

1.26 OPERATIONS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS

	1950-51	1960-61	1970-71	1980-81	1990-91	1995-96	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02*
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1. Route kilometers : Electrified	0.4	0.7	3.7	5.3	10.0	12.3	13.8	14.3	14.9	N.A.
(thousand) Total	53.6	56.2	59.8	61.2	62.4	62.9	62.8	62.8	63.0	N.A.
2. Originating traffic (million tonnes)										
Revenue-earning	73.2	119.8	167.9	195.9	318.4	390.7	420.9	456.4	473.5	492.3
Total traffic	93.0	156.2	196.5	220.0	341.4	405.5	441.6	478.2	504.2	521.2
3. Goods carried (billion tonne-km.) :										
Revenue-earning	37.6	72.3	110.7	147.7	235.8	270.5	281.5	305.2	312.4	331.9
Total traffic	44.1	87.7	127.4	158.5	242.7	273.5	284.3	308.0	315.5	336.4
4. Earnings from goods carried (Rs crore)	139.3	280.5	600.7	1550.9	8247.0	15290.4	19675.8	21755.0	23045.4	24586.8
5. Average lead : all goods traffic (Km.)	470.0	561.0	648.0	720.0	711.0	675.0	644.0	644.0	626.0	645.0
6. Average rate per tonne-kilometer (paise)	3.2	3.9	5.4	10.5	35.0	55.4	69.9	71.3	73.8	73.8
7. Passengers originating (million)	1284.0	1594.0	2431.0	3613.0	3858.0	4018.0	4411.0	4585.0	4833.0	5093.0
8. Passenger kilometers (billion)	66.5	77.7	118.1	208.6	295.6	341.9	403.9	430.7	457.0	493.5
9. Passenger earnings (Rs. crore)	98.2	131.6	295.5	827.5	3144.7	6124.5	8549.9@	9581.0@	10515.1@	11196.4@
10. Average lead : passenger traffic (km.)	51.8	48.7	48.6	57.7	76.6	85.1	91.6	93.9	94.6	96.9
11. Average rate per passenger - kilometer (paise)	1.5	1.7	2.5	4.0	10.6	17.9	21.1	22.2	22.9	22.6

* Provisional. N.A. : Not Available.

@ Includes Metro Railway/Kolkata's earnings.

Source : Ministry of Railways