

U.S. Rail Traffic¹

Week 44, 2018 – Ended November 3, 2018

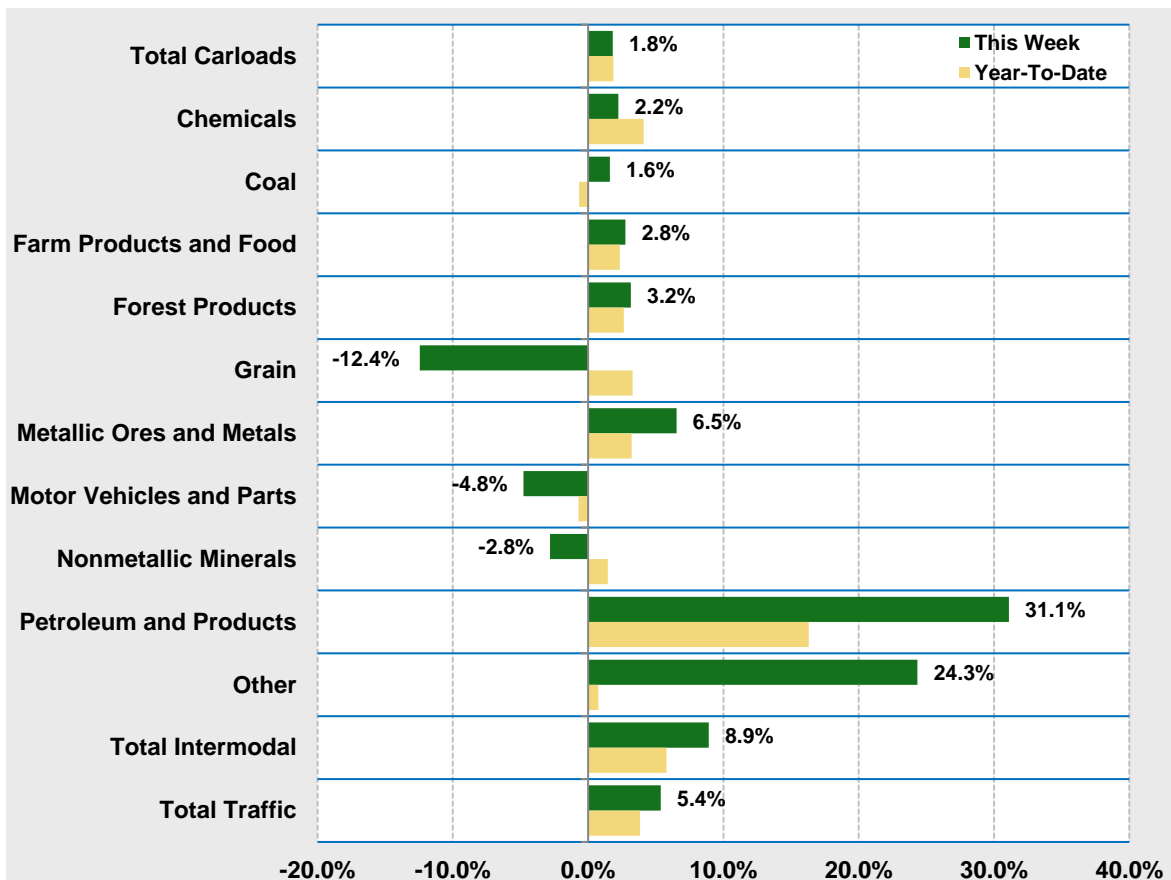
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	270,305	1.8%	11,586,596	263,332	1.9%
Chemicals	32,209	2.2%	1,416,860	32,201	4.1%
Coal	88,399	1.6%	3,722,456	84,601	-0.7%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	17,133	2.8%	715,329	16,257	2.3%
Forest Products	10,357	3.2%	453,424	10,305	2.6%
Grain	20,441	-12.4%	1,008,401	22,918	3.3%
Metallic Ores and Metals	24,191	6.5%	1,027,930	23,362	3.2%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	16,681	-4.8%	729,992	16,591	-0.7%
Nonmetallic Minerals	36,613	-2.8%	1,598,867	36,338	1.5%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	12,668	31.1%	485,224	11,028	16.3%
Other	11,613	24.3%	428,113	9,730	0.8%
Total Intermodal Units	289,741	8.9%	12,275,918	278,998	5.8%
Total Traffic	560,046	5.4%	23,862,514	542,330	3.8%

