

HOW RAIL CARS MOVE

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RAIL



BEGIN

Drive to the airport.



A train picks up your rail car and takes it to a local rail yard.

PREPARE

Board your plane with other travelers heading in the same general direction.



Your rail car is attached to a train carrying freight moving in the same direction.

DEPART

Your plane travels to a large air hub, like Chicago.



Your rail car travels to a large rail hub called a "yard."

CONNECT

Board your connecting flight with passengers headed to the same destination city.



Your rail car connects to a new train with different rail cars headed to a similar destination.

ARRIVE

Arrive at the airport in your destination city.



Your rail car arrives at a yard near its final destination.

END

Take a shuttle to your hotel.



One more (smaller) train picks up and delivers your rail car.