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The transit industry represented herein comprises all organized local passenger transportation agencies, both privately and publicly-owned, except taxi cab and suburban railroads, sightseeing buses and school buses.

The primary sources of this data are the various financial and statistical reports received by the American Transit Association from transit companies representing more than 85 per cent of the transit industry.

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THE TRANSIT INDUSTRY-1970

1.	Numb	per of Operating Systems (Dec. 31, 1970): Total	1,07
	(a)	Rail Transit Systems (Total) 15	,
		Urban Rail Transit Systems 11	
		(Subway and Elevated) 7	
		Interurban Rail Transit 4	
		Rail Transit Exclusively	
		Rail Transit and Motor Bus Combined	
		Rail Transit, Motor Bus & Trolley Coach Combined	
	(b)	Trolley Coach Companies (Total All Urban) 6	
		Trolley Coach and Motor Bus Combined	3
	(c)	Motor Bus Companies (Total)	1.07
		Urban Motor Bus	
		Suburban Motor Bus	
		Motor Bus Exclusively	

Distribution of Transit Companies by Population Groups (1960 Census) (Each company is counted only in the population group of the largest city it serves.)

POPULATION GROUP	Rail Transit (Incl. Joint Trolley Coach And/or Motor Bus)	Trolley Coach And Motor Bus Operations Combined	Motor Bus (Exclusively)	GRAND TOTAL
500,000 and over	10 2 0 0 0	1 1 0 0 0	20 40 80 122 406 394	31 43 80 122 406 397
TOTAL	15	2	1,062	1,079

2.	Miles of Line and Miles of Route Operated (Dec. 31, 1970)	
۷.		
	(a) Electric Railway Line Mileage	785 366
	Subway and Elevated Line Mileage	419
	(b) Trolley Coach Line Mileage	287
	(c) Motor Bus Line Mileage	52,176 53,248
	(d) Electric Railway-Miles of Single Track	2,081
	Surface Railway-Miles of Single Track Subway and Elevated-Miles of Single Track	762 1,319
	(e) Trolley Coach-Miles of Negative Overhead Wire	563
	(f) Motor Bus-Miles of Route Round Trip	112,700
3.	Passenger Vehicles Owned (Dec. 31, 1970): Total.	61,350
	(a) Electric Railway Cars	10,600
	Surface Railway Cars	1,262 9,338
	(b) Trolley Coaches	1,050
		•
	(c) Motor Buses	49,700
4.	Gross Investment (Dec.31, 1970): Total . 4,624	,144,500
	(a) Electric Railway 3,537	,470,900
	Surface Railway	,736,500
	Subway and Elevated 3,390	,734,400
	(b) Trolley Coach	,273,600
	(c) Motor Bus 1,048	,400,000
5.	Operating Revenue-1970 Total . \$1,707	,418,000
	(a) Electric Railway 439	,600,000
	Surface Railway	,200,000
		,400,000
		,500,000
	(c) Motor Bus	,300,000
6.	Passenger Revenue-1970 Total . \$1,639	100 000
		,100,000
		,600,000
	Subway and Elevated	,500,000
		,400,000
		,600,000
	,	

7. Vehicle Miles Operated - 1970 Total.	1,883,100,000
(a) Electric Railway Car Miles	440,800,000
Surface Railway Car Miles	
Subway and Elevated Car Miles	407,100,000
(b) Trolley Coach Miles	33,000,000
(c) Motor Bus Miles	1,409,300,000
8. Total Passengers Carried-1970 Total .	7,332,000,000
(a) Electric Railway	2,116,000,000
Surface Railway	235,000,000 1,881,000,000
(b) Trolley Coach	182,000,000
(c) Motor Bus	5,034,000,000
9. Revenue Passengers Carried-1970 Total .	5,931,700,000
(a) Electric Railway	1,745,900,000
Surface Railway	172,400,000
Subway and Elevated	1,573,500,000
(b) Trolley Coach	127,500,000
(c) Motor Bus	4,158,300,000
4	
10. Number of Employees (Average 1970): Total .	138,040
(a) Subway and Elevated	36,442
(b) Surface-Railway, Trolley Coach	
and Motor Bus	101,598
11. Pay Roll=1970	
(a) Subway and Elevated	351,654,100
(b) Surface-Railway, Trolley Coach	
and Motor Bus	922,454,900
12. Expenditures for Materials - 1970 Total .	\$224,400,000
(a) Maintenance Materials	142,400,000
(b) Operating Materials	82,000,000
18)	
I. Gasoline	8,528,000
II. Diesel Oil	31,160,000
III. Propane	2,460,000
V. Power (Generated Coal, Oil)	3,116,000 2,378,000
VI. Power (Purchased)	34,358,000
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TREND OF TRANSIT OPERATIONS

