Table RA4: Average Monthly Train Velocity, by Rail Carrier, 2023

	Average Train Speed (Kilometres per Hour)											
CPKC												
	January	**February**	**March**	**April**	**May**	**June**	**July**	**August**	**September**	**October**	**November**	**December**
Intermodal	34.9	33.4	34.2	36.5	36.9	36.6	36.5	35.5	34.9	37.8	39.0	37.3
Manifest	24.9	23.8	22.7	26.6	28.1	26.0	26.4	24.4	24.1	25.3	27.0	25.7
Coal Unit	31.2	28.9	31.2	32.3	32.3	29.8	33.1	30.2	29.4	29.6	31.6	31.4
Grain Unit	26.9	25.6	26.3	28.1	28.4	26.0	29.4	26.2	25.5	26.9	28.9	27.6
All Trains	28.2	26.9	26.9	29.1	30.3	29.2	30.1	28.5	27.6	29.0	30.6	29.6
CN												
	January	**February**	**March**	**April**	**May**	**June**	**July**	**August**	**September**	**October**	**November**	**December**
Intermodal	36.5	35.9	37.1	35.8	36.1	34.9	37.5	35.6	36.2	36.1	36.2	36.1
Manifest	32.3	31.7	32.3	31.6	32.1	31.2	31.5	30.5	31.8	31.3	31.5	31.8
Coal Unit	30.8	29.0	27.8	29.4	29.7	30.6	30.7	27.7	28.7	28.7	27.9	27.7
Grain Unit	29.9	28.0	28.3	27.4	28.0	27.3	28.9	26.7	26.9	26.7	27.1	28.5
All Trains	32.8	31.8	32.5	31.8	32.5	31.8	32.2	31.2	31.9	31.2	31.5	32.0

Notes and Sources

Notes: CPKC = Canadian Pacific Kansas City Railway. CN = Canadian National.

Train velocity measures the line-haul movement from origin to destination. The average velocity is calculated by dividing train-kilometres by total hours operated, excluding yard and local trains, passenger trains, maintenance of way trains. Weekly kilometres per hour are averaged to produce a monthly estimate.

Data and methodlogy have been revised at source.

Sources: Transport Canada, Statistics Canada Table 23-10-0276-01