

Mileage and Traffic.—At Dec. 31, 1949, steam-railway track mileage of the Canadian National Railways (including lines in the United States and Newfoundland but exclusive of the Northern Alberta Railways and Toronto Terminals Railway, which are controlled jointly by the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific Railways) was 24,150 miles. Including the Thousand Islands Railway, 4.51 miles, controlled but operated separately, the total steam mileage was 24,154.5. The grand total, including 115.4 miles of electric lines, was 24,269.9 miles.

17.—Train Traffic Statistics¹ of the Canadian National Railways (Canadian and United States Lines), 1948 and 1949

Mileage and Traffic	1948	1949 ²
Train Mileage—		
Passenger trains.....miles	23,901,589	23,740,378 ³
Freight trains.....“	44,982,912	43,160,657
Totals, Train Miles..... No.	68,884,501	66,901,035
Passenger-Train Car Mileage—		
Coaches and combination.....miles	70,023,003	66,836,938 ³
Motor unit cars.....“	725,399	666,307
Parlour, sleeping and dining cars.....“	60,824,388	61,366,081
Baggage, mail, express, etc.....“	80,523,799	85,338,131
Totals, Passenger-Train Car Miles²..... No.	212,096,589	214,207,457
Freight-Train Car Mileage—		
Loaded freight-car miles.....miles	1,212,172,361	1,159,626,726 ³
Empty freight-car miles.....“	496,484,626	500,419,392
Caboose miles.....“	45,166,091	43,334,539
Totals, Freight-Train Car Miles..... No.	1,753,823,078	1,703,380,657
Passenger Traffic—		
Passengers carried (earning revenue)..... No.	20,083,064	18,678,371
Passengers carried (earning revenue) one mile.....“	1,754,856,873	1,620,839,960
Passenger-train miles per mile of road.....“	1.021	1.016
Average passenger journey.....miles	87.38	86.78
Average amount received per passenger.....\$	2.06951	2.31751
Average amount received per passenger mile.....\$	0.02368	0.02671
Average passengers per train mile.....No.	73.40	66.75
Average passengers per car mile.....“	14.25 ^r	13.19
Total passenger-train earnings per train mile.....\$	3.09	3.29
Total passenger-train revenue per mile of road.....\$	3,158.70	3,327.53
Freight Traffic—		
Revenue freight carried..... tons	85,240,738	76,845,970
Revenue freight carried one mile.....“	32,942,999,471	30,921,807,529
Revenue freight carried one mile per mile of road.....“	1,407,783	1,288,376
Total (all classes) freight carried one mile per mile of road.....“	1,532,282	1,405,767
Average tons revenue freight per train mile.....No.	732	714
Average tons (all classes) freight per loaded car mile.....“	29.60 ^r	28.91
Average hauls revenue freight.....miles	386.47	402.39
Freight revenue per train mile.....\$	8.75	9.06
Freight revenue per mile of road.....\$	16,817.69	16,501.17
Freight revenue per ton.....\$	4.62	5.13
Freight revenue per ton mile.....\$	0.01195	0.01276

¹ Excludes electric lines.

² Figures are exclusive of Newfoundland.

³ Work service excluded.