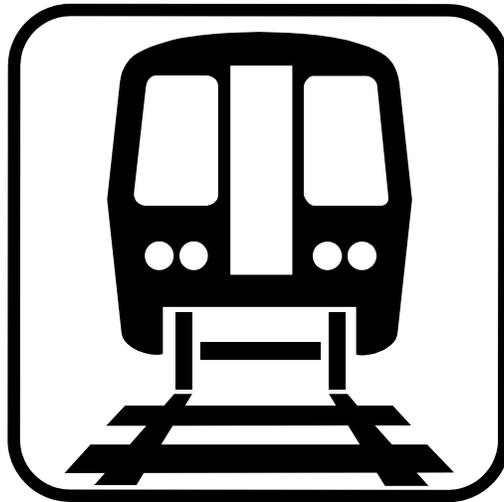


Rail Ridership by Branch and Entrance

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How to read this report

This report shows many customers use the CTA rail system. The report has two sections: Ridership by Branch, and Ridership by Entrance.

How are customers counted?

A customer is counted each time he or she passes through a turnstile to enter a station. Customers are not counted when they make a free transfer from one rail line to another, since they don't pass through a turnstile. Nor are customers counted when they leave a station, even if they leave through a turnstile.

Some CTA stations serve more than one line. The report does not show the number of customers boarding each line at such stations, simply the total number of customers who entered the station. For example, even though Howard station is reported as part of the Red Line, customers also enter at Howard to ride the Purple and Yellow Lines. The report shows the number of customers who entered at Howard but does not distinguish which lines they boarded.

Ridership by Branch

The CTA system consists of several branches. Ridership on each branch is reported in this section. Some branches, such as the Congress Branch, are part of a particular line (Blue Line, in this case). Other branches, such as the Loop, are part of multiple lines.

Ridership by Entrance

Ridership at each station is shown in this section. For stations with more than one entrance, the entrances are reported individually along with the station total.

How do I compare this year to last year?

When comparing one year to another, it is best to use the weekday, Saturday, and Sunday averages rather than the monthly totals. The monthly totals are affected by the number of weekdays, Saturdays, and Sundays in the month, which can vary from year to year. For example, September 2000 and 1999 had the following breakdown of days:

	1999	2000
Weekdays	21	20
Saturdays	4	5
Sundays	5	5

Note that September of 1999 had one more weekday than September 2000 and one fewer Saturday. Since weekdays typically have much higher ridership than Saturdays, September 1999 would have a higher monthly ridership than September 2000, all other things being equal. Averaging corrects for this problem.

What if I want to compare past years?

The CTA produces two reports with historic rail ridership:

Weekday Traffic Trends shows average weekday ridership for each station for each year going back to 1976.

Annual Rail Traffic shows total annual ridership for each station for each year going back to 1979. (The years 1979-1998 are in report PSP-x99026. 1986-1999 are in report PSP-x00031.)

To obtain copies of these reports please contact Data Services and Development.

Holidays

The following holidays are reported as Sundays:

- New Year's Day
- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day

All other holidays are reported as the type of day they fall on.

Why does it appear that there is ridership on the Douglas Branch on Saturday? Isn't it closed?

Although the Douglas Branch is closed on weekends, the Friday service extends past midnight. Those customers who enter a station after midnight on Friday (that is, on Saturday) are reported as Saturday entries.

February 2004 Notes

The following factors influenced February 2004 rail ridership.

54th/Cermak ☺ – Blue Line

Opened August 18th, 2003, after 18 months of reconstruction. The station has 3 entrances: one main entrance called 54th/Cermak ☺ and two auxiliary entrances, 54th Ave. and Laramie.

Sox/35th ☺ Construction

Effective October 25, 2002, the 35th Street entrance at the Sox/35th ☺ Red Line station was closed for construction. The 35th Street entrance reopened on April 4, 2003. During that period, only the 33rd Street entrance was open for passenger traffic.

Near South Transfer Tunnel at State/Roosevelt ☺

Construction of the Near South Transfer Tunnel at State/Roosevelt ☺, which connects the Red Line subway with the Orange and Green elevated lines, was completed in December 2002. Though transfers between stations are not included in this report, it may be assumed that transfers have affected station entrance totals.

Kostner Station ☺ (54th/Cermak – Blue Line) Opens

Opened July 17, 2003 (formerly known as Kildare). The station's main entrance is located on Kostner between Cullerton and 21st Streets, with an auxiliary farecard/Chicago Card entrance located on Kildare.

Weather Information Added

As of April 2003, average temperatures by day type will be included in the report. The information can be found on page 4.

Calendar and Weather Information

	2003	2004
Days in Month		
Weekdays	20	20
Saturdays	4	4
Sundays	4	5
Average Temperatures (F°)		
Weekdays	23.4	27.4
Saturdays	26.3	29.8
Sundays	23.8	26.4

Ridership by Branch

Line	Branch		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Red Line							
	North Main	2003	102,649	70,312	49,380	2,531,739	5,190,565
		2004	101,621	73,665	48,022	2,567,199	5,161,189
		Change	-1%	+5%	-3%	+1%	-1%
	State Subway	2003	43,652	18,468	11,293	992,077	2,051,407
		2004	41,943	18,057	9,869	960,441	1,906,507
		Change	-4%	-2%	-13%	-3%	-7%
	Dan Ryan	2003	47,787	31,400	21,291	1,166,494	2,381,916
		2004	48,629	32,506	21,810	1,211,644	2,406,431
		Change	+2%	+4%	+2%	+4%	+1%
	Line Total	2003	194,087	120,180	81,964	4,690,310	9,623,888
		2004	192,193	124,228	79,701	4,739,284	9,474,127
		Change	-1%	+3%	-3%	+1%	-2%
Purple Line							
	Evanston	2003	9,491	5,932	3,580	227,870	467,472
		2004	9,504	6,447	3,453	233,137	468,762
		Change	0%	+9%	-4%	+2%	0%
Yellow Line							
	Skokie	2003	2,380	0	0	47,604	99,096
		2004	2,205	0	0	44,108	87,825
		Change	-7%	N/A	N/A	-7%	-11%

