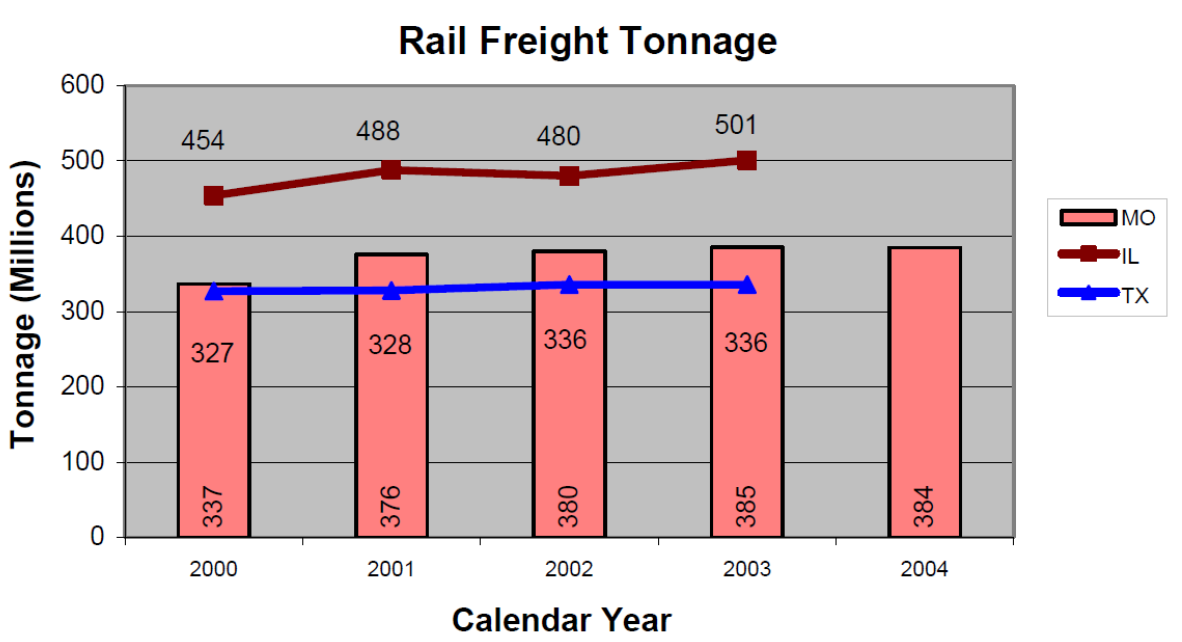
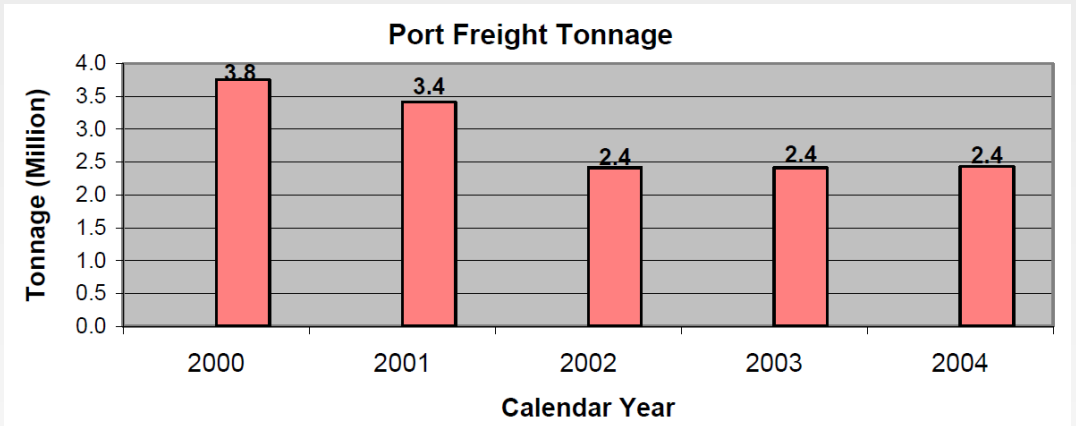




