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## The Swiss transport sector.

### Modal shares in passenger transport

	% of p-km <sup>2)</sup>	1970	1980	1990	1995	1997
- Rail		16.0	12.5	13.3	13.7	13.8
- Road		82.5	85.9	84.7	83.9	83.7
of which public transport		5.1	4.3	4.8	4.7	4.5
- Air traffic		1.2	1.4	1.8	2.2	2.3 <sup>1)</sup>
- Waterways		0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2 <sup>1)</sup>

### Modal shares in goods transport

	% of t-km <sup>4)</sup>	1970	1980	1990	1995	1997
- Rail		59.0	51.7	43.3	36.7	32.7
- Road		41.0	48.3	56.7	63.3	67.3

### Length of networks

	km	1980	1990	1995	2000	2001
Rail, lines owned		4 982	5 030	5 041	5 035	...
Road <sup>3)</sup>		66 544	71 099	71 372	71 231	...
- Motorways		1 170	1 495	1 540	1 858	...
Pipelines (oil)		239	239	239	110	...

### Gotthard road tunnel

- Average daily number of vehicles	6 285	15 615	17 259	18 732	16 450
- Average daily number of lorries and motorcoaches	566	1 983	2 877	3 905	3 477

### Motorization rate

	million	2.56	3.81	4.12	4.58	4.70
Private cars	million	2.26	2.99	3.2	3.5	3.6
- Inhabitants per motorcar	number	2.8	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0
Vehicles for the transportation of goods	1000	166	272	262	279	285

### Tourism

Arrivals in hotels and health establishments	1000	10 937	13 047	11 962	13 807	...
- of which foreigners		6 676	7 978	6 961	7 821	...
Overnights:						
Hotels and health establishments		35 716	37 548	32 616	35 020	...
Para-hotel trade		39 566	39 479	39 019	34 015	...

<sup>1)</sup> 1997 figures for water and air transport are estimated

<sup>2)</sup> new calculation of season tickets for unlimited number of trips,  
as from 1980, and inclusion of children travelling free as from 1987

<sup>3)</sup> municipal and cantonal roads (level 1984/98), motorways (level December 2000)

<sup>4)</sup> as from 1985 with revised road transport indications

## General data on the Swiss economy.

Inhabitants		1980	1990	2000	2001
Yearly average	1000	6 385	6 796	7 209	7 259
- up to 19 years old		1 756	1 578	1 666	1 666
- more than 65 years old		875	978	1 101	1 118
- gainfully employed persons		3 166	3 821	3 879 <sup>1)</sup>	...
<b>Gross Domestic Product</b>	billion CHF	<b>180.1</b>	<b>317.3</b>	<b>404.4</b>	<b>417.0<sup>1)</sup></b>

  

Foreign trade					
Import	million tons	45.2	40.2	44.2	45.1
- foodstuffs and animal feed		3.3	3.3	4.1	4.0
- liquid fuels and propellants		13.5	13.0	14.6	15.9
- solid fuels		0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3
- metals		2.8	2.8	3.1	2.9
Value	billion CHF	96.6	94.5	139.4	141.9
Export	million tons	7.7	9.3	14.7	14.1
Value	billion CHF	88.7	95.8	136.0	138.5
Balance		-8.4	1.3	-3.4	-3.4
<b>Balance of earnings</b>	CHF bn	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>92.0</b>	<b>52.3</b>	...

Degree of profitability <sup>4)</sup>		1980	1990	1998	1999
<b>Railway account</b> (with PSO grant)	in %	<b>76.8</b>	<b>83.8</b>	<b>84.7</b>	<b>79.3</b>
- SBB (incl. payments for infrastructure)		79.4	91.0	91.5	84.5
- licenced (private) railways		66.0	56.5	62.9	62.9
<b>Road account</b> (capital statement) <sup>2) 3)</sup>		<b>87.2</b>	<b>96.0</b>	<b>111.2</b>	
- motorcars		99.6	95.8	112.8	
- private motorcoaches		56.1	89.6	90.7	
- heavy goods vehicles (over 3.5 tons)		54.3	104.0	...	
- semi-trailers and trailers		5.5	67.7	...	

<sup>1)</sup> provisional<sup>2)</sup> new methodology as from 1985<sup>3)</sup> new methodology as from 1998<sup>4)</sup> more recent figures not yet published.