Line	Branch		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Blue Line							
	O'Hare	2003	59,659	28,046	21,630	1,391,874	2,874,377
		2004	60,605	31,041	22,752	1,450,018	2,895,731
		Change	+2%	+11%	+5%	+4%	+1%
	Dearborn Subway	2003	24,363	6,348	3,831	527,972	1,115,121
		2004	23,976	7,035	3,927	527,304	1,041,042
		Change	-2%	+11%	+3%	0%	-7%
	Congress	2003	25,068	10,502	6,930	571,083	1,151,631
		2004	25,195	11,294	7,053	584,332	1,152,448
		Change	+1%	+8%	+2%	+2%	0%
	Douglas	2003	7,513	20	0	150,338	307,245
		2004	8,113	29	4	162,402	315,465
		Change	+8%	+44%	N/A	+8%	+3%
	Line Total	2003	116,602	44,916	32,390	2,641,267	5,448,374
		2004	117,889	49,398	33,737	2,724,056	5,404,686
		Change	+1%	+10%	+4%	+3%	-1%
Green Line							
	Lake	2003	19,204	9,110	5,989	444,471	917,496
		2004	19,091	9,934	6,265	452,882	895,506
		Change	-1%	+9%	+5%	+2%	-2%
	South Elevated	2003	6,659	3,879	2,466	158,551	321,939
		2004	6,125	3,763	2,353	149,313	296,215
		Change	-8%	-3%	-5%	-6%	-8%
	East 63rd	2003	2,021	1,076	715	47,574	97,338
		2004	1,719	990	669	41,685	83,387
		Change	-15%	-8%	-6%	-12%	-14%
	Ashland	2003	2,459	1,429	939	58,658	120,720
		2004	2,237	1,210	847	53,810	107,022
		Change	-9%	-15%	-10%	-8%	-11%
	Line Total	2003	30,342	15,493	10,109	709,254	1,457,493
		2004	29,172	15,896	10,134	697,690	1,382,130
		Change	-4%	+3%	0%	-2%	-5%

Line	Branch		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Brown Line							
	Ravenswood	2003	45,207	18,946	10,943	1,023,692	2,124,932
		2004	44,118	20,793	11,855	1,024,813	2,083,264
		Change	-2%	+10%	+8%	0%	-2%
Orange Line							
	Midway	2003	27,332	10,323	7,249	616,927	1,258,845
		2004	28,236	12,369	8,240	655,401	1,301,283
		Change	+3%	+20%	+14%	+6%	+3%
Loop Elevated							
	Loop	2003	57,665	14,523	8,815	1,246,657	2,583,611
		2004	55,808	16,255	9,566	1,229,014	2,454,622
		Change	-3%	+12%	+9%	-1%	-5%
System Total							
		2003	483,107	230,313	155,049	11,203,581	23,063,711
		2004	479,127	245,386	156,686	11,347,503	22,656,699
		Change	-1%	+7%	+1%	+1%	-2%

Ridership by Entrance

Red Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: North Main		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Howard	2003	5,580	3,606	2,422	135,719	281,783
	2004	5,650	3,766	2,514	140,625	281,724
	Change	+1%	+4%	+4%	+4%	0%
Jarvis	2003	1,454	976	717	35,849	72,477
	2004	1,385	1,024	709	35,350	71,802
	Change	-5%	+5%	-1%	-1%	-1%
Morse						
Morse	2003	3,041	2,014	1,475	74,777	152,910
	2004	2,869	1,996	1,466	72,691	146,739
	Change	-6%	-1%	-1%	-3%	-4%
Lunt	2003	1,104	731	578	27,315	56,645
	2004	1,061	667	515	26,455	51,931
	Change	-4%	-9%	-11%	-3%	-8%
Station Total	2003	4,145	2,745	2,053	102,092	209,555
	2004	3,929	2,662	1,982	99,146	198,670
	Change	-5%	-3%	-3%	-3%	-5%
Loyola &	2003	5,089	3,665	2,374	125,925	250,327
	2004	5,109	3,737	2,306	128,657	259,677
	Change	0%	+2%	-3%	+2%	+4%
Granville &	2003	3,425	2,539	1,798	85,844	173,275
	2004	3,402	2,540	1,669	86,541	174,109
	Change	-1%	0%	-7%	+1%	0%
Thorndale	2003	2,888	1,783	1,307	70,119	143,466
	2004	2,803	1,753	1,255	69,353	139,171
	Change	-3%	-2%	-4%	-1%	-3%
Bryn Mawr	2003	4,398	2,707	2,002	106,790	220,130
	2004	4,359	2,807	1,964	108,222	216,006
	Change	-1%	+4%	-2%	+1%	-2%
Berwyn	2003	3,508	2,314	1,768	86,491	177,447
	2004	3,439	2,406	1,683	86,812	174,403
	Change	-2%	+4%	-5%	0%	-2%
Argyle	2003	2,596	1,846	1,364	64,753	134,082
	2004	2,520	1,768	1,281	63,885	129,768
	Change	-3%	-4%	-6%	-1%	-3%

