

SEATTLE PUBLIC UTILITIES
GARBAGE IN VS OUT - TONS PER TRIP
2025

	North Station				South Station				Both Stations			
	Outbound Trips	Avg Tons / Outbound Trip	Outbound 'Air Tons'	Outbound 'Air Trips'	Outbound Trips	Avg Tons / Outbound Trip	Outbound 'Air Tons'	Outbound 'Air Trips'	Outbound Trips	Avg Tons / Outbound Trip	Outbound 'Air Tons'	Outbound 'Air Trips'
JAN	281	24.0	371	153	851	25.4	283	187	1,132	25.1	654	340
FEB	243	23.2	482	171	775	25.4	232	122	1,018	24.9	714	293
MAR	334	23.1	687	238	903	25.4	272	217	1,237	24.8	959	455
APR	269	23.2	553	165	906	25.5	183	190	1,175	25.0	736	355
MAY	157	22.6	463	78	938	25.4	312	206	1,095	25.0	775	284
JUN	241	22.9	598	115	933	25.1	439	349	1,174	24.7	1,036	464
JUL	240	24.0	351	114	938	25.2	472	295	1,178	25.0	823	409
AUG	167	25.0	95	48	764	22.6	2,193	475	931	23.1	2,288	523
SEP	145	25.1	78	30	765	25.6	350	137	910	25.5	427	167
OCT	133	25.2	49	23	869	25.4	325	200	1,002	25.4	374	223
Grand Total	2,210		3,727	1,135			5,061 2.3%	2,378 27.5%			8,787	3,513
% of Total			7.1%	51.4%							3.3%	32.4%
Average	221	23.8	373	114	864	25.1	506	238	1,085	24.8	879	351
Minimum	133	22.6	49	23	764	22.6	183	122	910	23.1	374	167
Maximum	334	25.2	687	238	938	25.6	2,193	475	1,237	25.5	2,288	523

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	Inbound Garbage	Outbound Garbage	In Vs Out	Garbage Received at Rail	Out Vs Rail	Inbound Garbage	Outbound Garbage	In Vs Out	Garbage Received at Rail	Out Vs Rail	Inbound Garbage	Outbound Garbage	In Vs Out	Garbage Received at Rail	Out Vs Rail
JAN	8,255	6,748	1,507	8,150	-1,402	22,232	21,647	584	22,696	-1,049	30,487	28,396	2,091	30,846	-2,451
FEB	6,789	5,635	1,154	6,780	-1,145	19,416	19,685	-269	20,908	-1,223	26,206	25,320	885	27,688	-2,368
MAR	8,294	7,727	567	8,793	-1,066	22,842	22,941	-99	23,708	-767	31,136	30,668	468	32,501	-1,833
APR	8,625	6,252	2,373	8,710	-2,458	23,425	23,147	279	24,860	-1,713	32,050	29,398	2,652	33,569	-4,171
MAY	8,824	3,541	5,282	9,444	-5,903	23,926	23,849	78	25,231	-1,382	32,750	27,390	5,360	34,675	-7,285
JUN	9,016	5,515	3,501	9,314	-3,799	23,276	23,427	-151	24,312	-885	32,292	28,942	3,350	33,627	-4,684
JUL	9,133	5,760	3,373	9,330	-3,570	24,471	23,680	791	24,475	-795	33,605	29,440	4,165	33,805	-4,365
AUG	10,628	4,177	6,451	10,581	-6,404	16,516	17,292	-776	19,363	-2,071	27,144	21,468	5,675	29,944	-8,476
SEP	9,205	3,634	5,571	8,986	-5,352	21,331	19,567	1,764	20,991	-1,424	30,536	23,200	7,335	29,976	-6,776
OCT	8,564	3,352	5,212	8,490	-5,137	23,235	22,104	1,131	24,529	-2,425	31,799	25,457	6,342	33,019	-7,562
Grand Total	87,332	52,342	34,991	88,578	-36,236	220,671	217,338	3,332	231,073	-13,735	308,003	269,680	38,323	319,651	-49,970
% of Total			66.9%		-40.9%			1.5%		-5.9%			14.2%		-22.9%
Average	8,733	5,234	3,499	8,858	-3,624	22,067	21,734	333	23,107	-1,373	30,800	26,968	3,832	31,965	-4,997
Minimum	6,789	3,352	567	6,780	-6,404	16,516	17,292	-776	19,363	-2,425	26,206	21,468	468	27,688	-8,476
Maximum	10,628	7,727	6,451	10,581	-1,066	24,471	23,849	1,764	25,231	-767	33,605	30,668	7,335	34,675	-1,833

