

U.S. Rail Traffic¹

Week 35, 2019 – Ended August 31, 2019

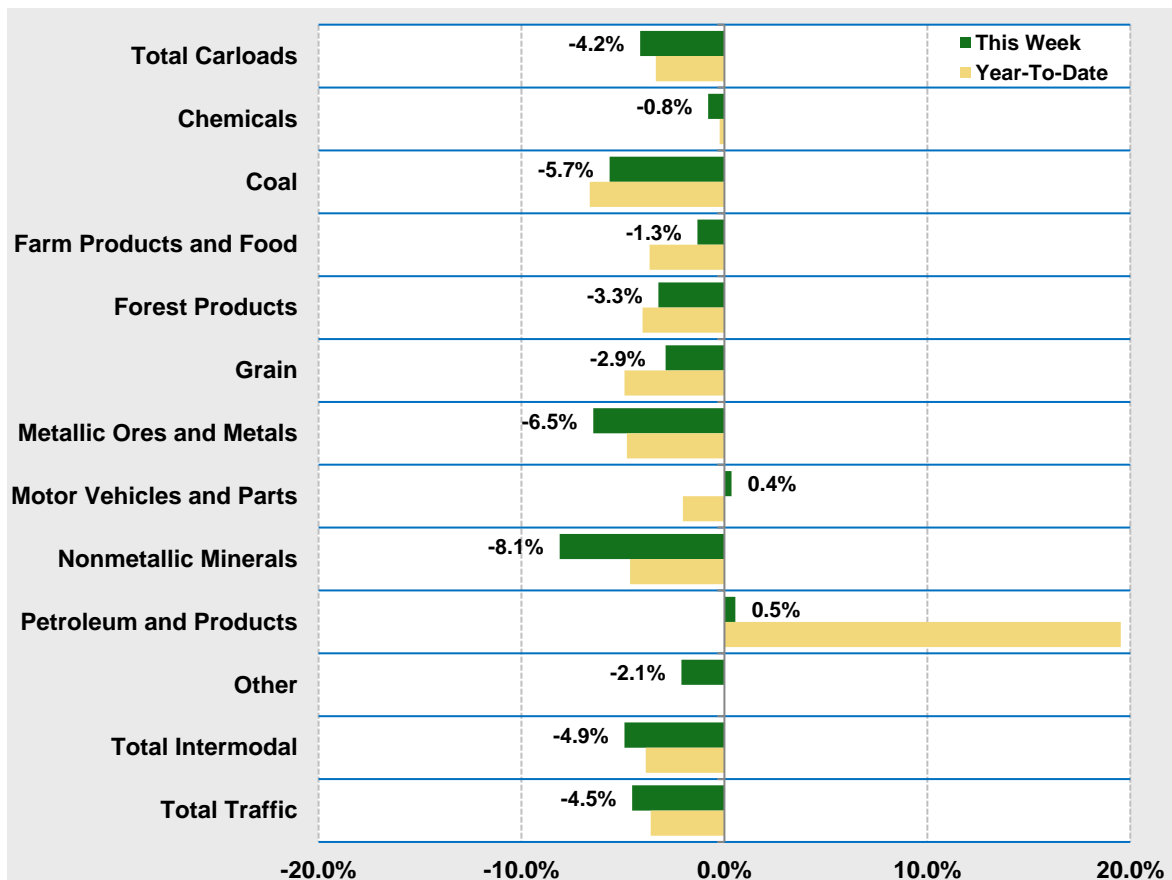
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2018	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2018
Total Carloads	268,597	-4.2%	8,871,704	253,477	-3.4%
Chemicals	33,146	-0.8%	1,131,072	32,316	-0.2%
Coal	86,661	-5.7%	2,741,525	78,329	-6.6%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	16,128	-1.3%	545,727	15,592	-3.7%
Forest Products	10,923	-3.3%	347,007	9,914	-4.0%
Grain	22,060	-2.9%	771,187	22,034	-4.9%
Metallic Ores and Metals	23,569	-6.5%	775,026	22,144	-4.8%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	17,441	0.4%	566,785	16,194	-2.0%
Nonmetallic Minerals	36,305	-8.1%	1,212,838	34,653	-4.6%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	12,317	0.5%	445,648	12,733	19.5%
Other	10,047	-2.1%	334,889	9,568	0.0%
Total Intermodal Units	273,348	-4.9%	9,328,443	266,527	-3.9%
Total Traffic	541,945	-4.5%	18,200,147	520,004	-3.6%