Red Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: North Main		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Lawrence	2003	2,599	1,679	1,305	63,906	131,692
	2004	2,633	1,775	1,268	66,107	131,916
	Change	+1%	+6%	-3%	+3%	0%
Wilson						
Wilson	2003	2,854	2,080	1,387	70,947	144,515
	2004	2,629	1,959	1,231	66,577	134,515
	Change	-8%	-6%	-11%	-6%	-7%
South	2003	2,756	1,345	750	63,493	120,380
	2004	2,573	1,297	719	60,250	117,188
	Change	-7%	-4%	-4%	-5%	-3%
Station Total	2003	5,610	3,425	2,137	134,440	264,895
	2004	5,203	3,256	1,950	126,827	251,703
	Change	-7%	-5%	-9%	-6%	-5%
Sheridan	2003	4,571	2,743	1,918	110,068	225,607
	2004	4,289	2,765	1,823	105,955	212,875
	Change	-6%	+1%	-5%	-4%	-6%
Addison &	2003	5,115	3,405	2,353	125,325	255,400
	2004	5,251	3,755	2,551	132,788	261,964
	Change	+3%	+10%	+8%	+6%	+3%
Belmont	2003	9,317	7,273	5,030	235,552	483,420
	2004	9,413	8,070	5,162	246,343	487,866
	Change	+1%	+11%	+3%	+5%	+1%
Fullerton	2003	10,803	5,758	3,939	254,850	525,415
	2004	10,963	6,490	4,409	267,266	535,317
	Change	+1%	+13%	+12%	+5%	+2%
North/Clybourn	2003	3,600	2,943	2,117	92,242	191,775
	2004	3,705	3,206	2,009	96,966	195,433
	Change	+3%	+9%	-5%	+5%	+2%
Clark/Division	2003	6,604	4,922	3,531	165,898	336,417
	2004	6,714	4,969	3,203	170,170	342,059
	Change	+2%	+1%	-9%	+3%	+2%
Chicago &	2003	12,866	9,732	6,926	323,950	671,264
	2004	12,514	10,293	6,086	321,893	651,645
	Change	-3%	+6%	-12%	-1%	-3%

Red Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: North Main		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Grand	2003	8,482	6,252	4,321	211,926	442,138
	2004	8,341	6,624	4,197	214,293	445,081
	Change	-2%	+6%	-3%	+1%	+1%

Red Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: State Subway		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Lake &						
Lake-Randolph	2003	9,564	4,732	3,135	222,749	453,718
	2004	8,924	4,339	2,673	209,200	417,926
	Change	-7%	-8%	-15%	-6%	-8%
Randolph-Washington (North) &	2003	3,454	1,493	828	78,364	162,805
	2004	3,468	1,537	775	79,379	160,992
	Change	0%	+3%	-6%	+1%	-1%
Station Total	2003	13,018	6,225	3,963	301,113	616,523
	2004	12,392	5,876	3,447	288,579	578,918
	Change	-5%	-6%	-13%	-4%	-6%
Washington &						
Randolph-Washington (South) &	2003	1,952	788	493	44,155	93,227
	2004	1,870	728	418	42,401	85,078
	Change	-4%	-8%	-15%	-4%	-9%
Washington-Madison	2003	5,217	1,989	1,121	116,783	239,388
	2004	5,920	2,659	1,304	135,551	271,051
	Change	+13%	+34%	+16%	+16%	+13%
Station Total	2003	7,169	2,777	1,614	160,938	332,615
	2004	7,790	3,386	1,722	177,952	356,129
	Change	+9%	+22%	+7%	+11%	+7%
Monroe						
Madison-Monroe	2003	2,835	1,069	614	63,421	129,058
	2004	2,530	1,180	559	58,105	110,473
	Change	-11%	+10%	-9%	-8%	-14%
Monroe-Adams	2003	3,627	1,523	830	81,950	167,518
	2004	3,791	1,422	741	85,207	168,022
	Change	+5%	-7%	-11%	+4%	0%
Station Total	2003	6,461	2,592	1,444	145,371	296,576
	2004	6,320	2,602	1,299	143,312	278,495
	Change	-2%	0%	-10%	-1%	-6%

Red Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: State Subway		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Jackson ♿						
Adams-Jackson ♿	2003	6,278	2,041	1,127	138,229	313,062
	2004	5,043	1,696	823	111,753	224,558
	Change	-20%	-17%	-27%	-19%	-28%
Jackson-Van Buren ♿	2003	5,339	1,726	974	117,573	233,817
	2004	5,685	1,689	844	124,670	244,863
	Change	+6%	-2%	-13%	+6%	+5%
Station Total	2003	11,617	3,766	2,101	255,802	546,879
	2004	10,727	3,385	1,667	236,423	469,421
	Change	-8%	-10%	-21%	-8%	-14%
Harrison	2003	2,621	1,340	839	61,141	118,847
	2004	2,753	1,505	869	65,431	123,118
	Change	+5%	+12%	+4%	+7%	+4%
Roosevelt ♿	2003	2,765	1,769	1,333	67,712	139,967
	2004	1,960	1,304	865	48,744	100,426
	Change	-29%	-26%	-35%	-28%	-28%

Red Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Dan Ryan		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Cermak-Chinatown	2003	2,932	3,691	2,145	81,980	157,426
	2004	2,978	3,272	2,001	82,644	159,983
	Change	+2%	-11%	-7%	+1%	+2%
Sox-35th &						
35th &	2003	2,478	1,448	977	59,267	119,960
	2004	2,591	1,564	1,019	63,161	125,272
	Change	+5%	+8%	+4%	+7%	+4%
33rd	2003					
	2004	546	359	227	13,487	25,314
	Change	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Station Total	2003	2,478	1,448	977	59,267	119,960
	2004	3,136	1,923	1,246	76,648	150,586
	Change	+27%	+33%	+28%	+29%	+26%
47th	2003	2,948	1,917	1,458	72,462	147,826
	2004	2,899	1,975	1,340	72,577	144,738
	Change	-2%	+3%	-8%	0%	-2%
Garfield	2003	3,938	2,878	1,815	97,524	198,210
	2004	3,983	2,969	1,883	100,954	202,204
	Change	+1%	+3%	+4%	+4%	+2%
63rd	2003	3,302	2,258	1,732	82,000	168,577
	2004	3,237	2,396	1,752	83,076	165,230
	Change	-2%	+6%	+1%	+1%	-2%
69th	2003	6,096	3,931	2,652	148,244	303,311
	2004	6,111	4,155	2,793	152,806	304,527
	Change	0%	+6%	+5%	+3%	0%

