

## TRANSPORT & COMMUNICATIONS

### 20.13 Commodities Carried by Pakistan Railways

(Thousand tonnes)

| Sl. No | Commodities  | 1998-99     | 1999-00     | 2000-01     | 2001-02     | 2002-03     | 2003-04     | 2004-05     | 2005-06     | 2006-07     | 2007-08     |
|--------|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1.     | Ballast and stone  | 20          | 12          | 10          | 9           | 19          | 25          | 20          | 27          | 24          | 24          |
| 2.     | Cement   | 71          | 114         | 125         | 60          | 62          | 51          | 53          | 9           | 8           | 392         |
| 3.     | Chemical manures (fertilizers)   | 384         | 391         | 459         | 543         | 535         | 609         | 265         | 224         | 281         | 183         |
| 4.     | Coal and coke for the public   | 53          | 68          | 96          | 75          | 150         | 362         | 293         | 234         | 170         | 198         |
| 5.     | Departmental commodities   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 5a.    | Coal, coke and patent fuel for railways (includes h.s.d. and furnace oil.)   | 209         | 255         | 284         | 209         | 283         | 253         | 225         | 222         | 228         | 236         |
| 5b.    | Railway materials and stores   | 371         | 322         | 668         | 748         | 789         | 1067        | 866         | 1158        | 1241        | 1139        |
| 6.     | Cotton, raw unpressed and full pressed   | 2           | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 5           |
| 7.     | Firewood   | 41          | 36          | 24          | 27          | 55          | 64          | 52          | 59          | 49          | 49          |
| 8.     | Fruits and vegetables, fresh   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 2           | 18          | --          |
| 9.     | Grass,dry  | 10          | 8           | 10          | 3           | 3           | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 10.    | Gypsum   | 32          | 44          | 58          | 55          | 63          | 23          | 37          | 56          | 70          | 22          |
| 11.    | Hides, skins or pelts, common  | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 12.    | Iron & steel-Division "A" includes angles axes sheets girders etc.   | 2           | 3           | 10          | 2           | 6           | 8           | 1           | 2           | --          | 1           |
| 13.    | Iron & steel-Division "B" includes chimneys gutters, pipes etc.  | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 14.    | Iron & steel-Division "C" includes billets blooms, pig iron, etc.  | 1           | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 31          |
| 15.    | Bagree   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 6           | 1           | --          | --          |
| 16.    | Jute manufactured  | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 2           | --          |
| 17.    | Livestock  | 1           | 1           | 1           | --          | 5           | 1           | --          | --          | --          | 4           |
| 18.    | Machinery electrical   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 7           | 4           | 1           |
| 19.    | Machinery, other than electrical   | 1           | 1           | 1           | 1           | 1           | 4           | --          | 1           | --          | --          |
| 20.    | Molasses   | 6           | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 2           | 1           | 2           | 2           |
| 21.    | Oils-Division "D" includes vacuum refined edible oils  | 3           | --          | 17          | 3           | 1           | 40          | 85          | 70          | 157         | 66          |
| 22.    | Oil seeds  | 142         | 160         | 132         | 127         | 119         | 201         | 90          | 118         | 28          | 34          |
| 23.    | Ores, common   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 24.    | Other grains and pulses  | 3           | 1           | 9           | 7           | 2           | 4           | 20          | 5           | 1           | --          |
| 25.    | Paddy and rice   | 4           | 2           | 21          | 27          | 59          | 41          | 63          | 49          | 23          | 29          |
| 26.    | Petroleum and other hydro-carbon oils non-dangerous,i.e. having a flashing point at or above 76 degree Fahr:                                     |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |
|        | (a) Division "B" includes diesel oil   | 614         | 587         | 927         | 754         | 527         | 733         | 372         | 247         | 159         | 224         |
|        | (b) Division "C"includes Furnace oil   | 1201        | 971         | 1147        | 1409        | 1319        | 378         | 1032        | 733         | 1212        | 1362        |
| 27.    | Petroleum and other hydro-carbon oils dangerous i.e. having a flashing point below 76 degree Fahr-includes petrol, etc.                          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 28.    | Petroleum and other hydro-carbon oils, non-dangerous, i.e. having a flashing point at or 76 degree Fahr. Division "A" includes kerosene oil etc. | 34          | 35          | 2           | --          | --          | --          | --          | 1           | --          | --          |
| 29.    | Piece goods, cotton, woollen or artificial silk etc.   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 30.    | Salt   | 72          | 55          | 110         | 121         | 119         | 132         | 113         | 95          | 97          | 81          |
| 31.    | Sugar  | 237         | 3           | 274         | 68          | 2           | 72          | 19          | 111         | 47          | 7           |
| 32.    | Sugarcane  | 3           | 5           | 4           | 2           | 3           | 2           | --          | 2           | --          | --          |
| 33.    | Timber   | 2           | 1           | 1           | 1           | 1           | 1           | 2           | 1           | --          | 1           |
| 34.    | Tobacco, un-manufactured   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 1           | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 35.    | Wheat  | 543         | 372         | 114         | 209         | 325         | --          | 378         | 84          | 8           | 117         |
| 36.    | Wool   | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          |
| 37.    | Miscellaneous  | 1386        | 1324        | 1390        | 1406        | 1732        | 2043        | 1856        | 1845        | 1869        | 2298        |
| 38.    | Container Traffic  | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | --          | 560         | 663         | 722         | 727         |
|        | <b>Total</b>   | <b>5448</b> | <b>4771</b> | <b>5894</b> | <b>5866</b> | <b>6180</b> | <b>6140</b> | <b>6410</b> | <b>6027</b> | <b>6420</b> | <b>7234</b> |

Source: Pakistan Railways.