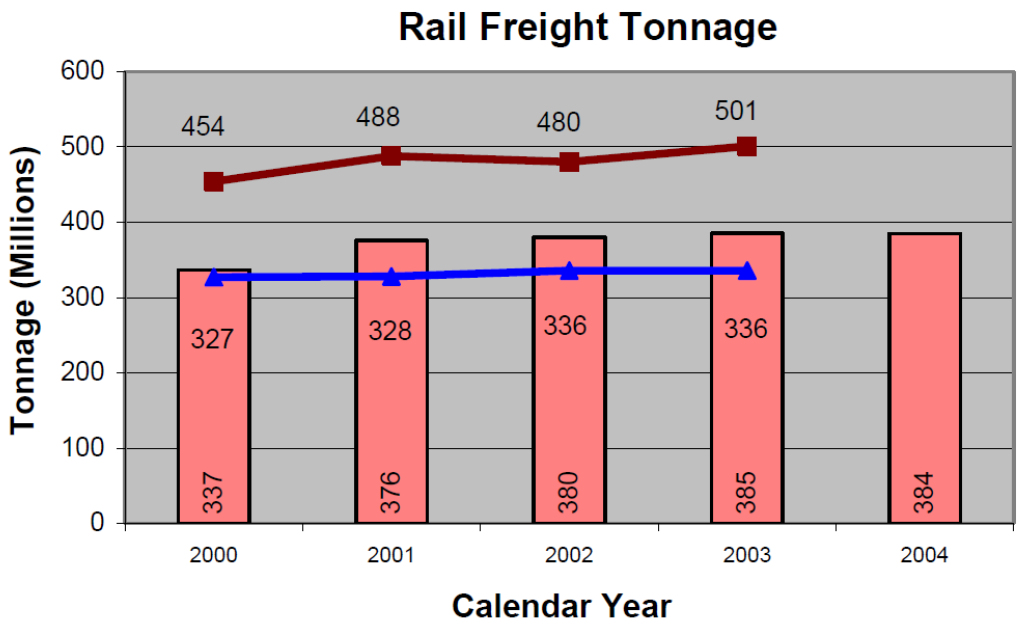
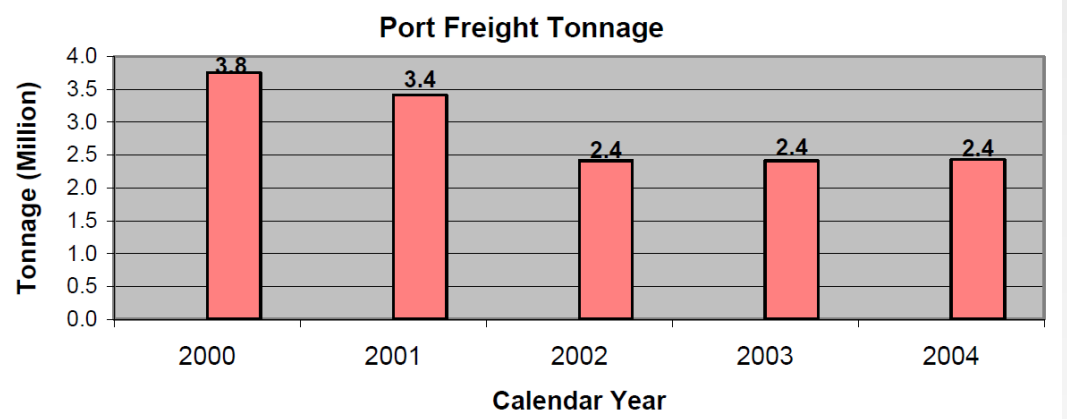
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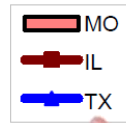