Red Line

Branch: Dan Ryan

		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
79th ♿						
79th ♿	2003	4,691	2,697	1,952	112,405	236,300
	2004	4,417	2,568	1,797	107,603	216,430
	Change	-6%	-5%	-8%	-4%	-8%
Platform						
	2003	2,865	2,216	1,540	72,318	147,297
	2004	3,052	2,526	1,792	80,103	158,314
	Change	+7%	+14%	+16%	+11%	+7%
Station Total						
	2003	7,555	4,913	3,491	184,723	383,597
	2004	7,469	5,095	3,588	187,706	374,744
	Change	-1%	+4%	+3%	+2%	-2%
87th						
	2003	5,026	3,199	2,077	121,622	248,000
	2004	5,089	3,294	2,042	125,159	247,369
	Change	+1%	+3%	-2%	+3%	0%
95th ♿						
	2003	13,511	7,167	4,945	318,672	655,009
	2004	13,727	7,428	5,166	330,074	657,050
	Change	+2%	+4%	+4%	+4%	0%

Purple Line Branch: Evanston		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Linden 	2003	970	406	226	21,931	46,123
	2004	965	416	232	22,133	45,014
	Change	0%	+3%	+3%	+1%	-2%
Central	2003	925	390	230	20,984	43,139
	2004	899	471	243	21,079	42,065
	Change	-3%	+21%	+5%	0%	-2%
Noyes	2003	638	466	245	15,594	31,237
	2004	667	536	237	16,679	32,947
	Change	+5%	+15%	-3%	+7%	+5%
Foster	2003	654	388	234	15,576	31,800
	2004	678	458	244	16,600	32,811
	Change	+4%	+18%	+4%	+7%	+3%
Davis 	2003	3,616	2,841	1,684	90,417	184,349
	2004	3,621	3,007	1,622	92,548	186,204
	Change	0%	+6%	-4%	+2%	+1%
Dempster	2003	678	455	357	16,810	34,296
	2004	692	524	333	17,611	35,783
	Change	+2%	+15%	-7%	+5%	+4%
Main	2003	1,219	619	387	28,396	59,000
	2004	1,200	685	371	28,603	57,711
	Change	-1%	+11%	-4%	+1%	-2%
South Boulevard	2003	791	367	217	18,162	37,528
	2004	782	350	171	17,884	36,227
	Change	-1%	-5%	-21%	-2%	-3%

Yellow Line
Branch: Skokie

	Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD	
Skokie ♿	2003	2,380	0	0	47,604	99,096
	2004	2,205	0	0	44,108	87,825
	Change	-7%	N/A	N/A	-7%	-11%

Blue Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: O'Hare		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
O'Hare Airport 	2003	7,360	5,338	6,103	192,959	409,947
	2004	7,462	5,848	6,128	203,264	413,571
	Change	+1%	+10%	0%	+5%	+1%
Rosemont 	2003	4,565	2,026	1,377	104,905	214,416
	2004	4,488	2,256	1,616	106,853	210,954
	Change	-2%	+11%	+17%	+2%	-2%
Cumberland 	2003	4,670	1,630	1,165	104,579	213,880
	2004	4,756	1,946	1,249	109,151	216,595
	Change	+2%	+19%	+7%	+4%	+1%
Harlem 	2003	2,665	1,032	648	60,021	123,895
	2004	2,765	1,089	666	62,982	125,394
	Change	+4%	+6%	+3%	+5%	+1%
Jefferson Park 	2003	5,967	2,467	1,753	136,221	284,481
	2004	6,006	2,689	1,835	140,060	281,670
	Change	+1%	+9%	+5%	+3%	-1%
Montrose	2003	1,791	692	494	40,565	83,720
	2004	1,778	718	491	40,891	82,476
	Change	-1%	+4%	-1%	+1%	-1%
Irving Park	2003	2,639	1,260	830	61,139	125,812
	2004	2,678	1,323	860	63,148	125,437
	Change	+1%	+5%	+4%	+3%	0%
Pulaski	2003	815	360	264	18,802	39,442
	2004	823	367	282	19,344	38,502
	Change	+1%	+2%	+7%	+3%	-2%
Station Total	2003	3,454	1,620	1,094	79,941	165,254
	2004	3,501	1,690	1,142	82,492	163,939
	Change	+1%	+4%	+4%	+3%	-1%
Addison	2003	2,346	804	520	52,214	106,656
	2004	2,339	888	580	53,238	105,476
	Change	0%	+11%	+12%	+2%	-1%
Belmont	2003	4,213	2,136	1,530	98,926	203,223
	2004	4,218	2,263	1,589	101,351	203,418
	Change	0%	+6%	+4%	+2%	0%

Blue Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: O'Hare		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Logan Square &						
Kedzie &	2003	3,814	1,884	1,295	88,996	183,956
	2004	3,859	2,016	1,298	91,733	183,369
	Change	+1%	+7%	0%	+3%	0%
Spaulding	2003	656	318	213	15,248	30,520
	2004	722	389	246	17,223	33,265
	Change	+10%	+22%	+15%	+13%	+9%
Station Total	2003	4,470	2,202	1,508	104,244	214,476
	2004	4,581	2,405	1,544	108,956	216,634
	Change	+2%	+9%	+2%	+5%	+1%
California	2003	2,855	1,367	958	66,403	136,491
	2004	2,961	1,560	986	70,390	139,351
	Change	+4%	+14%	+3%	+6%	+2%
Western &	2003	3,241	1,445	941	74,355	152,980
	2004	3,402	1,643	999	79,615	157,291
	Change	+5%	+14%	+6%	+7%	+3%
Damen	2003	4,048	1,900	1,370	94,036	192,188
	2004	4,160	2,223	1,447	99,321	196,071
	Change	+3%	+17%	+6%	+6%	+2%
Division	2003	4,402	2,004	1,282	101,188	206,884
	2004	4,444	2,228	1,399	104,789	209,062
	Change	+1%	+11%	+9%	+4%	+1%
Chicago	2003	2,492	913	577	55,789	113,510
	2004	2,505	1,010	706	57,665	114,674
	Change	+1%	+11%	+22%	+3%	+1%
Grand	2003	1,120	472	312	25,528	52,376
	2004	1,238	587	377	29,000	59,155
	Change	+11%	+24%	+21%	+14%	+13%