TABLE NO. 1
Results of Transit Operations in the United States
At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

REVENUE:		OPERATING	INCOME		14.09	10.35	10.77	4.57	3,91	3.93	2.64	0.49	1.86	2.18	1.20	1.41	ı	E	1	1	1	1	1	ı	
OPERATING		ALL	TAXES	-	7.41	8.51	11.92	6.13	6.54	6.29	6.31	5.71	6.15	6.16	5,56	5.54	5.68	5.53	5.59	6.21	5.89	6.37	6.22	-6.06	5.3%
PERCENT OF OPERATING REVENUE	OPERATING	EXPENSES	(Including	Depreciation)	78.50	81.14	77.31	89.30	89.55	89.78	91.05	93.80	91,99	91.66	93.24	93.05	94.39	95.35	95.15	96.30	98.38	104.04	107.34	-410.80	110,51
	!	OPERATING	INCOME		(Thousands) \$96,010	76,280	148,730	66,370	55,710	25,690	36,610	065'9	25,620	30,690	16,730	19,700	(D) 880		(D) 10,610	(D) 37,070	(D) 66,568	(D) 161,072	(D)220,512	(D)288,212.	10)289'est
		ALL	TAXES	1,575	(Thousands) \$ 50,460	62,690	164,530	89,040	93,320	89,050	87,430	77,060	84,700	86,660	77,200	77,800	78,920	77,910	80,650	91,810	91,704	98,497	101,156	103,087	×39 16
73		NET	REVENUE	e:	(Thousands) \$146,470	138,970	313,260	155,410	149,030	144,740	124,040	83,650	110,320	117,350	93,930	97,500	78,040	65,520	70,040	54,740	25,136	(D) 62,575	(D)119,356	(D)184,325	c26/251 (0)
	OPERATING	EXPENSES	(Including	Depreciation)	(Thousands) \$ 534,930	598,030	1,067,140	1,296,690	1,277,370	1,271,360	1,261,560	1,265,850	1,266,080	1,289,850	1,295,770	1,306,000	1,312,560	1,342,580	1,373,760	1,423,760	1,530,864	1,625,314	1,744,989	4,891,743	610/116/1
		OPERATING	REVENUE		(Thousands) \$ 681,400	737,000	1,380,400	1,452,100	1,426,400	1,416,100	1,385,600	1,349,500	1,376,400	1,407,200	1,389,700	1,403,500	1,390,600	1,408,100	1,443,800	1,478,500	1,556,000	1,562,739	1,625,633	4.707.4	201/101
		2017				0		0		9	7		6	0	1	2	3	4		9	7	8	6	0	P Preliminary
					1935	1940	1946	0961 [4		1956	195	195	195	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	1969	1970	P P

TRANSIT TAXES IN 1969

TABLE NO. 2 Transit Taxes in 1969

	AMOUNT	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION
Federal Taxes (Total)	\$64,588,106	63.85%
Income Taxes	11,440,744	11.31
Other Federal Taxes	53,147,362	52.54
State, County and Local Taxes .	36,567,894	36.15
TOTAL TAXES	\$101,156,000	100.00%

TRANSIT TAXES IN 1970

TABLE NO. 3 Transit Taxes in 1970 (Preliminary) Final

	AMOUNT	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION
Federal Taxes (Total)	\$66,197,000 \$66,197,000 10,699,066 11,843,000 49,613,368 34,534,000 34,534,000 34,534,000 34,534,000	11, 30 52,40
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 103,887,000	100.00%

94,683,000

TREND OF TOTAL PASSENGERS

TABLE NO. 4 Total Passengers Carried on Transit Lines of the United States Distributed by Types of Service At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