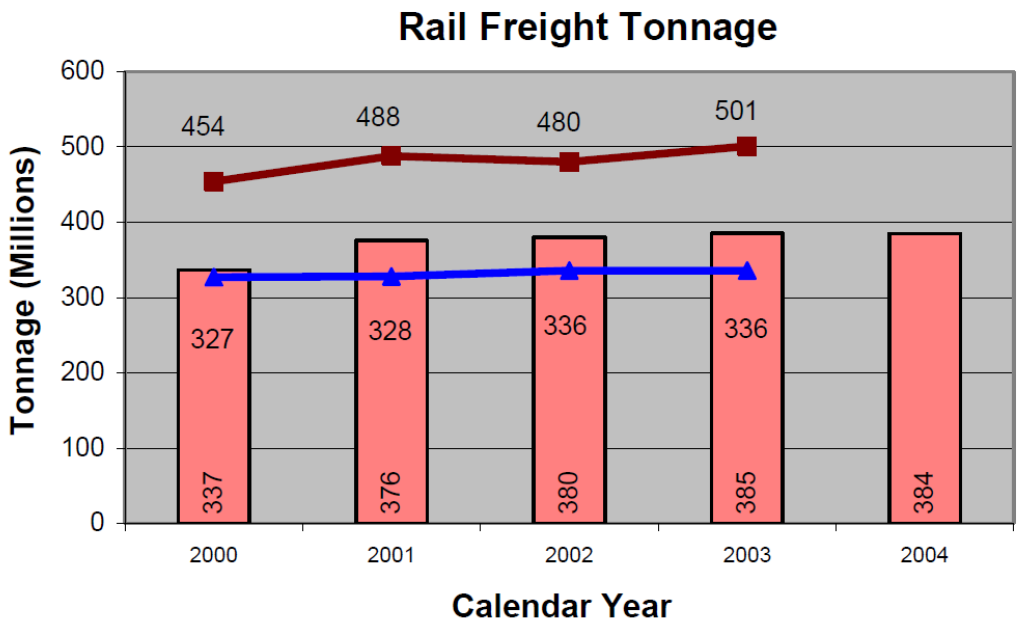
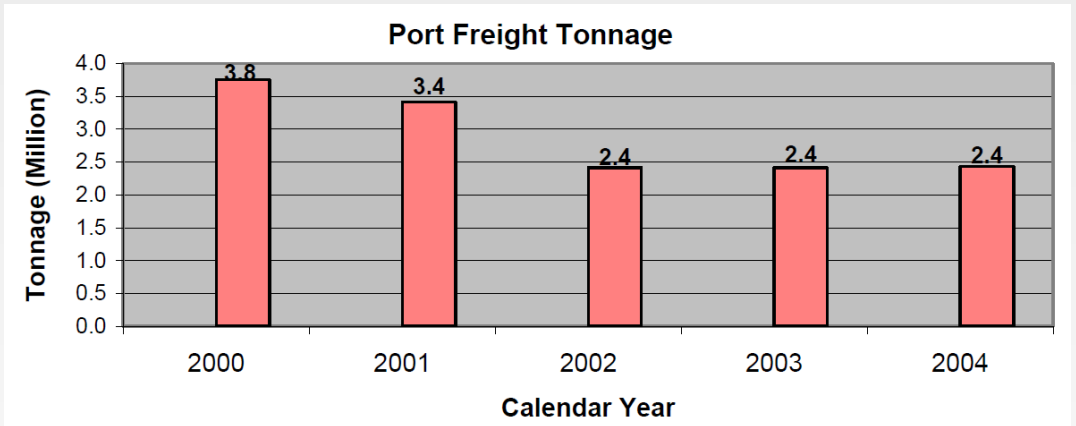
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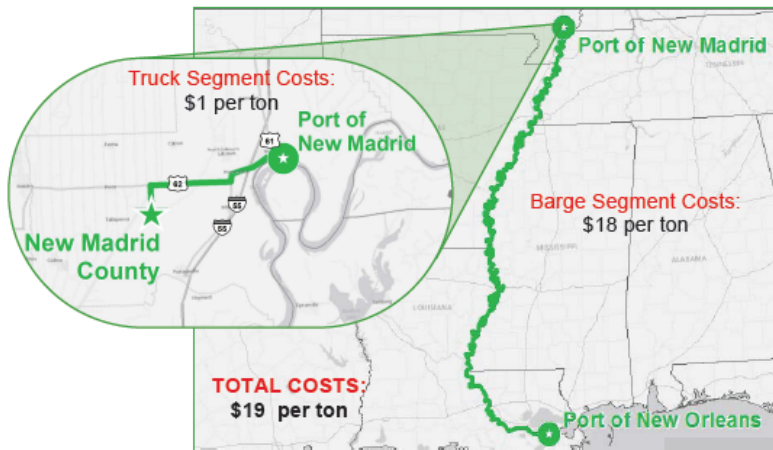