Blue Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Dearborn Subway		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		

Washington

Randolph-Washington	2003	6,073	1,858	1,130	133,411	276,262
	2004	6,110	2,191	1,218	137,060	271,507
	Change	+1%	+18%	+8%	+3%	-2%
Washington-Madison	2003	2,783	664	371	59,790	123,444
	2004	2,844	972	499	63,267	124,174
	Change	+2%	+46%	+35%	+6%	+1%
Station Total	2003	8,856	2,523	1,500	193,201	399,706
	2004	8,955	3,163	1,717	200,327	395,681
	Change	+1%	+25%	+14%	+4%	-1%

Monroe

Madison-Monroe	2003	2,807	692	385	60,457	121,909
	2004	2,600	651	364	56,418	110,021
	Change	-7%	-6%	-5%	-7%	-10%
Monroe-Adams	2003	2,786	533	339	59,200	122,623
	2004	2,938	626	383	63,188	124,124
	Change	+5%	+17%	+13%	+7%	+1%
Station Total	2003	5,593	1,226	724	119,657	244,532
	2004	5,538	1,276	747	119,606	234,145
	Change	-1%	+4%	+3%	0%	-4%

Jackson &

Adams-Jackson &	2003	4,786	1,439	912	105,130	249,098
	2004	4,365	1,214	672	95,514	192,393
	Change	-9%	-16%	-26%	-9%	-23%
Jackson-Van Buren	2003	2,700	687	405	58,371	117,508
	2004	2,670	794	452	58,833	114,268
	Change	-1%	+15%	+12%	+1%	-3%
Station Total	2003	7,486	2,127	1,317	163,501	366,606
	2004	7,035	2,007	1,124	154,347	306,661
	Change	-6%	-6%	-15%	-6%	-16%

LaSalle

2003	2,428	474	291	51,613	104,277
2004	2,449	588	339	53,024	104,555
Change	+1%	+24%	+17%	+3%	0%

Blue Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Congress		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Clinton	2003	2,563	821	675	57,251	118,574
	2004	2,659	883	662	60,017	121,561
	Change	+4%	+7%	-2%	+5%	+3%
UIC-Halsted ♿						
Halsted	2003	1,266	750	486	30,265	60,580
	2004	1,238	791	503	30,440	59,089
	Change	-2%	+5%	+3%	+1%	-2%
Peoria	2003	3,666	516	326	76,677	141,155
	2004	3,475	535	315	73,205	132,892
	Change	-5%	+4%	-3%	-5%	-6%
Morgan ♿	2003	1,093	150	87	22,802	41,578
	2004	1,127	192	87	23,737	43,289
	Change	+3%	+28%	+1%	+4%	+4%
Station Total	2003	6,024	1,416	898	129,744	243,313
	2004	5,839	1,517	905	127,382	235,270
	Change	-3%	+7%	+1%	-2%	-3%
Racine						
Racine	2003	1,050	481	253	23,934	49,614
	2004	1,007	506	266	23,497	48,170
	Change	-4%	+5%	+5%	-2%	-3%
Loomis	2003	1,242	420	239	27,468	56,267
	2004	1,326	470	235	29,580	59,598
	Change	+7%	+12%	-1%	+8%	+6%
Station Total	2003	2,292	901	492	51,402	105,881
	2004	2,333	975	502	53,077	107,768
	Change	+2%	+8%	+2%	+3%	+2%

Blue Line
Branch: Congress

		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Medical Center &						
Ogden	2003	1,484	807	505	34,935	71,973
	2004	1,572	895	478	37,414	74,729
	Change	+6%	+11%	-5%	+7%	+4%
Paulina	2003	243	152	118	5,940	12,127
	2004	272	180	112	6,711	13,324
	Change	+12%	+18%	-5%	+13%	+10%
Damen &	2003	432	252	138	10,197	20,910
	2004	477	283	174	11,535	22,595
	Change	+10%	+12%	+27%	+13%	+8%
Station Total	2003	2,160	1,211	760	51,072	105,010
	2004	2,321	1,357	764	55,660	110,648
	Change	+7%	+12%	+1%	+9%	+5%
Western	2003	934	756	468	23,572	47,602
	2004	978	685	437	24,490	48,976
	Change	+5%	-9%	-7%	+4%	+3%
Kedzie-Homan &						
Kedzie &	2003	635	406	276	15,422	32,306
	2004	644	436	288	16,069	32,362
	Change	+2%	+7%	+5%	+4%	0%
Homan &	2003	911	519	363	21,747	44,981
	2004	840	565	370	20,904	41,877
	Change	-8%	+9%	+2%	-4%	-7%
Station Total	2003	1,546	925	638	37,169	77,287
	2004	1,484	1,001	658	36,973	74,239
	Change	-4%	+8%	+3%	-1%	-4%
Pulaski	2003	1,214	870	642	30,322	62,182
	2004	1,218	937	687	31,543	64,324
	Change	0%	+8%	+7%	+4%	+3%
Cicero	2003	990	733	488	24,675	50,872
	2004	987	803	533	25,614	50,987
	Change	0%	+9%	+9%	+4%	0%

Blue Line Branch: Congress		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Austin						
Austin	2003	1,256	648	418	29,381	60,346
	2004	1,201	650	402	28,621	57,189
	Change	-4%	0%	-4%	-3%	-5%
Lombard	2003	361	84	50	7,753	15,817
	2004	387	88	53	8,364	16,295
	Change	+7%	+5%	+7%	+8%	+3%
Station Total	2003	1,617	732	468	37,134	76,163
	2004	1,588	738	455	36,985	73,484
	Change	-2%	+1%	-3%	0%	-4%
Oak Park						
Oak Park	2003	1,075	382	230	23,942	49,278
	2004	1,089	427	244	24,715	49,705
	Change	+1%	+12%	+6%	+3%	+1%
East	2003	314	58	34	6,640	13,538
	2004	328	64	33	6,979	13,705
	Change	+5%	+9%	-4%	+5%	+1%
Station Total	2003	1,388	440	264	30,582	62,816
	2004	1,417	491	277	31,694	63,410
	Change	+2%	+11%	+5%	+4%	+1%
Harlem	2003	790	417	288	18,626	38,041
	2004	768	508	306	18,923	37,168
	Change	-3%	+22%	+7%	+2%	-2%
Forest Park &	2003	3,550	1,280	852	79,534	163,890
	2004	3,602	1,401	867	81,974	164,613
	Change	+1%	+9%	+2%	+3%	0%

