Transportation Safety Board of Canada

Table 1 Railway Occurrences – 2005

	2005	2004	2000-2004 Average
Accidents			
Main-Track Train Collisions	6	5	7
Main-Track Train Derailments	195	152	133
Crossings	270	237	258
Non-Main-Track Train Collisions	94	116	106
Non-Main-Track Train Derailments	538	450	392
Collisions/Derailments Involving Track Units	19	26	19
Employee/Passenger	8	12	9
Trespassers	82	99	79
Fires/Explosions	17	15	26
Other	17	26	26
Total	1246	1138	1055
Incidents			
Dangerous Goods Leaker	124	131	166
Main-Track Switch in Abnormal Position	10	12	12
Movement Exceeds Limits of Authority	89	90	96
Runaway Rolling Stock	16	11	12
Others	5	8	14
Total	244	252	300
Million Train-Miles*	95.80	92.60	90.40
Accidents/Million Train-Miles	13.04	12.29	11.67
Accidents Involving Dangerous Goods			
Main-Track Train Derailments	34	37	29
Crossings	15	11	8
Non-Main-Track Train Collisions	45	44	44
Non-Main-Track Train Derailments	112	106	130
All Others	9	10	10
Total	215	208	222
Accidents with a Dangerous Good Release	6	6	6
Accidents Involving Passenger Trains	84	79	68
Fatalities			
Crossings	38	25	35
Trespassers	63	68	55
All Others	2	8	3
Total	103	101	93
Serious Injuries			
Crossings	53	50	45
Trespassers	18	33	24
All Others	6	10	12
Total	77	93	81

Train-miles are estimated. (Source: Transport Canada)

Figures are preliminary as of January 26, 2006.

All five-year averages have been rounded. The totals sometimes do not coincide with the sum of these averages.