

## The Public Purpose

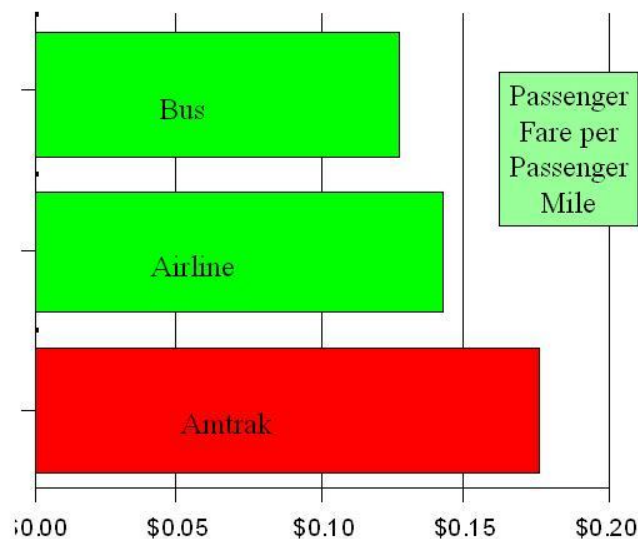
# Intercity Transport Fact Book

*To facilitate the ideal of government as the servant of the people by identifying and implementing strategies to achieve public purposes at a cost that is no higher than necessary.*

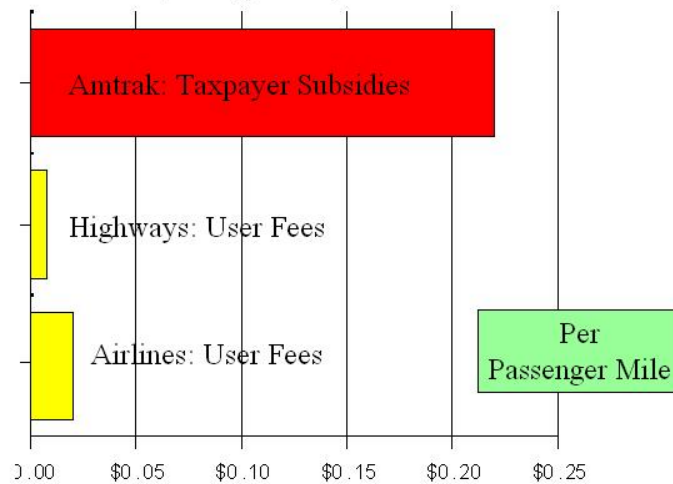
## Amtrak Chart Book

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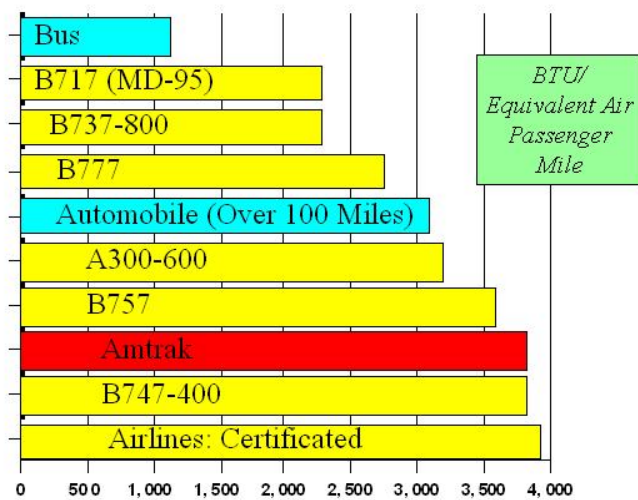
### Amtrak, Bus & Airline Fares



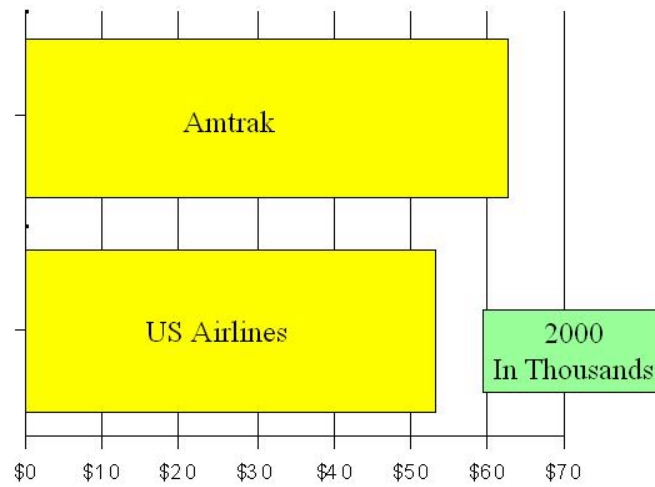
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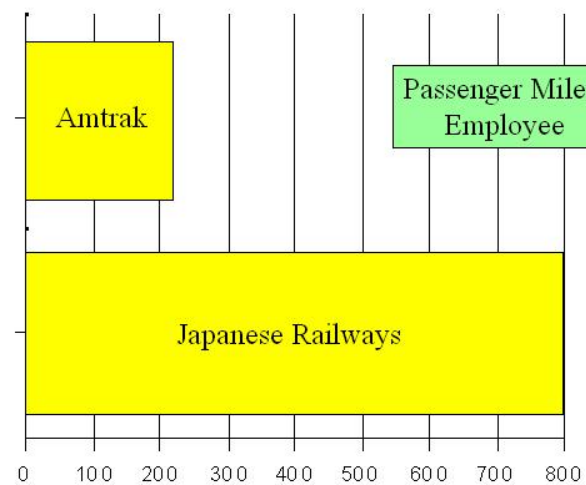
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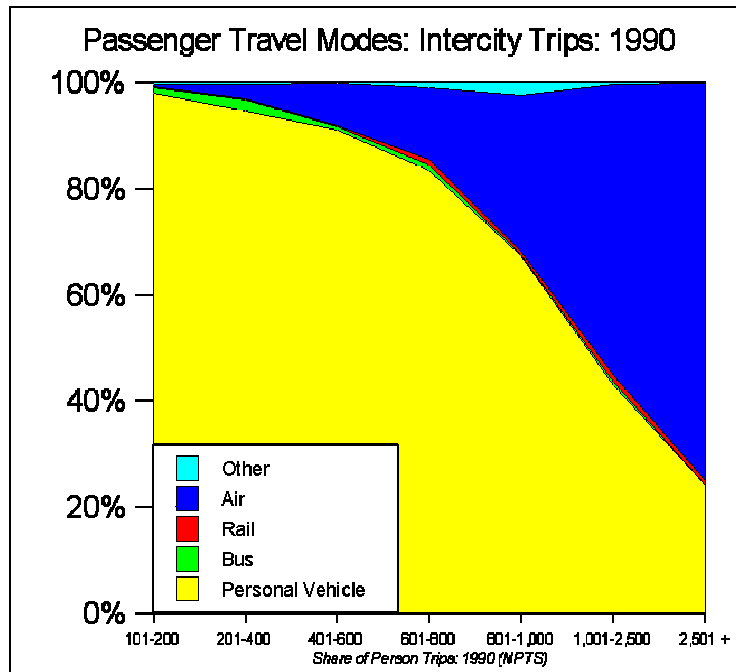


## Amtrak and Airline Employee Compensation



## Amtrak and Japanese Railway Productivity





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