Active RAC member companies	9	21	21	9	7	6	13
Average annual wage per employee* (\$)	102,790	104,568	98,105	102,137	104,745	103,569	101,983
Total compensation (\$000)	106,285	787,499	762,476	362,996	219,021	608,675	511,547

* Excludes companies that did not report both employment and compensation figures.

Source: Rail Trends Database

Note: Since the territories are not included in the provincial/regional profiles, the totals of the provinces may not add up to Canadian totals found in the Rail Trends reports.





**\$1.9 BILLION
TAXES PAID**



**\$2.3 BILLION
INVESTMENTS**

TAXES** (\$000)	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
Locomotive fuel & excise tax	1,223	6,011	19,845	9,584	38,528	16,918	19,565
Carbon-related levies	3,105	5,980	152	-	70	4	73,641
Property tax	4,853	40,329	34,727	15,355	25,335	24,296	57,834
Other sales tax	-	728	121	21,099	19,041	12	55,141
Capital tax & customs duties	1	-	38	99	26	1	-
Income tax	12,840	56,388	98,056	40,966	70,698	77,658	93,874
Health Tax	-	35,013	14,860	7,374	-	-	1,211
Total taxes paid to provincial authorities	22,022	144,449	167,798	94,477	153,698	118,889	301,266

INVESTMENTS (\$000)	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
Track & roadway	22,328	87,654	176,631	53,253	89,035	206,458	293,881
Buildings & related machinery	1,177	239,817	31,367	23,322	1,987	67,455	65,378
Signals & communications	3,526	33,328	48,390	19,610	7,428	54,258	60,392
Terminals & fuel stations	1,236	5,877	9,151	716	61	14,838	1,458
Rolling stock	5,034	70,532	172,990	25,446	58,905	64,417	106,304
Intermodal equipment	245	1,453	5,234	2,288	3,802	6,210	10,764
Work equipment & roadway machines	1,339	6,781	11,587	3,866	7,506	8,997	14,834
Other equipment	239	38,660	11,588	14,680	5,131	7,685	13,246
Total	35,123	484,101	466,937	143,181	173,855	430,318	566,257



42,631 FREIGHT TRACK KILOMETRES

INFRASTRUCTURE	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
Freight track operated (Kilometres)	1,830	5,779	9,774	4,553	7,630	6,345	6,598

FUEL (LITRES IN THOUSANDS)	Atlantic	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
Freight	58,185	143,980	433,035	149,733	253,177	300,763	612,507
Passenger	1,088	15,696	51,115	2,271	910	685	2,120

** Reflects taxes paid to provincial authorities only

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