CALEN- DAR	SURFACE	RAILWAY SUBWAY & ELEVATED	TOTAL	TROLLEY COACH	MOTOR BUS	GRAND TOTAL
YEAR	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)
1935	7,276	2,236	9,512	96	2,618	12,226
1940	5,943	2,382	8.325	534	4,239	13,098
1945	9,426	2,698	12,124	1,244	9,886	23,254
1950	3,904	2,264	6.168	1,658	9,420	17,246
1955	1,207	1,870	3,077	1,202	7.250	11.529
1956	876	1,880	2,756	1,142	7,043	10,941
1957	679	1,843	2,522	993	6,874	10,389
1958	572	1,815	2,387	843	6,502	9.732
1959	521	1,828	2,349	749	6,459	9,557
1960	463	1,850	2,313	657	6,425	9,395
1961	434	1,855	2,289	601	5,993	8,883
1962	393	1,890	2,283	547	5,865	8,695
1963	329	1,836	2,165	413	5,822	8,400
1964	289	1,877	2,166	349	5,813	8,328
1965	276	1,858	2,134	305	5.814	8,253
1966	282	1,753	2,035	284	5,764	8,083
1967	263	1,938	2,201	248	5,723	8,172
1968	253	1,928	2,181	~ 228	5,610	8,019
1969	249	1,980	2,229	199	5,375	7,803
1970	235	1,881	-2,146	182	-5 ,034-	-7,332 -

TREND OF REVENUE PASSENGERS

TABLE NO. 5

Revenue Passengers Carried on Transit Lines of the United States
Distributed by Types of Service
At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

	ALFIVE TE	ar intervais is	930-1900 a	na Annually	1955-1970	
CALEN- DAR	SURFACE	SUBWAY &		TROLLEY COACH	MOTOR BUS	GRAND TOTAL
⇒YEAR ⊆	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)
1935	5,156.2 4,182.5 7,080.9 2,790.0 845.0 625.0 491.0 415.0 378.0 323.0 284.0 238.0 213.0 204.0 211.0 196.0 187.3	2,252.3 2,281.9 2,555.1 2,113.0 1,741.0 1,749.0 1,635.0 1,647.0 1,670.0 1,680.0 1,661.0 1,661.0 1,698.0 1,678.0 1,584.0 1,632.0 1,627.0	7,408.5 5,464.4 9,636.0 4,903.0 2,586.0 2,374.0 2,050.0 2,025.0 2,005.0 2,005.0 2,003.0 1,988.0 1,899.0 1,911.0 1,882.0 1,795.0 1,828.0 1,814.3	76.5 419.2 1,001.2 1,261.0 869.0 814.0 703.0 593.0 517.0 447.0 405.0 361.0 264.0 214.0 186.0 174.0 155.0	2,297.3 3,620.1 8,344.7 7,681.0 5,734.0 5,568.0 5,135.0 5,108.0 5,108.0 5,069.0 4,834.0 4,752.0 4,730.0 4,702.0 4,633.0 4,524.5	9,782.3 10,503.7 18,981.9 13,845.0 9,189.0 8,756.0 8,338.0 7,778.0 7,650.0 7,521.0 7,242.0 6,915.0 6,854.0 6,671.0 6,671.0 6,6491.0
1969 P 1970	183.4 172.4	1,656.3 1,573.5	1,839.7 1,745.9	135.3 127.5	4,335.3 4,058.3	6,310.3 5,931.7

REVENUE PASSENGERS (BY POPULATION GROUPS)

TABLE NO. 6
Revenue Passengers in the United States By Population Groups
At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

