

# Railroad Service in North Carolina

2006

## Railroad Service and Employment

<b>Facilities</b>	Number of Freight Railroads	23
	Miles Operated (Excluding Trackage Rights)	3,240
<b>Traffic</b>	Total Carloads of Freight Carried	1,642,019
	Total Tons of Freight Carried	116,046,738
<b>Employment and Earnings</b>	Rail Employees Living in State	3,210
	Freight Employees Only	2,426
	Total Wages of Rail Employees	\$203,215,000
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	Average Per Freight Rail Employee:	
	Wages	\$62,400
	Fringe Benefits	\$24,200
Total Compensation	\$86,600	
<b>Railroad Retirement</b>	Railroad Retirement Beneficiaries	10,164
	Railroad Retirement Benefits Paid	\$154,970,000

## Freight Railroad Traffic in North Carolina

### Tons Originated 2006

	Tons	%
Nonmetallic Minerals	3,706,471	26%
Chemicals	2,602,088	18
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,858,664	13
Waste & Scrap	1,015,848	7
Food Products	923,048	6
All Other	4,228,944	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,335,063</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Tons Terminated 2006

	Tons	%
Coal	32,085,382	51%
Farm Products	7,608,502	12
Chemicals	6,020,292	10
Glass & Stone Products	3,828,360	6
Nonmetallic Minerals	3,708,130	6
All Other	9,981,408	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>63,232,074</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Railroad Map of North Carolina



Rail network based upon 2006 National Transportation Atlas Database published by the U.S. DOT, Bureau of Transportation Statistics.

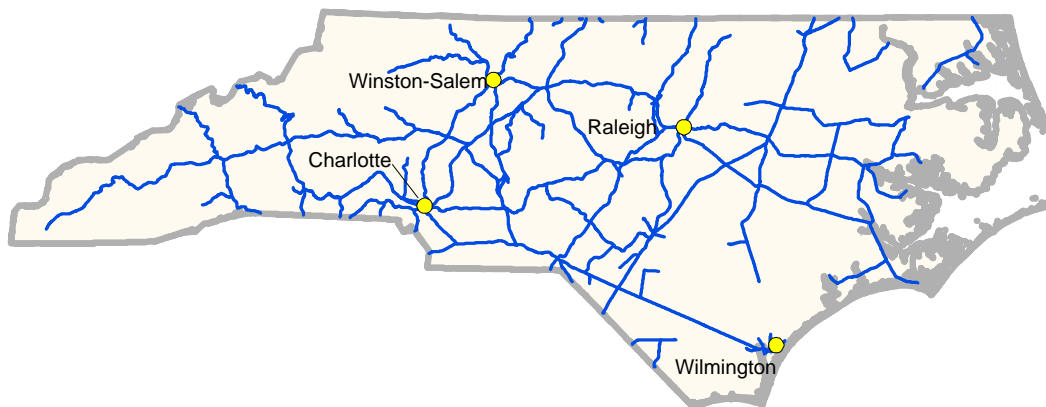
# Freight Railroads Operating in North Carolina

2006

	Miles of Railroad Operated in North Carolina
<b>Class I Railroads</b>	
CSX Transportation	1,121
Norfolk Southern Corp.	1,431
	2,552
<b>Regional Railroads</b>	
(none)	
<b>Local Railroads</b>	
Aberdeen & Rockfish Railroad	46
Aberdeen, Carolina and Western Rwy. Co.	146
Alexander Railroad	19
Atlantic & Western Railway	11
Caldwell County Railroad Co.	22
Carolina Coastal Railway, Inc.	17
Carolina Southern Railroad Co.	37
Chesapeake & Albemarle Railroad Co.	44
Great Smoky Mountains Railroad, Inc.	53
Laurinburg & Southern Railroad	35
Nash County Railroad Corp.	20
Thermal Belt Railway	7
Yadkin Valley Railroad Co.	93
	550

North Carolina Totals	Number of Freight Railroads	Miles Operated	
		Excluding Trackage Rights	Including Trackage Rights
Class I	2	2,464	2,552
Regional	0	0	0
Local	13	550	550
Switching & Terminal	8	226	226
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>3,240</b>	<b>3,328</b>

Miles of Railroad Operated in North Carolina	
<b>Switching &amp; Terminal Railroads</b>	
Cape Fear Railways	16
Clinton Terminal Railroad Co.	4
High Point, Thomasville & Denton RR	34
Morehead & South Fork Railroad Co., Inc.	10
North Carolina & Virginia Railroad Co	48
Virginia Southern Railroad	20
Wilmington Terminal Railroad, LP	7
Winston-Salem Southbound Railway	87
	226



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Class I Railroad - As defined by the Surface Transportation Board, a railroad with 2006 operating revenues of at least \$346.7 million.  
 Regional Railroad - A non-Class I line-haul railroad operating 350 or more miles of road and/or with revenues of at least \$40 million.  
 Local Railroad - A railroad which is neither a Class I nor a Regional Railroad and is engaged primarily in line-haul service.  
 Switching & Terminal Railroad - A non-Class I railroad engaged primarily in switching and/or terminal services for other railroads.  
 Note: Railroads operating are as of December 31, 2006. Some mileage figures may be estimated.