

U.S. Rail Traffic¹

Week 16, 2018 – Ended April 21, 2018

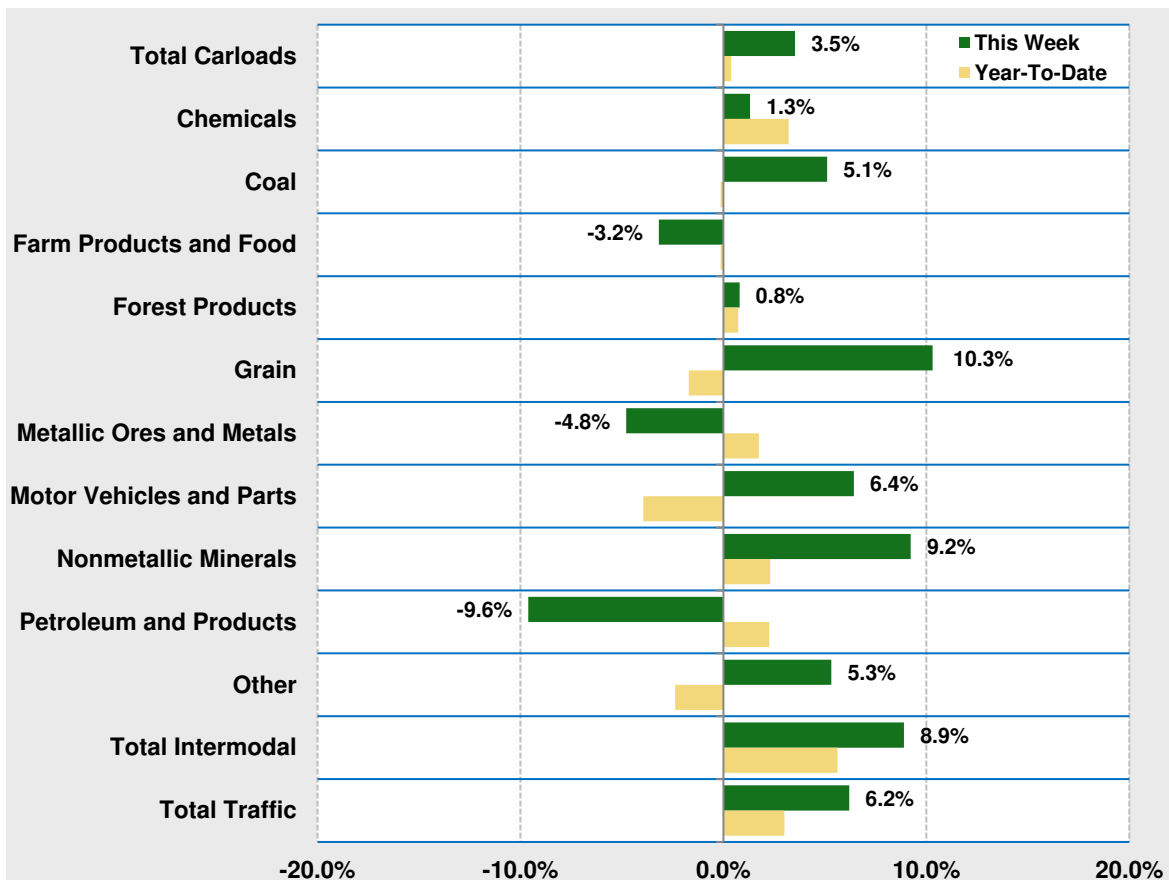
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	264,552	3.5%	4,080,772	255,048	0.4%
Chemicals	32,308	1.3%	516,597	32,287	3.2%
Coal	80,608	5.1%	1,326,925	82,933	-0.1%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	15,542	-3.2%	257,494	16,093	-0.1%
Forest Products	9,988	0.8%	160,195	10,012	0.7%
Grain	25,938	10.3%	364,119	22,757	-1.7%
Metallic Ores and Metals	23,972	-4.8%	346,912	21,682	1.7%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	18,102	6.4%	267,003	16,688	-3.9%
Nonmetallic Minerals	39,387	9.2%	530,007	33,125	2.3%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	9,356	-9.6%	162,128	10,133	2.3%
Other	9,351	5.3%	149,392	9,337	-2.4%
Total Intermodal Units	274,873	8.9%	4,310,336	269,396	5.6%
Total Traffic	539,425	6.2%	8,391,108	524,444	3.0%

¹ Excludes U.S. operations of Canadian Pacific, CN and GMXT.