		AtF	ive Year Interval	ls 1935-1955 and	At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970	-1970		
	CIDAR			SURFA	SURFACE LINES			
YEAR	TRANSIT	500,000 AND QVER	250,000-	100,000-	50,000-	LESS THAN 50,000	SUBURBAN AND OTHER	TOTAL
	(MILLIONS)	(MILLIONS)	(MILLIONS)	(MILLIONS)	(MILLIONS)	(MILLIONS)	(MILLIONS)	(MILLIONS)
1935	2,252	4,050	1,113	840	532	179	816	9,782
1940	2,282	4,305	1,312	1,020	742	291	552	10,504
1945	2,555	696'9	2,920	2,359	1,899	932	1,348	18,982
1950*	2,113	5,207	2,007	1,585	1,323	728	885	13,845
1955*	1,741	3,478	1,286	953	786	360	282	9,189
1956*	1,749	3,368	1,179	998	715	324	555	8,756
1957*	1,706	3,274	1,078	811	655	285	529	8,338
1958*	1,635	3,095	984	720	969	254	494	7,778
1959*	1,647	3,057	926	969	582	240	472	7,650
*0961	1,670	2,997	911	691	554	230	468	7,521
1961*	1,680	2,869	826	644	517	214	462	7,242
1961**	1,680	3,089	701	523	554	217	478	7,242
1962*	1,704	2,806	833	610	497	506	466	7,122
1962**	1,704	3,029	089	496	533	212	468	7,122
1963*	1,661	2,775	783	-571	468	196	461	6,915
1963**	1,661	2,990	642	3462	504	205	451	6,915
1964*	1,698	2,779	753	1,538	441	192	453	6,854
1964**	1,698	2,991	612	432	486	194	441	6,854
1965*	1,678	2,789	742	521	434	193	441	6,798
1965**	1,678	3,000	909	416	474	192	432	6,798
	1,584	2,746	749	518	436	197	441	6,671
1966**	1,584	3,003	809	~413	483	194	386	6,671
1967*	1,632	2,693	744	206	428	190	423	6,616
1967**	1,632	2,945	265	409	469	190	374	6,616
1968*	1,627		738	490	408	183	405	6,491
1968**	1,627	2,886	581	396	455	171	375	6,491
*6961	1,656	2,550	701	469	381	166	387	6,310
1969**	1,656	2,787	265	365	422	120	365	6,310
P 1970*	1,574	2,388	929	439	357	156	362	5,932
P 1970**	1,574	2,610	529	342	395	140	342	5,932
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TREND OF OPERATING REVENUE

TABLE NO. 7 Trend and Distribution of Transit Operating Revenue in the United States by Types of Service

At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970 RAILWAY TROLLEY MOTOR GRAND CALEN-SUBWAY & COACH TOTAL BUS DAR SURFACE ELEVATED TOTAL YEAR (Millions) (Millions) (Millions) (Millions) (Millions) (Millions) 1935 . . \$388.0 \$131.8 \$519.8 \$ 5.5 \$156.1 \$681.4 1940 . . 327.8 128.3 456.1 25.0 255.9 737.0 1945 . . 149.4 560.1 709.5 68.4 602.5 1,380.4 1950 . . 361.7 216.4 578.1 122.0 752.0 1,452.1 1955 . . 175.5 264.3 439.8 130.8 855.8 1,426.4 1956 . . 271.4 139.4 410.8 127.6 877.7 1,416.1 1957 . . 115.3 267.6 382.9 886.3 116.4 1.385.6 1958 . . 99.1 266.5 1,349.5 365.6 103.2 880.7 1959 . . 93.0 272.2 365.2 920.2 91.0 1,376.4 1960 . . 87.6 281.8 369.4 81.9 955.9 1,407.2 1961 . . 79.9 285.7 365.6 945.4. 78.7 1,389.7 1962 . . 73.3 293.0 366.3 76.0 961.2 1,403.5 1963.. 61.2 287.4 348.6 56.2 985.8 1,390.6 1964 . . 55.6 295.8 351.4 46.4 1,010.3 1,408.1 1965 . . 55.7 310.1 365.8 41.7 1,036.3 1,443.8 1966 . . 58.7 306.5 365.2 39.2 1,074.1 1,478.5 52.5 404.5 1967 . . 352.0 35.6 1,115.9 1.556.0 1968 . . 53.1 358.2 35.9 411.3 1,115.5 1,562.7 380.4 1969 . . 54.8 435.2 32.5 1,157.9 1,625.6 P 1970 . . 30.7 59. 2 TREND OF PASSENGER REVENUE

TABLE NO. 8
Trend and Distribution of Transit Passenger Revenue in the United States by
Types of Service
At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