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

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Trends, 2019 vs 2018

United States



Canadian Rail Traffic¹

Week 35, 2019 – Ended August 31, 2019

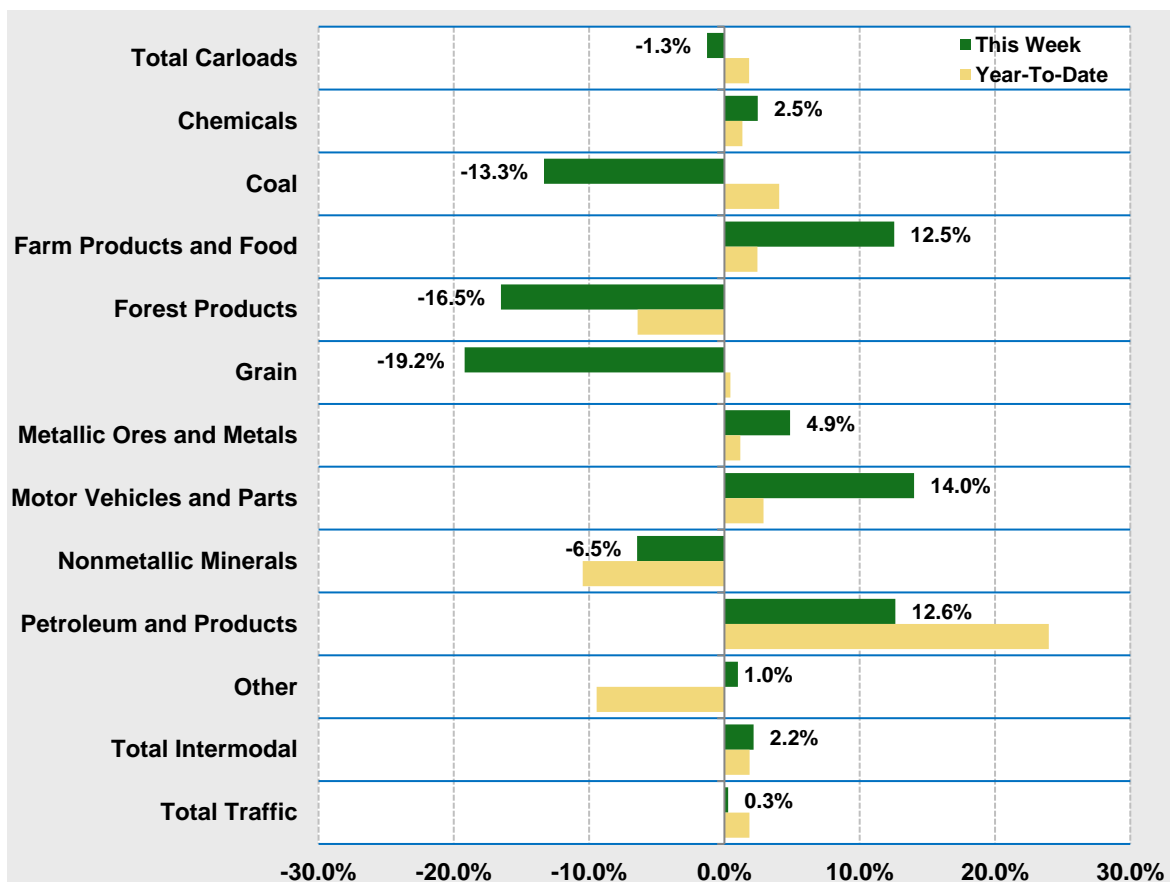
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2018	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2018
Total Carloads	85,954	-1.3%	2,875,871	82,168	1.8%
Chemicals	13,132	2.5%	433,813	12,395	1.3%
Coal	7,770	-13.3%	272,263	7,779	4.1%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	7,122	12.5%	250,249	7,150	2.4%
Forest Products	6,648	-16.5%	242,863	6,939	-6.4%
Grain	7,998	-19.2%	298,943	8,541	0.4%
Metallic Ores and Metals	17,508	4.9%	541,643	15,476	1.2%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	6,051	14.0%	189,391	5,411	2.9%
Nonmetallic Minerals	7,844	-6.5%	249,149	7,119	-10.5%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	10,267	12.6%	348,108	9,946	24.0%
Other	1,614	1.0%	49,449	1,413	-9.4%
Total Intermodal Units	74,292	2.2%	2,435,370	69,582	1.9%
Total Traffic	160,246	0.3%	5,311,241	151,750	1.8%