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Trends, 2018 vs 2017

United States



Canadian Rail Traffic¹

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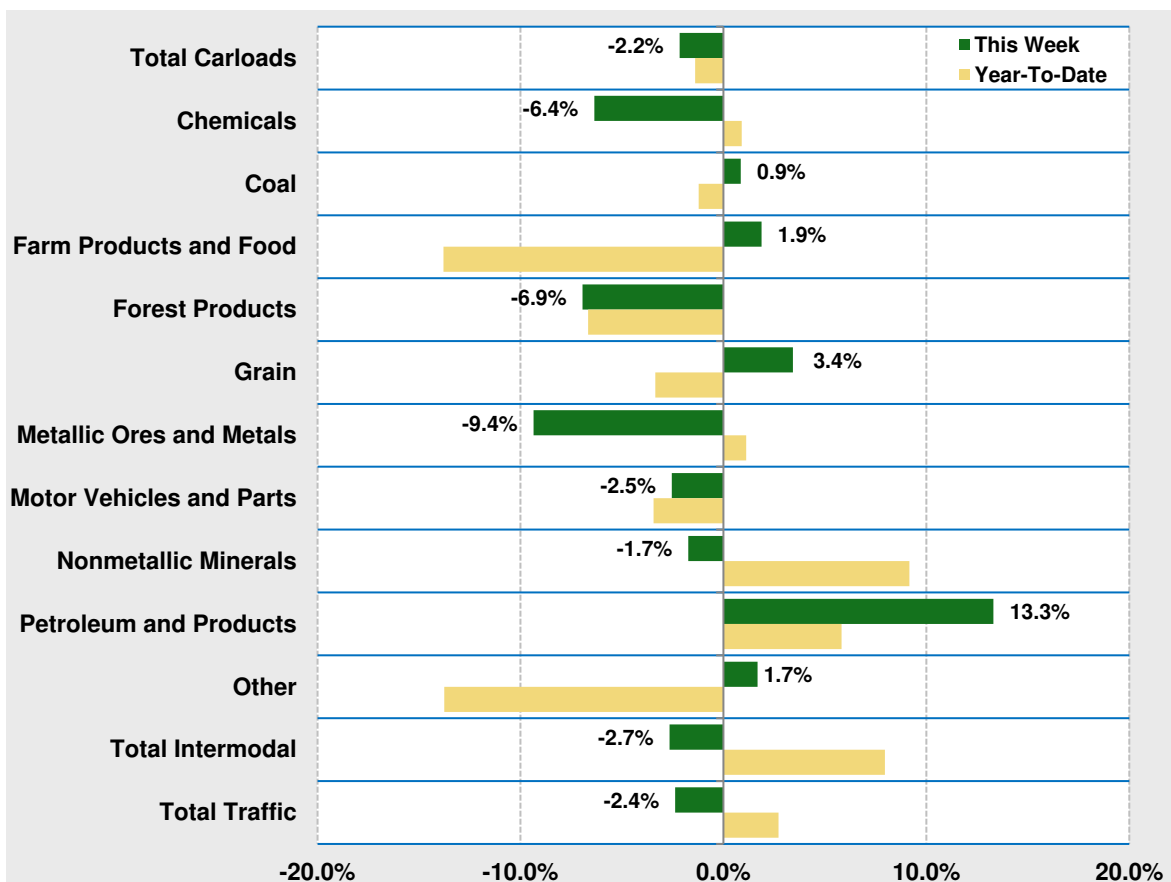
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	80,327	-2.2%	1,245,518	77,845	-1.4%
Chemicals	12,119	-6.4%	193,638	12,102	0.9%
Coal	8,226	0.9%	116,247	7,265	-1.2%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	7,702	1.9%	112,397	7,025	-13.8%
Forest Products	7,748	-6.9%	113,816	7,114	-6.7%
Grain	9,039	3.4%	128,544	8,034	-3.4%
Metallic Ores and Metals	14,324	-9.4%	237,917	14,870	1.1%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	5,628	-2.5%	84,180	5,261	-3.4%
Nonmetallic Minerals	6,968	-1.7%	114,845	7,178	9.2%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	7,181	13.3%	123,036	7,690	5.8%
Other	1,392	1.7%	20,898	1,306	-13.8%
Total Intermodal Units	64,061	-2.7%	1,066,946	66,684	8.0%
Total Traffic	144,388	-2.4%	2,312,464	144,529	2.7%

¹ Includes U.S. operations of Canadian Pacific and CN.

