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Current and Future Investment in Infrastructure

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Capital Spending on Infrastructure in 2004, by Category

Billions of 2006 Dollars

	Public		Total		
	Federal	State and Local	Public	Private	Total
Highways	30.2	36.5	66.7	n.a.	66.7
Mass Transit	7.6	8.0	15.5	0	15.5
Rail	0.7	0	0.7	6.4	7.1
Aviation	5.6	6.8	12.4	2.0	14.4
Water Transportation	0.7	1.7	2.4	0.1	2.5
Utilities and Other	17.6	117.2	134.9	165.0	299.9
Total	62.4	170.2	232.6	173.5	406.1



Annual Spending on U.S. Transportation Infrastructure

Billions of 2006 Dollars

	Current Spending (Total column, previous slide)	Spending to Maintain Current Level of Service	Economically Justifiable Investment	Other
Highways	66.7	78.8	131.7	*
Mass Transit	15.5	15.8	21.8	*
Freight Rail	6.4	10.7	12.3	*
Passenger Rail	0.7	0.5	n.a.	2.1
Aviation	14.4	17.9	18.9	*
Water Transportation	2.5	2.7	n.a.	7.9
Total	106.2	126.5	184.8	



Public Capital Spending on Transportation and Water Infrastructure, 1956 to 2004