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Trends, 2019 vs 2018

Canada



Mexican Rail Traffic¹

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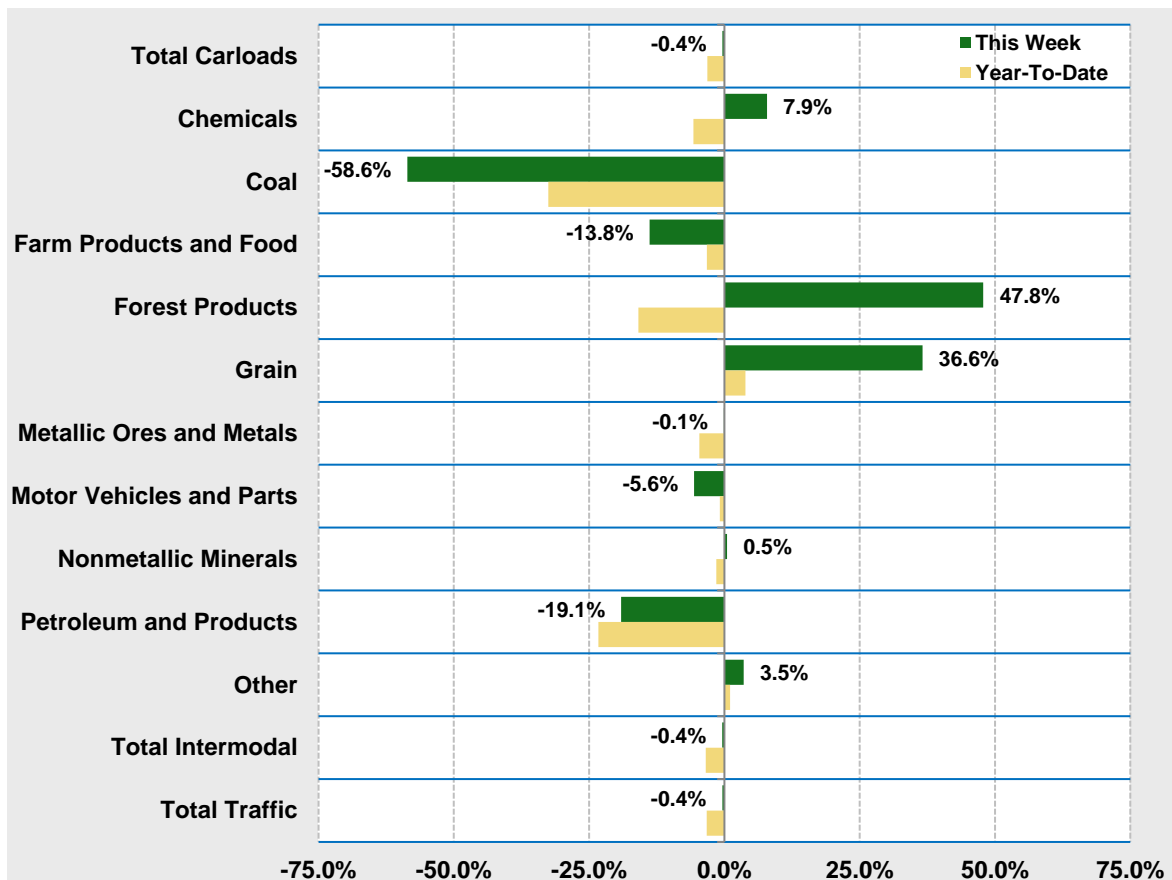
	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2018	Cumulative	Avg/wk ²	vs 2018
Total Carloads	20,626	-0.4%	712,384	20,354	-3.1%
Chemicals	1,053	7.9%	33,774	965	-5.7%
Coal	53	-58.6%	3,489	100	-32.6%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	1,856	-13.8%	71,542	2,044	-3.2%
Forest Products	34	47.8%	900	26	-15.9%
Grain	2,452	36.6%	79,011	2,257	3.9%
Metallic Ores and Metals	4,557	-0.1%	149,060	4,259	-4.6%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	4,495	-5.6%	160,929	4,598	-0.8%
Nonmetallic Minerals	4,259	0.5%	144,956	4,142	-1.5%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	962	-19.1%	30,759	879	-23.3%
Other	905	3.5%	37,964	1,085	1.0%
Total Intermodal Units	19,131	-0.4%	600,947	17,170	-3.5%
Total Traffic	39,757	-0.4%	1,313,331	37,524	-3.3%

