



'L' System Slow Zone Map

August 31, 2021

“Slow zones” are areas of track where trains are required to operate at slower-than-normal speeds due to certain track conditions and other temporary concerns. Track conditions can develop on railways from age, weather and other sometimes unpredictable forces that cause distress or deterioration on track components. Slow zones can also be implemented due to nearby construction work, which can last for weeks or even months.

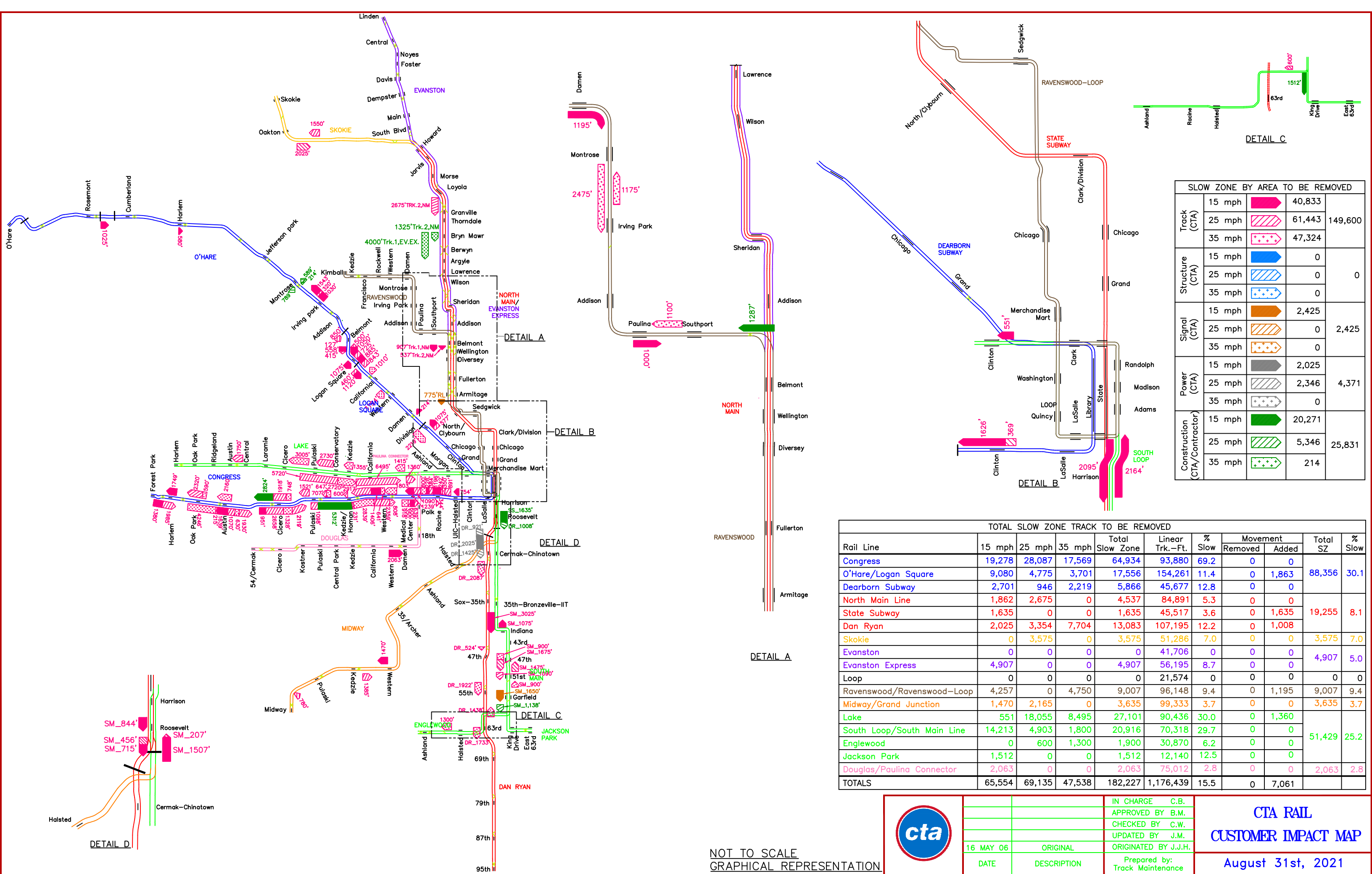
With more than 225 miles of CTA track, slow zones are constantly changing and evolving: As crews repair one section of track, new slow zones can be instituted if track inspectors detect new signs of deterioration somewhere or as an upgrade project begins on our system.

As a result, the percentage of slow zones across our system vary from month to month.

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SLOW ZONE BY AREA TO BE REMOVED				
Track (CTA)	15 mph		40,833	149,600
	25 mph		61,443	
	35 mph		47,324	
Structure (CTA)	15 mph		0	0
	25 mph		0	
	35 mph		0	
Signal (CTA)	15 mph		2,425	2,425
	25 mph		0	
	35 mph		0	
Power (CTA)	15 mph		2,025	4,371
	25 mph		2,346	
	35 mph		0	
Construction (CTA/Contractor)	15 mph		20,271	25,831
	25 mph		5,346	
	35 mph		214	

TOTAL SLOW ZONE TRACK TO BE REMOVED										
Rail Line	15 mph	25 mph	35 mph	Total Slow Zone	Linear Trk.-Ft.	% Slow	Movement Removed		Total SZ	% Slow
Congress	19,278	28,087	17,569	64,934	93,880	69.2	0	0		
O'Hare/Logan Square	9,080	4,775	3,701	17,556	154,261	11.4	0	1,863	88,356	30.1
Dearborn Subway	2,701	946	2,219	5,866	45,677	12.8	0	0		
North Main Line	1,862	2,675	0	4,537	84,891	5.3	0	0		
State Subway	1,635	0	0	1,635	45,517	3.6	0	1,635	19,255	8.1
Dan Ryan	2,025	3,354	7,704	13,083	107,195	12.2	0	1,008		
Skokie	0	3,575	0	3,575	51,286	7.0	0	0	3,575	7.0
Evanston	0	0	0	0	41,706	0	0	0	4,907	5.0
Evanston Express	4,907	0	0	4,907	56,195	8.7	0	0		
Loop	0	0	0	0	21,574	0	0	0	0	0
Ravenswood/Ravenswood-Loop	4,257	0	4,750	9,007	96,148	9.4	0	1,195	9,007	9.4
Midway/Grand Junction	1,470	2,165	0	3,635	99,333	3.7	0	0	3,635	3.7
Lake	551	18,055	8,495	27,101	90,436	30.0	0	1,360		
South Loop/South Main Line	14,213	4,903	1,800	20,916	70,318	29.7	0	0		
Englewood	0	600	1,300	1,900	30,870	6.2	0	0		
Jackson Park	1,512	0	0	1,512	12,140	12.5	0	0		
Douglas/Paulina Connector	2,063	0	0	2,063	75,012	2.8	0	0	2,063	2.8
TOTALS	65,554	69,135	47,538	182,227	1,176,439	15.5	0	7,061		



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