



Bureau of Transportation Statistics

Freight Railroads in Arizona and the United States: 2000

Type of railroad	Number of railroads		Miles operated ² United States	Miles operated ² Arizona		Percent of U.S. total
	United States	Arizona		Excluding trackage rights	Including trackage rights	
Total	562	10	1,852	172,101	1,909	1.1
Class I	8	2	1,333	120,597	1,333	1.1
Regional	35	0	0	20,978	0	0.0
Local	304	6	316	21,512	373	1.7
Switching and terminal	213	2	203	7,425	203	2.7
Canadian ¹	2	0	0	1,589	0	0.0

¹Refers to non-Class I, Canadian-owned lines.

²Miles operated is in terms of railroad so that a mile of single track is counted the same as a mile of double track. Sidings, turnouts, yard switching mileage, and mileage not operated are excluded. Miles operated under trackage rights provided by another (owning) railroad are included.

NOTES:

1. As defined by the Surface Transportation Board in 2000, a Class I Railroad is a railroad with operating revenues of at least \$261.9 million.
2. A Regional Railroad is a non-Class I, line-haul railroad operating 350 or more miles of road or with revenues of at least \$40 million or both.
3. A Local Railroad is a railroad which is neither a Class I nor a Regional Railroad, and is engaged primarily in line-haul service.
4. A Switching and Terminal Railroad is a non-Class I Railroad engaged primarily in switching and/or terminal services for other railroads.

SOURCE: Association of American Railroads, *Railroads and States - 2000*, Washington, DC: 2002, available at http://www.bts.gov/cgi-bin/ExitPage/good_bye.cgi?url=http://www.aar.org/AboutTheIndustry/StateInformation.asp as of Mar. 19, 2002.

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