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Trends, 2018 vs 2017

Canada



Mexican Rail Traffic¹

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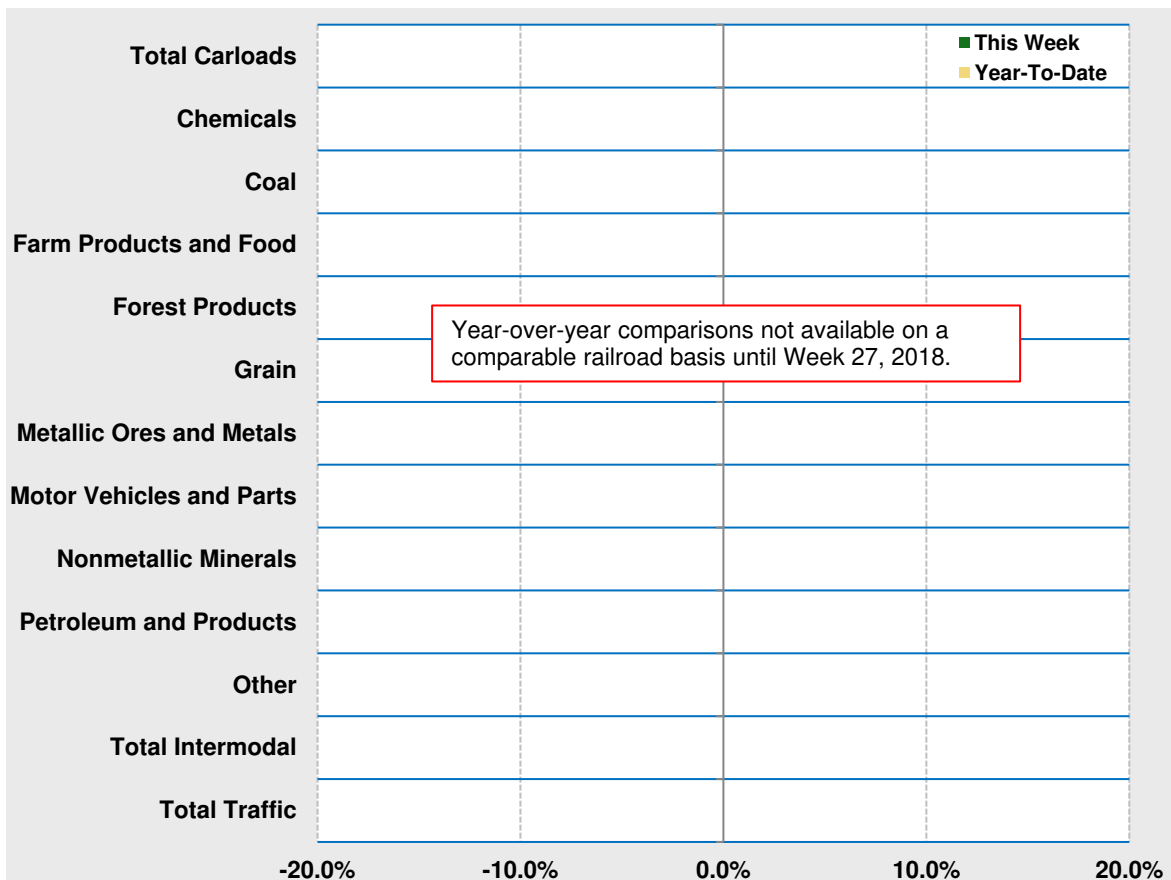
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	21,369	–	332,449	20,778	–
Chemicals	1,643	–	26,846	1,678	–
Coal	140	–	2,312	145	–
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	2,194	–	32,014	2,001	–
Forest Products	79	–	1,210	76	–
Grain	2,247	–	32,860	2,054	–
Metallic Ores and Metals	4,684	–	73,188	4,574	–
Motor Vehicles and Parts	4,248	–	71,533	4,471	–
Nonmetallic Minerals	4,471	–	67,316	4,207	–
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	535	–	8,298	519	–
Other	1,128	–	16,872	1,055	–
Total Intermodal Units	16,679	–	274,613	17,163	–
Total Traffic	38,048	–	607,062	37,941	–

¹ Includes U.S. operations of GMXT. Year-over-year comparisons not available on a comparable railroad basis until Week 27, 2018.

