



# Amtrak Fact Sheet State of Colorado

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## Amtrak Service & Ridership

Amtrak operates two long-distance trains through Colorado:

- The *California Zephyr* (Chicago-Denver-San Francisco Bay area)
- The *Southwest Chief* (Chicago-Kansas City-La Junta-Trinidad-Albuquerque-Los Angeles)

During FY03 Amtrak served the following Colorado locations:

| <u>City</u>                      | <u>Ridership</u> |
|----------------------------------|------------------|
| Denver                           | 117,495          |
| Fort Morgan                      | 2,358            |
| Granby                           | 3,452            |
| Grand Junction                   | 19,514           |
| Glenwood Springs                 | 29,454           |
| Lamar                            | 1,531            |
| La Junta                         | 6,945            |
| Trinidad                         | 3,536            |
| Winter Park-Fraser               | 10,459           |
| <b>Total Colorado Ridership:</b> | <b>194,744</b>   |

## Procurement/Contracts

Amtrak expended \$19,054,697 for goods and services in Colorado in FY03. Most of this money was spent in Denver, \$18,162,023.

## Employment

As of December 2003, Amtrak employed 99 Colorado residents. Total wages of Amtrak employees living in Colorado were \$4,109,796 in calendar year 2003.