



Are you maintaining the driver team that your company needs?
Are you ready to replace the influx of drivers retiring over the next five years?

200,000 180,000 140,000 100,000 100,000 80,000 40,000 20,000 2012 2014 2016 2018 2020 2022 2024 2026

THE DRIVER SHORTFALL WAS EXPECTED TO REACH THE HIGHEST LEVEL ON RECORD BY END OF 2017

IF CURRENT TRENDS HOLD, THE SHORTAGE COULD SWELL TO

OVER 174,000 BY 2026 (ATA)

The issues at the heart of the driver shortage include:



Gender Stereotypes

Women are about 1/2 the US workforce, but only 6% of commercial truck drivers.



Drastic Lifestyle Change

New truck drivers often only go home a few times a month, which holds less appeal for younger generations.



Health

Fast food and gas station snacks + the sedentary life of a driver can lead to diabetes, high blood pressure, and digestive issues.

The ATA reports that common responses to the driver shortage include:



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