	At 1 170 1 00	i tilicivais 13	13-1333 all	u Annuany i	999-1970	
		RAILWAY		TROLLEY	MOTOR	GRAND
CALEN-		SUBWAY &		COACH	BUS	TOTAL
DAR	SURFACE	ELEVATED.	TOTAL	00/1011	000	IOIAL
YEAR	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)
1935	\$357.8	\$127.8	\$485.6	\$ 5.5	\$151.2	\$642.3
1940	304.0	123.8	427.8	24.9	248.8	701.5
1945	513.4	142.3	655.7	68.0	590.0	1,313.7
1950	322.4	209.6	532.0	120.6	734.2	1,386.8
1955	146.6	257.5	404.1	128.5	826.3	1,358.9
1956	117.1	264.2	381.3	124.5	845.3	1,351.1
1957	97.0	260.5	357.5	112.7	849.6	1,319.8
1958	83.5	259.4	342.9	100.1	839.2	1,282.2
1959	78.5	262.9	341.4	89.9	877.0	1,308.3
1960	74.0	269.6	343.6	81.0	910.3	1,334.9
1961	73.1	273.5	346.6	76.5	897.8	1,320.9
1962	66.3	280.1	346.4	73.7	910.1	1,330.2
1963	54.8	274.6	329.4	54.7	932.2	1,316.3
1964	48.3	282.3	330.6	45.0	950.4	1,326.0
1965	.48.6	279.0	327.6	40.6	971.9	1,340.1
1966	51.8	297.0	348.8	38.5	998.1	1,385.4
1967	44.8	340.4	385.2	34.9	1,037.3	1,457.4
1968	44.0	341.7	385.7	34.8	1,049.7	1,470.2
1969	45.9	362.5	408.4	31.5	1,114.8	1,554.7
1970	46-0	- 368. 5	.415.1	_30.4	4 ,193.0	+ 1,639.1

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TREND OF VEHICLE MILES OPERATED

TABLE NO. 9

Revenue Vehicle Miles Operated in the United States by Each Type of Transit Vehicle At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

	DALLWAY						
CALEN		RAILWAY		TROLLEY	MOTOR	GRAND	
CALEN-		SUBWAY &		COACH	BUS	TOTAL	
DAR	SURFACE	ELEVATED	TOTAL				
YEAR	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	
1935	1,147.7	438.6	1.586.3	14.6	711.1	2,312.0	
1940	844.7	470.8	1,315.5	86.0	1.194.5	2,596.0	
1945	939.8	458.4	1,398.2	133.3	1,722.3	3,253.8	
1950	463.1	443.4	906.5	205.7	1,895.4	3,007.6	
1955	178.3	382.8	561.1	176.5	1,709.9	2,447.5	
1956	132.9	387.1	520.0	165.7	1,680.9	2,366.6	
1957	106.6	388.0	494.6	146.5	1,648.4	2,289.5	
1958	89.9	386.5	476.4	131.0	1,593.6	2,201.0	
1959	81.3	388.7	470.0	112.4	1,576.5	2,158.9	
1960	74.8	390.9	465.7	100.7	1,576.4	2,142.8	
1961	69.4	385.1	454.5	92.9	1,529.7	2,077.1	
1962	61.5	386.7	448.2	84.0	1,515.2	2,047.4	
1963	48.9	387.3	436.2	62.4	1,523.1	2,021.7	
1964	42.9	395.8	438.7	49.2	1,527.9	2,015.8	
1965	41.6	395.3	436.9	43.0	1,528.3	2,008.2	
1966	42.9	378.9	421.8	40.1	1,521.7	1,983.6	
1967	37.8	.396.5	434.3	36.5	1,526.0	1,996.8	
1968	37.5	406.8	444.3	36.2	1,508.2	1,988.7	
1969	36.0	416.6	452.6	35.8	1,478.3	1,966.7	
P 1970	-99.7	438.6	44 0.8	33.0	1,409.3	1.883.1	
	ELECTRIC POWER-MOTOR FUEL 1,4186 1,9						

TABLE NO. 10 Electrical Energy and Motor Fuel Consumed by the Transit Industry of the United States