Blue Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Douglas		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Polk 	2003	2,707	8	0	54,175	109,299
	2004	2,818	11	4	56,426	110,071
	Change	+4%	+38%	N/A	+4%	+1%
18th 	2003	941	3	0	18,822	38,466
	2004	892	3	0	17,860	35,860
	Change	-5%	+30%	N/A	-5%	-7%
Hoyne	2003	341	1	0	6,823	14,420
	2004	344	1	0	6,880	13,854
	Change	+1%	-33%	N/A	+1%	-4%
Western	2003	532	0	0	10,636	21,438
	2004	497	1	0	9,937	19,834
	Change	-7%	+300%	N/A	-7%	-7%
California	2003	493	0	0	9,857	20,398
	2004	508	1	0	10,167	20,013
	Change	+3%	+200%	N/A	+3%	-2%
Kedzie	2003	133	2	0	2,664	5,541
	2004	162	1	0	3,233	5,983
	Change	+22%	-67%	N/A	+21%	+8%
Central Park	2003	161	1	0	3,218	6,648
	2004	309	2	0	6,180	8,972
	Change	+92%	+80%	N/A	+92%	+35%
Pulaski	2003	231	0	0	4,619	9,944
	2004	385	1	0	7,700	14,425
	Change	+67%	+300%	N/A	+67%	+45%
Kostner 	2003					
	2004					
	Change					
Kostner 	2003	193	0	0	3,851	8,115
	2004	176	2	0	3,519	6,842
	Change	-9%	+700%	N/A	-9%	-16%
Kildare	2003					
	2004	100	1	0	2,000	3,866
	Change	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Station Total	2003	193	0	0	3,851	8,115
	2004	275	3	0	5,519	10,708
	Change	+43%	+900%	N/A	+43%	+32%

Blue Line Branch: Douglas		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Cicero &	2003	614	2	0	12,294	25,275
	2004	624	4	0	12,492	24,932
	Change	+2%	+75%	N/A	+2%	-1%
54th/Cermak &						
54/Cermak &	2003	1,168	3	0	23,379	47,701
	2004	604	2	0	12,077	24,079
	Change	-48%	-54%	N/A	-48%	-50%
54th Ave	2003					
	2004	170	1	0	3,408	6,703
	Change	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Laramie	2003					
	2004	526	0	0	10,523	20,031
	Change	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Center Platform	2003					
	2004					
	Change	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Station Total	2003	1,168	3	0	23,379	47,701
	2004	1,300	3	0	26,008	50,813
	Change	+11%	-8%	N/A	+11%	+7%

Green Line
Branch: Lake

		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Harlem &						
Harlem	2003	1,764	996	626	41,772	85,780
	2004	1,733	1,084	630	42,144	84,039
	Change	-2%	+9%	+1%	+1%	-2%
Marion &						
Marion &	2003	1,320	559	367	30,094	62,196
	2004	1,366	615	366	31,605	62,440
	Change	+3%	+10%	0%	+5%	0%
Station Total						
Station Total	2003	3,084	1,555	993	71,866	147,976
	2004	3,099	1,699	996	73,749	146,479
	Change	0%	+9%	0%	+3%	-1%
Oak Park						
Oak Park	2003	1,339	530	342	30,275	62,499
	2004	1,294	612	362	30,131	59,712
	Change	-3%	+15%	+6%	0%	-4%
Ridgeland						
Ridgeland	2003	1,278	382	218	27,955	57,923
	2004	1,273	418	238	28,318	56,884
	Change	0%	+10%	+9%	+1%	-2%
Austin						
Austin	2003	1,884	868	571	43,441	89,154
	2004	1,857	923	581	43,726	87,357
	Change	-1%	+6%	+2%	+1%	-2%
Central &						
Central &	2003	2,254	1,213	885	53,463	110,151
	2004	2,163	1,310	861	52,810	104,877
	Change	-4%	+8%	-3%	-1%	-5%
Laramie &						
Laramie &	2003	1,222	682	409	28,806	59,663
	2004	1,225	723	483	29,808	58,763
	Change	0%	+6%	+18%	+3%	-2%
Cicero &						
Cicero &	2003	1,229	699	481	29,304	60,278
	2004	1,146	739	489	28,324	55,845
	Change	-7%	+6%	+2%	-3%	-7%

Green Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Lake		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Pulaski &						
Inbound &	2003	1,010	586	368	24,015	50,044
	2004	1,024	613	398	24,919	48,758
	Change	+1%	+5%	+8%	+4%	-3%
Outbound &	2003	314	233	152	7,812	16,228
	2004	324	243	162	8,260	16,005
	Change	+3%	+4%	+7%	+6%	-1%
Station Total	2003	1,324	819	519	31,827	66,272
	2004	1,348	856	560	33,179	64,763
	Change	+2%	+5%	+8%	+4%	-2%
Conservatory &						
Conservatory Drive Inbound &	2003	457	284	181	10,990	21,588
	2004	372	307	181	9,575	18,226
	Change	-19%	+8%	0%	-13%	-16%
Conservatory Drive Outbound &	2003	143	98	65	3,509	7,497
	2004	95	120	73	2,752	4,691
	Change	-33%	+23%	+12%	-22%	-37%
Central Park Inbound	2003	35	18	11	822	1,768
	2004	30	16	12	727	1,410
	Change	-15%	-10%	+7%	-12%	-20%
Central Park Outbound	2003	13	8	11	326	640
	2004	18	12	10	460	825
	Change	+43%	+52%	-3%	+41%	+29%
Station Total	2003	648	407	267	15,647	31,493
	2004	516	455	276	13,514	25,152
	Change	-20%	+12%	+3%	-14%	-20%
Kedzie &						
California &	2003	1,175	659	458	27,963	58,170
	2004	1,127	697	480	27,733	54,173
	Change	-4%	+6%	+5%	-1%	-7%

