

Selected National and Railroad Data

Year or month	Index of Industrial Production ¹ (2007 = 100)	Consumer Price Index ² (1982-84 = 100)		Index of Leading Economic Indicators (2004 = 100)	U.S. Civilian Labor Force (millions)		Railroad Labor Force (thousands)			Benefit Payments (millions)		Railroad Freight Ton Miles ⁵ (billions)	Railroad Payrolls (billions)			
		CPI-W	CPI-U		Employed	Unemployed	Employed		Unemployed	RRA			Creditable			
							Number	Percent Change ³		RRA	RUIA ⁴		Total	Tier I	Tier II	RUIA
		2000	92.1		168.9	172.2	86.8	136.9	5.7	246	-4.0		4	8,305	83	1,475
2001	88.9	173.5	177.1	84.9	136.9	6.8	238	-3.1	5	8,446	100	1,475	13.7	13.24	12.18	3.11
2002	89.1	175.9	179.9	89.0	136.5	8.4	229	-3.8	5	8,738	98	1,483	13.6	13.11	12.13	3.12
2003	90.2	179.8	184.0	93.3	137.7	8.8	225	-1.7	4	8,890	93	1,532	13.9	13.26	12.21	3.10
2004	92.3	184.5	188.9	100.0	139.3	8.1	227	0.9	3	9,047	78	1,652	14.6	13.87	12.67	3.15
2005	95.3	191.0	195.3	102.6	141.7	7.6	232	2.2	2	9,228	72	1,712	15.4	14.56	13.33	3.29
2006	97.4	197.1	201.6	104.1	144.4	7.0	236	1.7	2	9,552	77	1,774	16.2	15.03	13.86	3.48
2007	100.0	202.8	207.3	104.2	146.0	7.1	237	0.4	3	9,845	73	1,751	16.8	15.62	14.43	3.58
2008	96.3	211.1	215.3	101.0	145.4	8.9	235	-0.8	3	10,104	81	1,757	17.9	16.20	14.99	3.69
2009	85.5	209.630	214.537	101.3	139.9	14.3	223	-5.1	10	10,661	189	1,516	16.2	15.34	14.28	3.60
2010	90.1	213.967	218.056	109.2	139.1	14.8	221	-0.9	6	10,807	135	1,665		15.43	14.38	3.55
2010-January	87.7	212.568	216.687	106.7	136.8	16.1	215	-7.3	12	881	19					
February	87.9	212.544	216.741	107.2	137.2	16.0	216	-5.7	10	894	17					
March	88.4	213.525	217.631	108.6	138.0	15.7	218	-3.5	10	898	18	400				
April	88.7	213.958	218.009	108.6	139.3	14.6	221	-1.8	7	899	13					
May	89.9	214.124	218.178	109.0	139.5	14.4	220	-1.3	5	898	8					
June	90.0	213.839	217.965	108.8	139.9	14.9	221	0.5	5	905	8	411				
July	90.8	213.898	218.011	109.0	140.1	15.1	223	0.9	3	901	8					
August	91.0	214.205	218.312	109.1	139.9	14.8	223	1.4	4	904	8					
September	91.2	214.306	218.439	109.9	139.7	14.1	224	1.8	3	907	8	433				
October	91.1	214.623	218.711	110.1	139.7	13.9	225	2.3	3	906	10					
November	91.4	214.750	218.803	111.4	139.4	14.3	226	4.1	3	907	9					
December	92.6	215.262	219.179	112.3	139.2	14.0	225	3.7	4	907	10	421				
2011-January	92.8	216.400	220.223	112.5	137.6	14.9	224	4.2	5	910	10					
February	92.5	217.535	221.309	113.5	138.1	14.5	225	4.2	5	908	8					
March	93.1	220.024	223.467	114.3	139.0	14.1	227	4.1	4	911	12	425				
April	92.7	221.743	224.906	114.0	139.7	13.2	228	3.2	4	913	7					
May	93.0	222.954	225.964	114.8	140.0	13.4	229	4.1	3	913	6					
June	93.1	222.522	225.722	115.2	140.1	14.4	231	4.5	3	917	6	417				
July	94.2	222.686	225.922	115.8	140.4	14.4	231	3.6	2	916	6					
August	94.4	223.326	226.545	116.2	140.3	14.0	233	4.5	3	919	8					
September	94.4	223.688	226.889	116.3	140.5	13.5	233	4.0	2	919	9	437				
October	95.0	223.043	226.421	117.4	141.0	13.1	233	3.6	3	922	7					
November	94.8	222.813	226.230	118.0	141.1	12.6	233	3.1	3	921	7					

¹ Monthly index numbers are seasonally adjusted. Annual index totals are the average of not seasonally adjusted data.

² CPI-W based on wage-clerical worker spending patterns, CPI-U on expanded population sample covering all urban consumers.

³ Increase (+) or decrease (-) from previous year or from same month in previous year.

⁴ Starting in June 2009, includes temporary extended unemployment benefits authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. Beginning in November 2009, temporary extended unemployment benefits are also being paid under the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, as amended by the Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010.

⁵ Beginning in 2005, traffic for the former BC Rail is included in the Canadian National data. Beginning in July 2009, Canadian National now includes the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern Railroad.

⁶ Tier I and Tier II creditable payrolls, which became effective with the Railroad Retirement Act of 1974, have annual earnings bases. Tier I payroll includes miscellaneous compensation.

NOTE:--Annual labor force figures are averages of 12 mid-month figures. Mid-month employment count is estimated number of employees in active pay status on carrier reporting date, excluding strikers and other employees whose absence from duty is strike-related, and without regard to whether such excluded employees are qualified for or receiving RUIA unemployment benefits. Railroad unemployed represents number claiming benefits in week including the 15th of month. Benefits are net amounts paid during the month and do not necessarily relate to the period in which accrued. RRA benefits include payments from the Dual Benefits Payments Account. Quarterly figures shown opposite last month of quarter. Changes from preceding month's report reflect revisions based on later data. Detail may not add to totals shown because of rounding.