



# Amtrak Fact Sheet, Fiscal Year 2004

## State of Alabama

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### Amtrak Service & Ridership

Amtrak operates two long-distance trains through Alabama:

- The *Crescent* (daily New York-Atlanta-Birmingham-New Orleans)
- The *Sunset Limited* (tri-weekly Orlando-Mobile-New Orleans-Los Angeles)

During FY04 Amtrak served the following Alabama locations:

<u>City</u>	<u>Ridership</u>
Anniston	4,751
Atmore	292
Birmingham	32,535
Mobile	1,597
Tuscaloosa	9,291
<b>Total Alabama Ridership:</b>	<b>48,466</b>

### Procurement/Contracts

Amtrak expended \$11,477,849 for goods and services in Alabama in FY04. Most of this money was in Birmingham, \$10,757,393. Of that, over \$10.5 million went to VAE Nortrak, Inc., a supplier of track and switch components.

### Employment

During fiscal year 2004, Amtrak employed 24 Alabama residents. Total wages of Amtrak employees living in Alabama were \$1,224,391 during this period.