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Trends, 2018 vs 2017

Mexico



North American Rail Traffic¹

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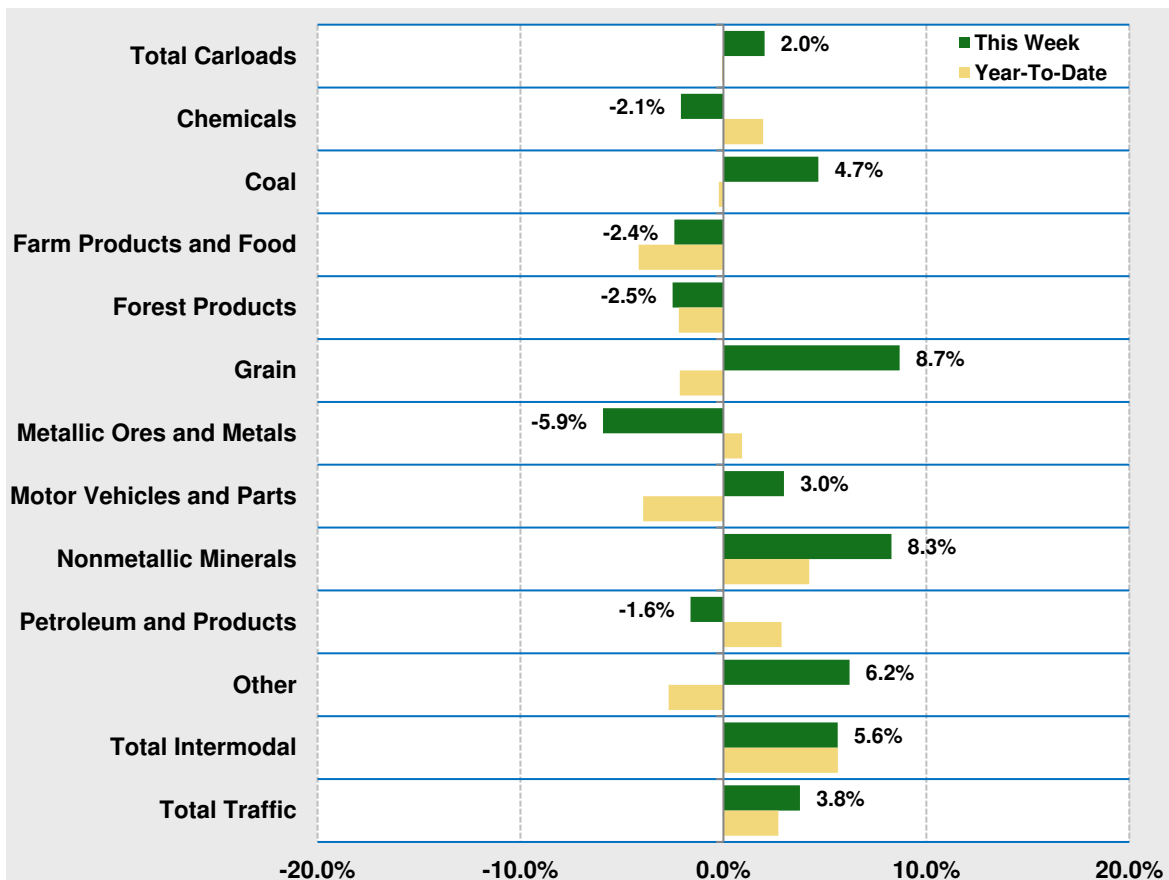
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	366,248	2.0%	5,658,739	353,671	-0.1%
Chemicals	46,070	-2.1%	737,081	46,068	2.0%
Coal	88,974	4.7%	1,445,484	90,343	-0.2%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	25,438	-2.4%	401,905	25,119	-4.2%
Forest Products	17,815	-2.5%	275,221	17,201	-2.2%
Grain	37,224	8.7%	525,523	32,845	-2.1%
Metallic Ores and Metals	42,980	-5.9%	658,017	41,126	0.9%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	27,978	3.0%	422,716	26,420	-4.0%
Nonmetallic Minerals	50,826	8.3%	712,168	44,511	4.2%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	17,072	-1.6%	293,462	18,341	2.9%
Other	11,871	6.2%	187,162	11,698	-2.7%
Total Intermodal Units	355,613	5.6%	5,651,895	353,243	5.6%
Total Traffic	721,861	3.8%	11,310,634	706,915	2.7%

¹ North America reported on a pro forma basis, reflecting traffic as reported for the U.S., Canada, and Mexico, plus plus traffic originated by the Florida East Coast Railway during Weeks 1–26, 2017.

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Trends, 2018 vs 2017

North America



**Major Rail Traffic Groups
And the Associated *Weekly Railroad Traffic* Commodity Categories**

Chemicals
Chemicals
Coal
Coal
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food
Farm products excl. grain
Grain mill products
Food products
Forest Products
Primary forest products
Lumber & wood products
Pulp & paper products
Grain
Grain
Metallic Ores and Metals
Metallic ores
Coke
Primary metal products
Iron & steel scrap
Motor Vehicles and Parts
Motor vehicles & parts
Nonmetallic Minerals
Crushed stone, sand & gravel
Nonmetallic minerals
Stone, clay & glass products
Petroleum and Petroleum Products
Petroleum and petroleum products
Other
Waste & nonferrous scrap
All other carloads
Intermodal Units
Containers
Trailers

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