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	Inbound Organics	Outbound Organics	Inbound Vs Outbound	Organics Received at Processor Facility	Outbound Vs Received	Inbound Organics	Outbound Organics	Inbound Vs Outbound	Organics Received at Processor Facility	Outbound Vs Received	Inbound Organics	Outbound Organics	Inbound Vs Outbound	Organics Received at Processor Facility	Outbound Vs Received
JAN	516	240	276	196	44	5,112	2,906	2,205	4,070	-1,163	5,627	3,146	2,481	4,266	-1,119
FEB	336	90	246	268	-178	3,355	1,726	1,628	2,265	-539	3,690	1,816	1,875	2,533	-717
MAR	729	446	283	537	-92	5,631	3,056	2,574	4,518	-1,461	6,359	3,502	2,857	5,055	-1,553
APR	1,099	806	293	662	144	7,654	4,233	3,422	5,870	-1,638	8,753	5,039	3,715	6,532	-1,493
MAY	1,110	753	357	778	-25	7,875	4,448	3,426	6,394	-1,945	8,985	5,202	3,783	7,172	-1,970
JUN	1,085	628	458	817	-190	6,938	4,223	2,714	6,155	-1,931	8,023	4,851	3,172	6,972	-2,121
JUL	1,014	798	217	864	-66	6,354	4,449	1,905	5,009	-560	7,369	5,247	2,122	5,873	-627
AUG	1,352	1,019	333	940	79	4,391	2,802	1,589	3,736	-934	5,743	3,821	1,922	4,675	-854
SEP	922	651	271	697	-46	5,561	3,716	1,845	4,573	-856	6,484	4,368	2,116	5,270	-902
OCT	973	605	368	676	-71	6,432	3,994	2,438	5,253	-1,259	7,405	4,599	2,806	5,929	-1,330
Grand Total	9,136	6,035	3,101	6,435	-400	59,302	35,554	23,748	47,842	-12,288	68,438	41,590	26,849	54,277	-12,687
% of Total			51.4%		-6.2%			66.8%		-25.7%			64.6%		-23.4%
Average	914	604	310	643	-40.0	5,930	3,555	2,375	4,784	-1,229	6,844	4,159	2,685	5,428	-1,269
Minimum	336	90	217	196	-190	3,355	1,726	1,589	2,265	-1,945	3,690	1,816	1,875	2,533	-2,121
Maximum	1,352	1,019	458	940	144	7,875	4,449	3,426	6,394	-539	8,985	5,247	3,783	7,172	-627

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JAN	13	18.4	132	22.0	145	21.7
FEB	4	22.4	79	21.8	83	21.9
MAR	22	20.3	139	22.0	161	21.8
APR	37	21.8	190	22.3	227	22.2
MAY	40	18.8	190	23.4	230	22.6
JUN	36	17.4	183	23.1	219	22.2
JUL	37	21.6	175	25.4	212	24.7
AUG	46	22.2	112	25.0	158	24.2
SEP	38	17.1	141	26.4	179	24.4
OCT	37	16.4	169	23.6	206	22.3

Grand Total	310		1,510		1,820	
Average	31	19.6	151	23.5	182.0	22.8
Minimum	4	16.4	79	21.8	83	21.7
Maximum	46	22.4	190	26.4	230	24.7

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