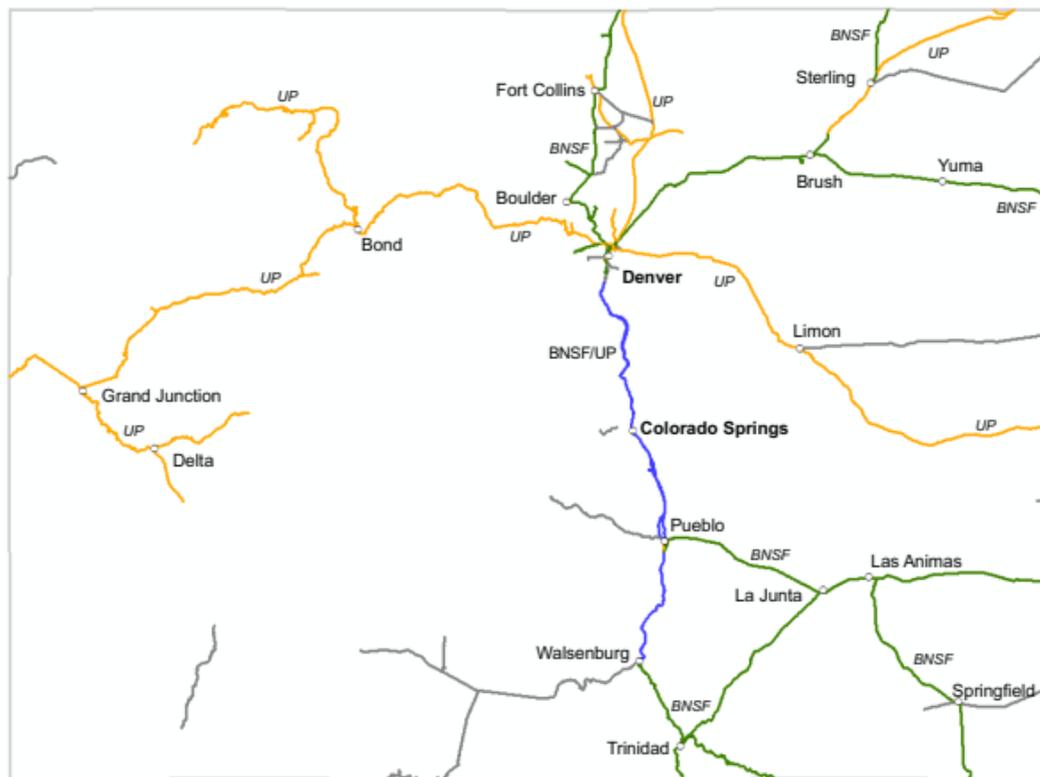


Colorado Rail Facts

- **Going the distance.** In Colorado alone, 13 freight railroads operate across 2,427 miles of track.
- **Supporting jobs.** As of 2017, Colorado freight railroads and their suppliers employed 4,664 people; nationwide, freight rail supported about 1.1 million jobs.
- **Connecting markets.** The most common commodities originating from Colorado markets are, in carloads/year: intermodal (90,700), coal (83,100), farm products (15,100), glass and stone (14,500), and nonmetallic minerals (9,800).
- **Powering state economies.** Spending by Class I railroads in 2017 generated nearly \$220 billion in U.S. economic activity and \$26 billion in state and federal tax revenues, according to a Towson University study.
- **Preserving infrastructure, cutting congestion.** Freight railroads take 7.7 million truckloads off Colorado roads annually.
- **Reducing pollution.** Moving freight by rail instead of trucks reduces greenhouse gas emissions by an average of 75 percent.



- BNSF
- CN
- CP
- CSX
- KCS
- NS
- UP
- Short Line/Regional
- Multiple Owners