



'L' System Slow Zone Map

December 31, 2019

“Slow zones” are areas of track where trains are required to operate at slower-than-normal speeds due to certain track conditions and other temporary concerns. Track conditions can develop on railways from age, weather and other sometimes unpredictable forces that cause distress or deterioration on track components. Slow zones can also be implemented due to nearby construction work, which can last for weeks or even months.

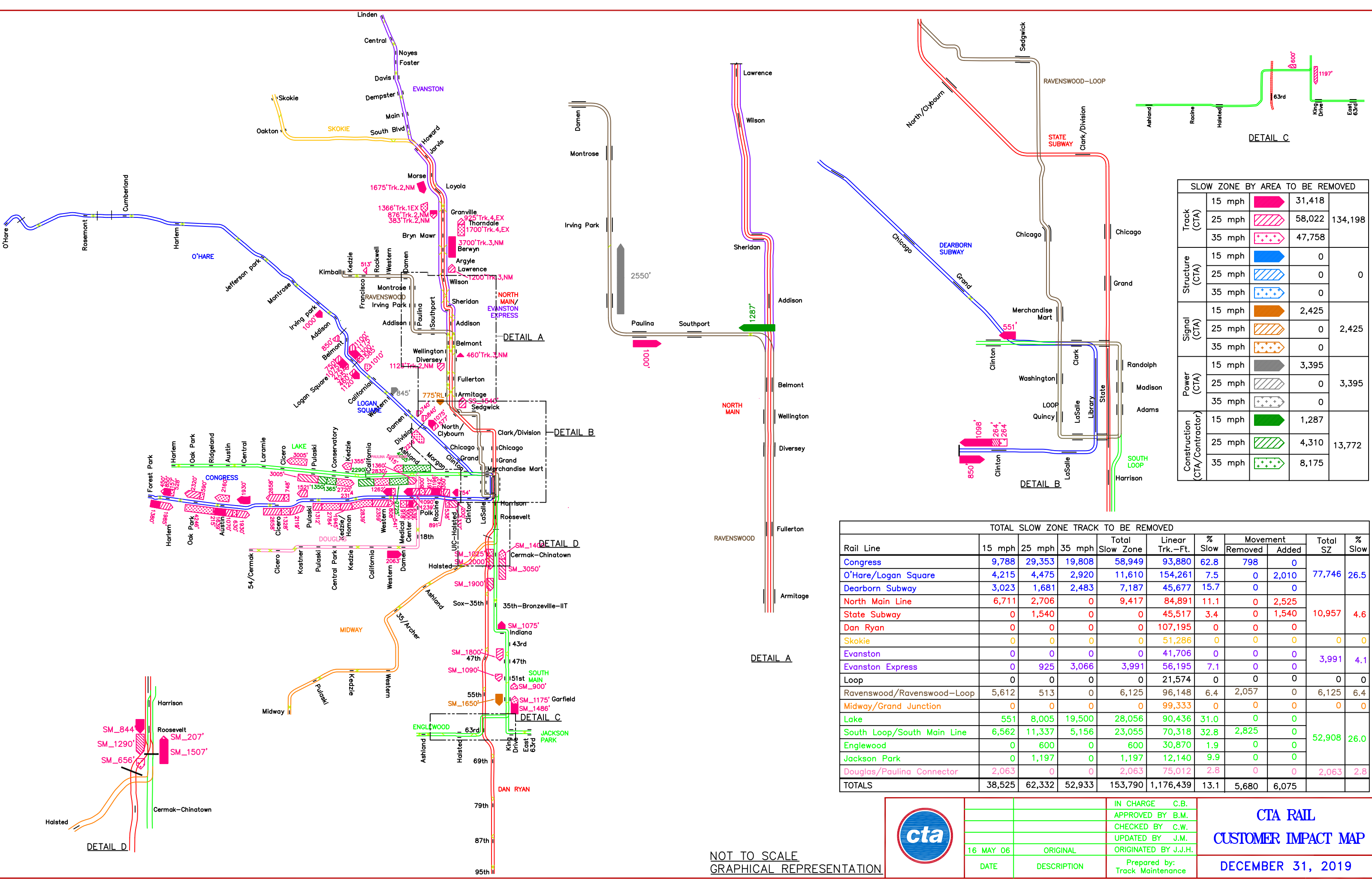
With more than 225 miles of CTA track, slow zones are constantly changing and evolving: As crews repair one section of track, new slow zones can be instituted if track inspectors detect new signs of deterioration somewhere or as an upgrade project begins on our system.

As a result, the percentage of slow zones across our system vary from month to month.

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SLOW ZONE BY AREA TO BE REMOVED				
Track (CTA)	15 mph		31,418	134,198
	25 mph		58,022	
	35 mph		47,758	
Structure (CTA)	15 mph		0	0
	25 mph		0	
	35 mph		0	
Signal (CTA)	15 mph		2,425	2,425
	25 mph		0	
	35 mph		0	
Power (CTA)	15 mph		3,395	3,395
	25 mph		0	
	35 mph		0	
Construction (CTA/Contractor)	15 mph		1,287	13,772
	25 mph		4,310	
	35 mph		8,175	

TOTAL SLOW ZONE TRACK TO BE REMOVED										
Rail Line	15 mph	25 mph	35 mph	Total Slow Zone	Linear Trk.-Ft.	% Slow	Movement		Total SZ	% Slow
							Removed	Added		
Congress	9,788	29,353	19,808	58,949	93,880	62.8	798	0	77,746	26.5
O'Hare/Logan Square	4,215	4,475	2,920	11,610	154,261	7.5	0	2,010		
Dearborn Subway	3,023	1,681	2,483	7,187	45,677	15.7	0	0	10,957	4.6
North Main Line	6,711	2,706	0	9,417	84,891	11.1	0	2,525		
State Subway	0	1,540	0	0	45,517	3.4	0	1,540	0	0
Dan Ryan	0	0	0	0	107,195	0	0	0		
Skokie	0	0	0	0	51,286	0	0	0	0	0
Evanston	0	0	0	0	41,706	0	0	0		
Evanston Express	0	925	3,066	3,991	56,195	7.1	0	0	3,991	4.1
Loop	0	0	0	0	21,574	0	0	0	0	0
Ravenswood/Ravenswood-Loop	5,612	513	0	6,125	96,148	6.4	2,057	0	6,125	6.4
Midway/Grand Junction	0	0	0	0	99,333	0	0	0	0	0
Lake	551	8,005	19,500	28,056	90,436	31.0	0	0	52,908	26.0
South Loop/South Main Line	6,562	11,337	5,156	23,055	70,318	32.8	2,825	0		
Englewood	0	600	0	600	30,870	1.9	0	0	0	0
Jackson Park	0	1,197	0	1,197	12,140	9.9	0	0		
Douglas/Paulina Connector	2,063	0	0	2,063	75,012	2.8	0	0	2,063	2.8
TOTALS	38,525	62,332	52,933	153,790	1,176,439	13.1	5,680	6,075		

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CUSTOMER IMPACT MAP

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