At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

CALEN- DAR	KILOV	KILOWATT HOURS CONSUMED (IN MILLIONS)				GALLONS OF MOTOR FUEL USED (IN THOUSANDS)		
YEAR	Rapid Transit	Surface Railway	Trolley Coach	Total	Gasoline	Diesel Oil	Propane	
1935	1,852 1,977 1,966 2,000 1,960 1,960 1,980 2,073 2,067 2,098 2,115 2,125 2,171 2,185 2,075	5,096 4,050 4,547 2,410 910 700 560 485 431 393 362 325 255 222 218 226	61 307 520 841 720 680 600 535 464 417 381 346 262 204 181 166	7,009 6,334 7,033 5,251 3,530 3,140 3,093 2,962 2,908 2,851 2,786 2,642 2,597 2,587 2,587	* * * 510,000 (a)430,000 246,000 219,400 198,400 167,800 153,600 125,900 108,400 102,500 95,900 91,500 76,000	* 11,800 98,600 172,600 183,500 190,000 192,700 196,600 208,100 217,500 229,000 235,300 242,200 248,400 256,000	(a) 30,300 30,300 34,200 35,100 36,600 38,300 35,700 36,100 35,900 33,400 32,700	
1967 1968 1969 P 1970	2,194 2,250 2,291 2,261	180 179 173 157	157 157 154 143	2,531 2,586 2,618 2561	57,800 45,700 40,000 37,200	270,300 274,200 273,800 270,600		

^{*}Data not available.

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⁽a) Propane included with gasoline.

EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

TABLE NO. 11

Number of Employees, Annual Payroll and Average Annual Earnings per Employee in the Transit Industry of the United States At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

YEAR	AVERAGE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES	PAYROLL	AVERAGE ANNUAL EARNINGS PER EMPLOYEE
1935	209,000	\$321,000,000	» \$1,536
1940	203,000	360,000,000	1,773
1945	242,000	632,000,000	2,612
1950	240,000	835,000,000	3,479
1955	198,000	864,000,000	4,364
1956	186,000	852,000,000	4.581
1957	177,000	840,000,000	4.746
1958	165,000	831,000,000	5,036
1959	159,100	832,000,000	5,229
1960	156,400	857,300,000	5,481
1961	151,800	856,400,000	5,642
1962	149,100	878,100,000	5,889
1963	147,200	892,300,000	6,062
1964	144,800	916,900,000	6,332
1965	145,000	963,500,000	6,645
1966	144,300	994,900,000	6,895
1967	146,100	1,055,100,000	7,222
1968	143,590	1,109,500,000	7,727
1969	140,860	1,183,807,000	8,404
1970	129,040	\$1,274,109,000-	\$9,230 19317
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SIZE OF NEW BUSES

TABLE NO. 12

Number of Buses in Each Size Class Delivered in the Years 1943-1970

	_	13 14KK	20 SEATS	30-39	40 SEATS	
	YEAR	21	-OR-LESS	SEATS	OR MORE	TOTAL
*1943			847	179	225	1,251
1944			2,423	369	1,015	3,807
1945			1,757	1,183	1,501	4,441
1946			1,849	2,429	2,185	6,463
1947			1,951	3,717	6,361	12,029
1948			523	2,144	4,342	7,009
1949			289	1,344	1,725	3,358
1950			205	852	1,611	2,668
1951			148	1,711	2,693	4,552
1952			36	458	1,165	1,749
1953			30	499 ::	1,717	2,246
1954			22	359	1,844	2,225
1955			8	229	1,861	2,098
1956		.	8	162	2,589	2,759
1957			0	129	1,817	1,946
1958			2	177	1,419	1,698
1959			1	157	1,379	1,537
1960			0	173	2,633	2,806
1961			1 0	105	2,310	2,415
1962			4	76	1,920	2,000
1963			18	97	3,085	3,200
1964			0	169	2,331	2,500
1965			6	225	2,769	3,000
1966			36	1 312	2,752	3,100
1967			32	260	2,208	2,500
1968			63	171	1,994	2,228
1969			65	163	2,002	2,230
P <u>1970</u>	<u></u>		77	73	1,274	1,442

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TREND OF NEW EQUIPMENT

TABLE NO. 13 New Passenger Equipment Delivered to Transit Companies in the United States Annually 1940-1970