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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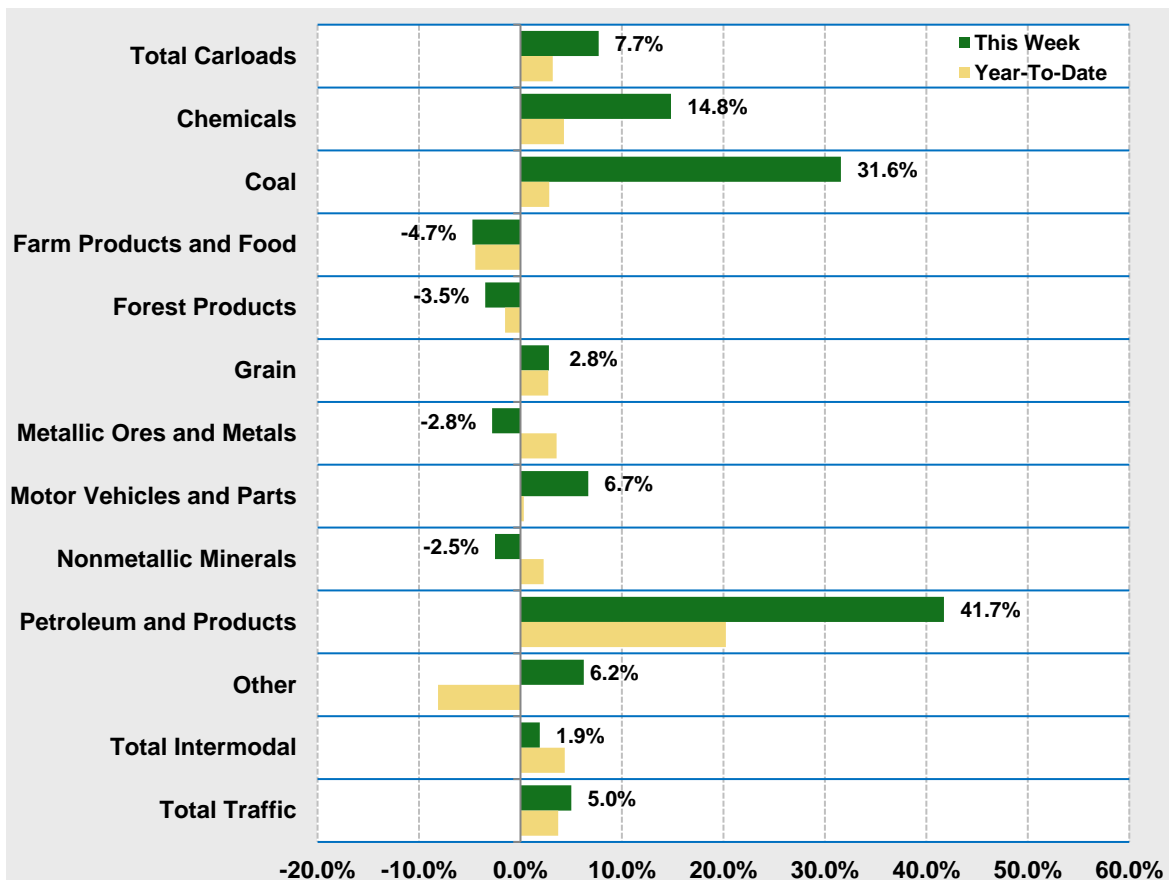
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	88,275	7.7%	3,596,221	81,732	3.2%
Chemicals	12,226	14.8%	542,178	12,322	4.3%
Coal	9,290	31.6%	337,606	7,673	2.8%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	7,518	-4.7%	317,453	7,215	-4.4%
Forest Products	7,318	-3.5%	327,286	7,438	-1.5%
Grain	10,188	2.8%	383,776	8,722	2.7%
Metallic Ores and Metals	16,079	-2.8%	676,446	15,374	3.6%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	5,447	6.7%	232,505	5,284	0.3%
Nonmetallic Minerals	8,052	-2.5%	349,159	7,935	2.3%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	10,507	41.7%	370,184	8,413	20.2%
Other	1,650	6.2%	59,628	1,355	-8.1%
Total Intermodal Units	72,338	1.9%	3,041,689	69,129	4.4%
Total Traffic	160,613	5.0%	6,637,910	150,862	3.7%