Green Line Branch: Lake		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Ashland ♿						
Ashland ♿	2003	1,307	541	341	29,661	61,540
	2004	1,361	579	344	31,264	61,779
	Change	+4%	+7%	+1%	+5%	0%
Justine						
	2003	151	43	11	3,242	6,431
	2004	159	42	9	3,382	6,770
	Change	+5%	-2%	-20%	+4%	+5%
Station Total						
	2003	1,458	584	352	32,903	67,971
	2004	1,520	621	353	34,646	68,549
	Change	+4%	+6%	0%	+5%	+1%
Clinton ♿						
	2003	1,545	365	230	33,275	69,856
	2004	1,660	452	279	36,395	72,257
	Change	+7%	+24%	+21%	+9%	+3%

Green Line
Branch: South Elevated

		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
35-Bronzeville-IIT ☺						
35th ☺	2003	1,586	792	568	37,156	77,137
	2004	1,186	568	365	27,816	57,042
	Change	-25%	-28%	-36%	-25%	-26%
34th	2003	440	249	121	10,273	18,696
	2004	511	429	291	13,385	24,342
	Change	+16%	+72%	+140%	+30%	+30%
Station Total	2003	2,026	1,041	689	47,429	95,833
	2004	1,697	997	656	41,201	81,384
	Change	-16%	-4%	-5%	-13%	-15%
Indiana ☺						
	2003	617	308	241	14,533	29,997
	2004	602	282	191	14,128	27,916
	Change	-2%	-9%	-20%	-3%	-7%
43rd ☺						
	2003	806	450	273	19,004	38,706
	2004	788	430	277	18,858	37,238
	Change	-2%	-5%	+2%	-1%	-4%
47th ☺						
	2003	1,134	777	463	27,644	55,902
	2004	1,048	734	413	25,966	51,474
	Change	-8%	-6%	-11%	-6%	-8%
51st ☺						
	2003	1,069	682	388	25,656	52,661
	2004	975	684	397	24,217	48,764
	Change	-9%	0%	+2%	-6%	-7%
Garfield ☺						
	2003	1,008	620	413	24,285	48,840
	2004	1,015	638	418	24,943	49,439
	Change	+1%	+3%	+1%	+3%	+1%

Green Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: East 63rd		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
King Drive &	2003	660	394	223	15,665	31,939
	2004	590	360	232	14,408	28,911
	Change	-11%	-9%	+4%	-8%	-9%
East 63rd-Cottage Grove &	2003	1,361	682	492	31,909	65,399
	2004	1,129	630	437	27,277	54,476
	Change	-17%	-8%	-11%	-15%	-17%

Green Line
Branch: Ashland

		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Halsted ♿	2003	713	474	295	17,337	34,940
	2004	574	352	247	14,117	28,358
	Change	-20%	-26%	-16%	-19%	-19%
Ashland/63rd ♿	2003	1,746	954	644	41,321	85,780
	2004	1,663	858	601	39,693	78,664
	Change	-5%	-10%	-7%	-4%	-8%

Brown Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Ravenswood		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Kimball &	2003	3,777	2,113	1,244	88,965	183,006
	2004	3,546	2,105	1,235	85,510	172,899
	Change	-6%	0%	-1%	-4%	-6%
Kedzie	2003	1,518	1,002	667	37,036	75,983
	2004	1,457	987	659	36,374	73,891
	Change	-4%	-1%	-1%	-2%	-3%
Francisco	2003	1,057	475	272	24,127	50,059
	2004	1,032	514	285	24,126	49,196
	Change	-2%	+8%	+5%	0%	-2%
Rockwell	2003	1,321	580	370	30,228	62,897
	2004	1,343	670	379	31,437	63,607
	Change	+2%	+16%	+3%	+4%	+1%
Western &	2003	3,156	1,700	1,020	74,002	152,867
	2004	3,025	1,753	1,053	72,780	147,400
	Change	-4%	+3%	+3%	-2%	-4%
Damen	2003	1,983	920	542	45,515	94,432
	2004	1,821	1,055	584	43,564	88,479
	Change	-8%	+15%	+8%	-4%	-6%
Montrose	2003	1,966	877	517	44,904	93,317
	2004	1,914	966	558	44,928	92,175
	Change	-3%	+10%	+8%	0%	-1%
Irving Park	2003	2,250	926	529	50,828	105,374
	2004	2,135	999	549	49,441	100,189
	Change	-5%	+8%	+4%	-3%	-5%
Addison	2003	1,713	683	388	38,549	79,676
	2004	1,761	811	408	40,505	82,691
	Change	+3%	+19%	+5%	+5%	+4%
Paulina	2003	2,063	1,020	627	47,854	99,643
	2004	1,996	1,115	683	47,792	98,629
	Change	-3%	+9%	+9%	0%	-1%
Southport	2003	2,573	1,087	653	58,420	121,399
	2004	2,351	1,221	720	55,507	118,457
	Change	-9%	+12%	+10%	-5%	-2%

Brown Line		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Ravenswood		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Wellington	2003	2,420	809	483	53,559	111,861
	2004	2,333	916	555	53,090	107,830
	Change	-4%	+13%	+15%	-1%	-4%
Diversey	2003	4,306	2,035	1,191	99,019	204,930
	2004	4,305	2,242	1,260	101,360	204,941
	Change	0%	+10%	+6%	+2%	0%
Armitage	2003	3,401	1,124	639	75,072	155,331
	2004	3,340	1,329	741	75,826	153,317
	Change	-2%	+18%	+16%	+1%	-1%
Sedgwick	2003	2,323	1,109	679	53,613	111,846
	2004	2,562	1,297	797	60,412	120,697
	Change	+10%	+17%	+17%	+13%	+8%
Chicago	2003	3,909	1,564	808	87,670	181,426
	2004	3,810	1,846	1,044	88,813	176,563
	Change	-3%	+18%	+29%	+1%	-3%
Merchandise Mart 	2003	5,469	924	315	114,331	240,885
	2004	5,388	967	346	113,348	232,303
	Change	-1%	+5%	+10%	-1%	-4%