CALEN-	RAILWAY CARS			TROLLEY	MOTOR	GRAND
DAR YEAR	SURFACE	SUBWAY & ELEVATED	TOTAL	COACHES	BUSES	TOTAL
*1940	463	189	652	618	3,984	5,254
1941	462	0	462	227	5,600	6,289
1942	284	0	284	356	7,200	7.840
1943	32	0	32	116	1.251	1,399
1944	284	0	284	60	3.807	4,151
1945	332	0.	332	161	4,441	4,934
1946	421	0	421	266	6.463	7,150
1947	626	2.	628	955	12,029	13,612
1948	478	248	726	1,430	7,009	9.165
1949	273	415	688	680	3.358	4.726
1950	4	199	203	179	2,668	3,050
1951	56	140	196	600	4,552	5,348
1952	19	0	19	224	1,749	1,992
1953	0	0	0	0	2,246	2,246
1954	0	260	260	0	2,225	2,485
1955	0	288	288	43	2,098	2,429
1956	0	376	3 7 6	0	2,759	3,135
1957	0	469	469	. 0.	1,946	2,415
1958	0	428	428	ō ·	1,698	2,126
1959	0	210	210	· ō	1,537	1.747
1960	0	416	416	Ó	2,806	3,222
1961	0	468	468	0	2,415	2,883
1962	0	406	406	Ō	2,000	2,406
1963	0	658	658	Ó	3,200	3,858
1964	0	640	640	ŏ	2,500	3,140
1965	0.	580	580	ŏ	3,000	3,580
1966	0	179	179	0	3,100	3,279
1967	0	85	85	o l	2,500	2,585
1968	0	384	384	ŏ	2,228	2,612
1969	0	650	650	ŏ	2,230	2,880
P 1970	0	308	308	ŏ	1,442	1,750
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^{*} Data for prior years not available

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TREND OF TRANSIT EQUIPMENT OWNED

TABLE NO. 14
Trends of Transit Passenger Equipment in the United States by
Types of Equipment

At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

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AS OF	R	AILWAY CAI	RS	TROLLEY	MOTOR	GRAND	
DECEM- BER 31ST	SURFACE	SUBWAY & ELEVATED	TOTAL	COACH	BUS	TOTAL	
1935	40,050 26,630 26,160 13,228 5,300 3,970 3,601 3,108 2,983 2,856 2,341 2,219 1,756 1,553 1,549 1,407 1,388 1,355 1,322	10,416 11,032 10,217 9,758 9,232 9,255 9,158 9,093 9,010 9,010 9,078 8,865 8,878 9,061 9,115 9,273 9,257 9,257 9,390 9,343	50,466 37,662 36,377 22,986 14,532 13,225 12,759 12,201 11,983 11,419 11,084 10,634 10,634 10,664 10,680 10,645 10,745 10,665	578 2,802 3,711 6,504 6,157 5,748 5,412 4,848 4,297 3,826 3,593 3,161 2,155 1,865 1,453 1,326 1,244 1,185 1,082	23,800 35,000 49,670 56,820 52,400 50,800 50,100 49,500 49,600 49,400 49,400 49,400 49,200 49,600 50,130 50,180 50,000 49,600	74,844 75,464 89,758 86,310 73,089 70,373 68,971 67,149 65,780 65,780 64,042 63,045 62,189 61,679 61,679 62,069 61,930 61,930 61,934	
P 1970	1,262	-9338	10,600	-1,050	49,700	61,350	
TREND OF TRACK AND ROUTE MILEAGE							

TABLE NO. 15

Electric Railway Track, Motor Bus Route and Trolley Coach Route of the Transit Industry in the United States
At Five Year Intervals 1935-1955 and Annually 1955-1970

AS OF	TOTAL MIL	ES OF RAILWA	TROLLEY COACH-	MOTOR BUS-	
DECEM- BER 31ST	SURFACE	SUBWAY & ELEVATED	TOTAL	MILES OF NEGATIVE OVERHEAD WIRE	MILES OF ROUTE ROUND- TRIP
1935	25,470 18,360 16,480 9,590 4,976 4,495 3,774 2,600 2,200 1,900 1,355 1,312 990 918 918 898 790 775 762	1,230 1,242 1,222 1,223 1,221 1,251 1,245 1,244 1,245 1,246 1,246 1,245 1,255 1,255 1,255 1,255 1,259 1,270	26,700 19,602 17,702 10,813 6,197 5,746 5,019 3,844 3,445 3,143 2,601 2,557 2,236 2,173 2,173 2,173 2,153 2,049 2,045 2,081	548 1,925 2,313 3,513 3,428 3,293 3,007 2,723 2,491 2,196 2,017 1,849 1,119 986 766 676 616 616 616 563 563	58,100 78,000 90,400 98,000 99,800 100,700 102,400 104,500 106,300 111,500 111,500 114,300 117,400 120,900 122,100 123,600 121,000 117,300 117,300
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