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Trends, 2018 vs 2017

Canada



Mexican Rail Traffic¹

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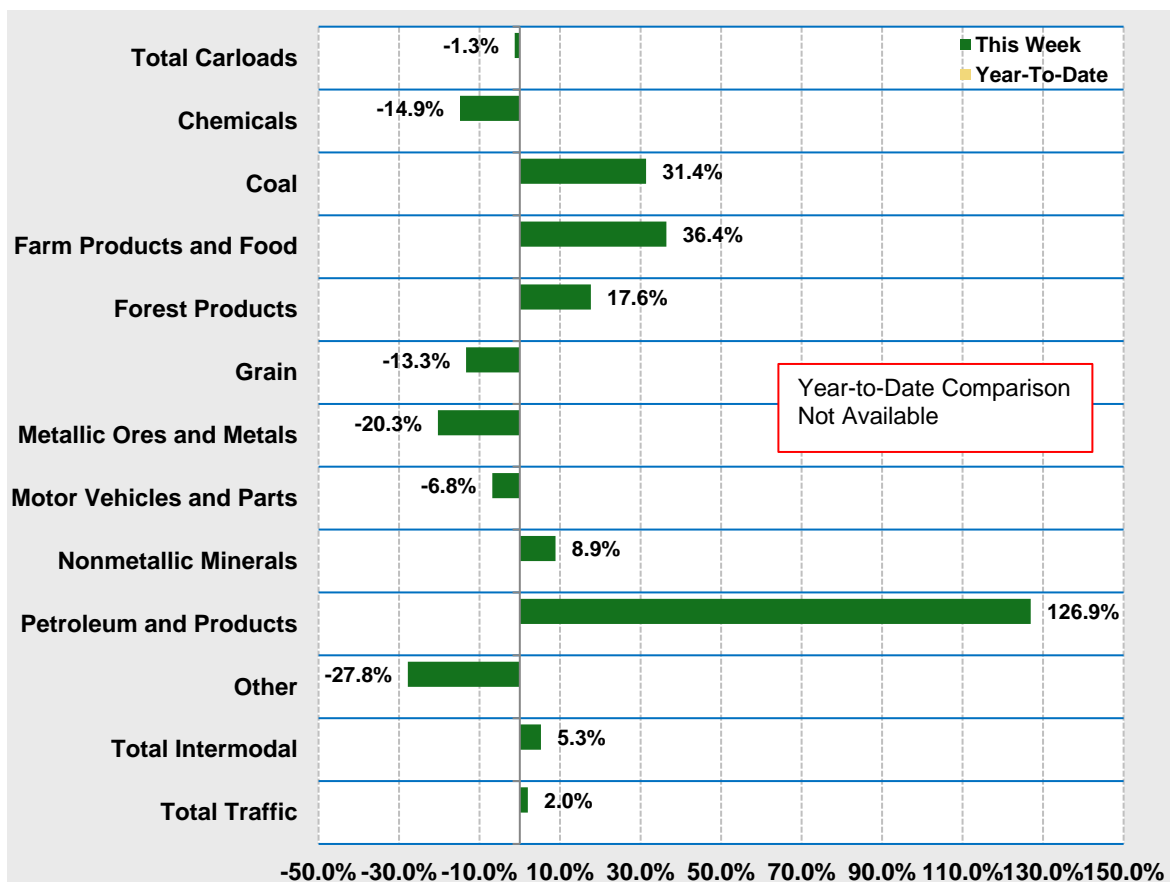
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	18,811	-1.3%	914,293	20,779	–
Chemicals	1,066	-14.9%	65,013	1,478	–
Coal	134	31.4%	6,285	143	–
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	1,900	36.4%	88,297	2,007	–
Forest Products	20	17.6%	2,017	46	–
Grain	1,541	-13.3%	94,147	2,140	–
Metallic Ores and Metals	3,245	-20.3%	191,060	4,342	–
Motor Vehicles and Parts	4,582	-6.8%	205,533	4,671	–
Nonmetallic Minerals	4,192	8.9%	184,633	4,196	–
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	1,357	126.9%	30,002	682	–
Other	774	-27.8%	47,306	1,075	–
Total Intermodal Units	19,989	5.3%	793,193	18,027	–
Total Traffic	38,800	2.0%	1,707,486	38,807	–

¹ Includes U.S. operations of GMXT. Year-to-date comparisons not available on a comparable railroad basis until Week 1, 2019.