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SOYBEANS

The Route from New Madrid County to New Orleans



The Route from Competitor States to New Orleans



The Cost of Shipping One Ton of Soybeans to New Orleans (largely by barge)

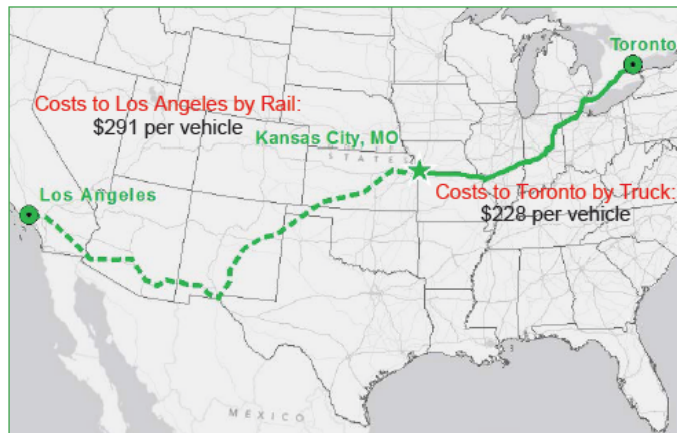


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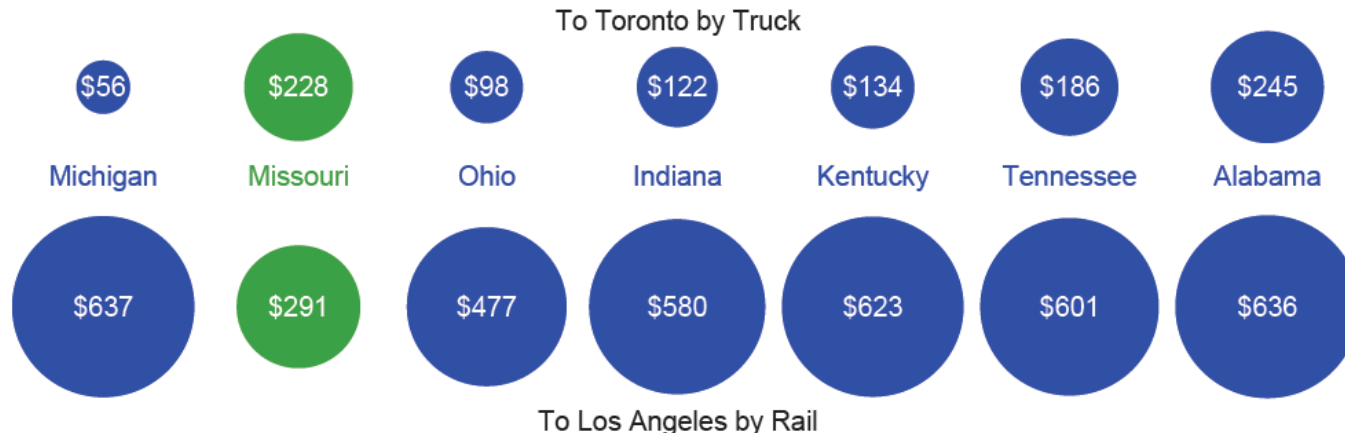
The Route from Kansas City to Toronto by Truck and Los Angeles by Rail



The Route from Competitor States to Toronto by Truck and Los Angeles by Rail



The Cost of Shipping One Motor Vehicle



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CROP PROTECTION PRODUCTS (CHEMICALS)

The Route from Hannibal to Los Angeles by Truck



The Route from Competitor States to Los Angeles by Truck



The Cost of Shipping One Ton of Crop Protection Products to Los Angeles by Truck