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Trends, 2019 vs 2018

Mexico



North American Rail Traffic

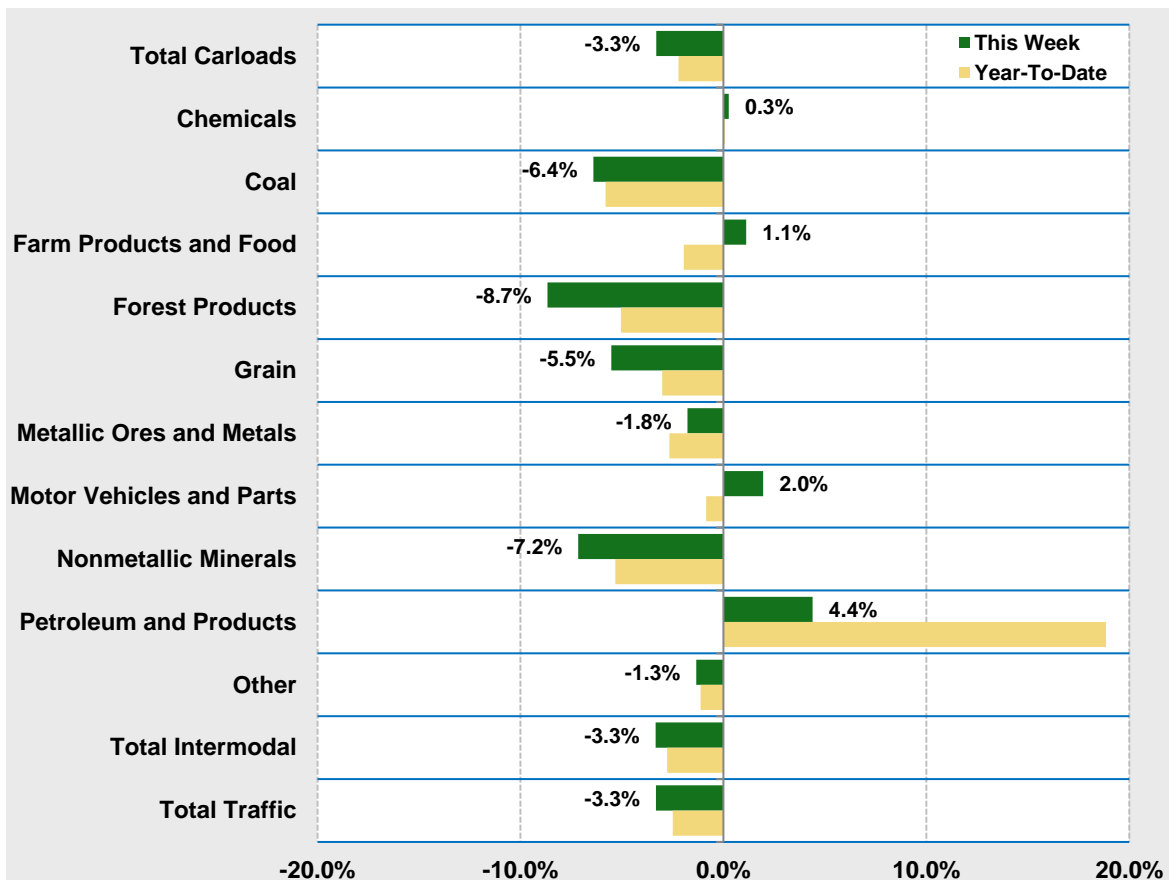
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	This Week		Year-To-Date		
	Cars	vs 2018	Cumulative	Avg/wk ¹	vs 2018
Total Carloads	375,177	-3.3%	12,459,959	355,999	-2.2%
Chemicals	47,331	0.3%	1,598,659	45,676	0.1%
Coal	94,484	-6.4%	3,017,277	86,208	-5.8%
Farm Products excl. Grain, and Food	25,106	1.1%	867,518	24,786	-2.0%
Forest Products	17,605	-8.7%	590,770	16,879	-5.1%
Grain	32,510	-5.5%	1,149,141	32,833	-3.0%
Metallic Ores and Metals	45,634	-1.8%	1,465,729	41,878	-2.7%
Motor Vehicles and Parts	27,987	2.0%	917,105	26,203	-0.8%
Nonmetallic Minerals	48,408	-7.2%	1,606,943	45,913	-5.3%
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	23,546	4.4%	824,515	23,558	18.9%
Other	12,566	-1.3%	422,302	12,066	-1.1%
Total Intermodal Units	366,771	-3.3%	12,364,760	353,279	-2.8%
Total Traffic	741,948	-3.3%	24,824,719	709,278	-2.5%

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Trends, 2019 vs 2018

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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