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Trends, 2018 vs 2017

Mexico



North American Rail Traffic¹

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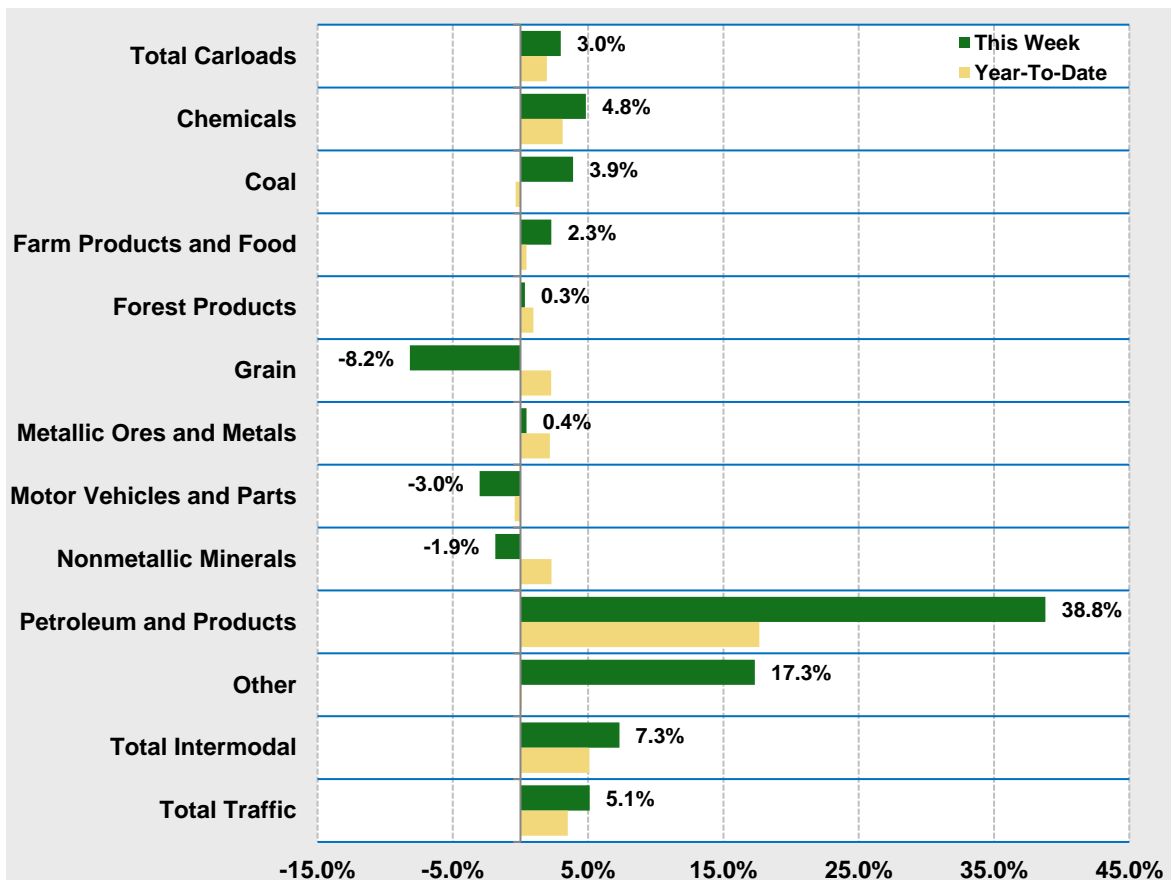
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2017	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2017
Total Carloads	377,391	3.0%	16,097,110	365,843	2.0%
Chemicals	45,501	4.8%	2,024,051	46,001	3.1%
Coal	97,823	3.9%	4,066,347	92,417	-0.4%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	26,551	2.3%	1,121,079	25,479	0.4%
Forest Products	17,695	0.3%	782,727	17,789	1.0%
Grain	32,170	-8.2%	1,486,324	33,780	2.3%
Metallic Ores and Metals	43,515	0.4%	1,895,436	43,078	2.2%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	26,710	-3.0%	1,168,030	26,546	-0.4%
Nonmetallic Minerals	48,857	-1.9%	2,132,659	48,470	2.3%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	24,532	38.8%	885,410	20,123	17.6%
Other	14,037	17.3%	535,047	12,160	0.1%
Total Intermodal Units	382,068	7.3%	16,110,800	366,155	5.1%
Total Traffic	759,459	5.1%	32,207,910	731,998	3.5%

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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