Orange Line Branch: Midway		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Midway Airport &	2003	7,598	2,684	2,353	172,098	354,254
	2004	7,702	3,067	2,509	178,851	359,543
	Change	+1%	+14%	+7%	+4%	+1%
Pulaski &	2003	5,134	1,450	843	111,842	228,136
	2004	5,087	1,679	906	112,994	223,600
	Change	-1%	+16%	+7%	+1%	-2%
Kedzie &	2003	2,719	1,090	646	61,327	125,030
	2004	2,689	1,166	714	62,009	123,058
	Change	-1%	+7%	+11%	+1%	-2%
Western &	2003	3,064	1,065	678	68,257	140,977
	2004	3,015	1,176	716	68,582	138,090
	Change	-2%	+10%	+6%	0%	-2%
35th/Archer &	2003	2,249	820	488	50,204	102,441
	2004	2,225	931	492	50,689	101,034
	Change	-1%	+14%	+1%	+1%	-1%
Ashland &	2003	1,324	632	431	30,732	63,263
	2004	1,254	670	439	29,960	59,662
	Change	-5%	+6%	+2%	-3%	-6%
Halsted &	2003	2,363	813	526	52,609	105,871
	2004	2,430	1,005	567	55,451	109,016
	Change	+3%	+24%	+8%	+5%	+3%
Roosevelt &	2003	2,882	1,771	1,284	69,858	138,873
	2004	3,834	2,675	1,897	96,865	187,280
	Change	+33%	+51%	+48%	+39%	+35%

Loop Elevated Branch: Loop		Average Weekday	Average Saturday	Average Sunday	Month	YTD
Washington/Wells 	2003	6,718	750	380	138,885	291,340
	2004	6,386	925	403	133,435	271,359
	Change	-5%	+23%	+6%	-4%	-7%
Quincy/Wells						
Inner	2003	4,425	302	208	90,542	191,293
	2004	4,183	365	210	86,175	176,922
	Change	-5%	+21%	+1%	-5%	-8%
Outer	2003	2,490	599	491	54,162	113,876
	2004	2,280	647	479	50,579	103,232
	Change	-8%	+8%	-2%	-7%	-9%
Station Total	2003	6,915	900	699	144,704	305,169
	2004	6,463	1,012	689	136,754	280,154
	Change	-7%	+12%	-1%	-5%	-8%
LaSalle/Van Buren						
Inner	2003	1,235	83	37	25,179	53,583
	2004	1,283	111	47	26,337	53,858
	Change	+4%	+35%	+26%	+5%	+1%
Outer	2003	1,874	210	117	38,788	80,633
	2004	1,732	235	131	36,241	75,393
	Change	-8%	+12%	+12%	-7%	-6%
Station Total	2003	3,109	293	154	63,967	134,216
	2004	3,015	346	178	62,578	129,251
	Change	-3%	+18%	+15%	-2%	-4%
Library 	2003	2,573	737	368	55,883	113,367
	2004	2,396	874	458	53,711	104,342
	Change	-7%	+19%	+24%	-4%	-8%
Adams/Wabash	2003	6,773	2,297	1,302	149,855	306,549
	2004	6,708	2,530	1,337	150,970	294,303
	Change	-1%	+10%	+3%	+1%	-4%
Madison/Wabash	2003	3,974	1,410	572	87,398	178,543
	2004	4,099	1,798	778	93,056	180,195
	Change	+3%	+27%	+36%	+6%	+1%

Loop Elevated		Average	Average	Average	Month	YTD
Branch: Loop		Weekday	Saturday	Sunday		
Randolph/Wabash						
Inner	2003	2,712	934	599	60,374	123,582
	2004	2,600	1,031	652	59,372	118,179
	Change	-4%	+10%	+9%	-2%	-4%
Outer	2003	2,822	965	488	62,245	128,764
	2004	2,756	1,098	570	62,356	124,097
	Change	-2%	+14%	+17%	0%	-4%
Station Total	2003	5,534	1,899	1,087	122,619	252,346
	2004	5,355	2,129	1,222	121,728	242,276
	Change	-3%	+12%	+12%	-1%	-4%
State/Lake						
Inner	2003	2,798	1,397	1,146	66,121	134,681
	2004	2,380	1,288	943	57,472	113,663
	Change	-15%	-8%	-18%	-13%	-16%
Outer	2003	5,060	2,392	1,428	116,471	238,092
	2004	4,799	2,595	1,622	114,468	227,536
	Change	-5%	+8%	+14%	-2%	-4%
Station Total	2003	7,857	3,788	2,574	182,592	372,773
	2004	7,179	3,883	2,566	171,940	341,199
	Change	-9%	+3%	0%	-6%	-8%
Clark/Lake &						
Wells	2003	1,810	204	97	37,412	78,076
	2004	1,769	226	118	36,871	74,064
	Change	-2%	+11%	+22%	-1%	-5%
Thompson Center &	2003	7,167	1,267	1,061	152,650	322,237
	2004	7,059	1,336	987	151,461	304,315
	Change	-2%	+5%	-7%	-1%	-6%
203 N. LaSalle &	2003	5,235	978	521	110,692	228,995
	2004	5,378	1,198	832	116,510	233,164
	Change	+3%	+22%	+60%	+5%	+2%
Station Total	2003	14,212	2,450	1,679	300,754	629,308
	2004	14,206	2,760	1,936	304,842	611,543
	Change	0%	+13%	+15%	+1%	-3%