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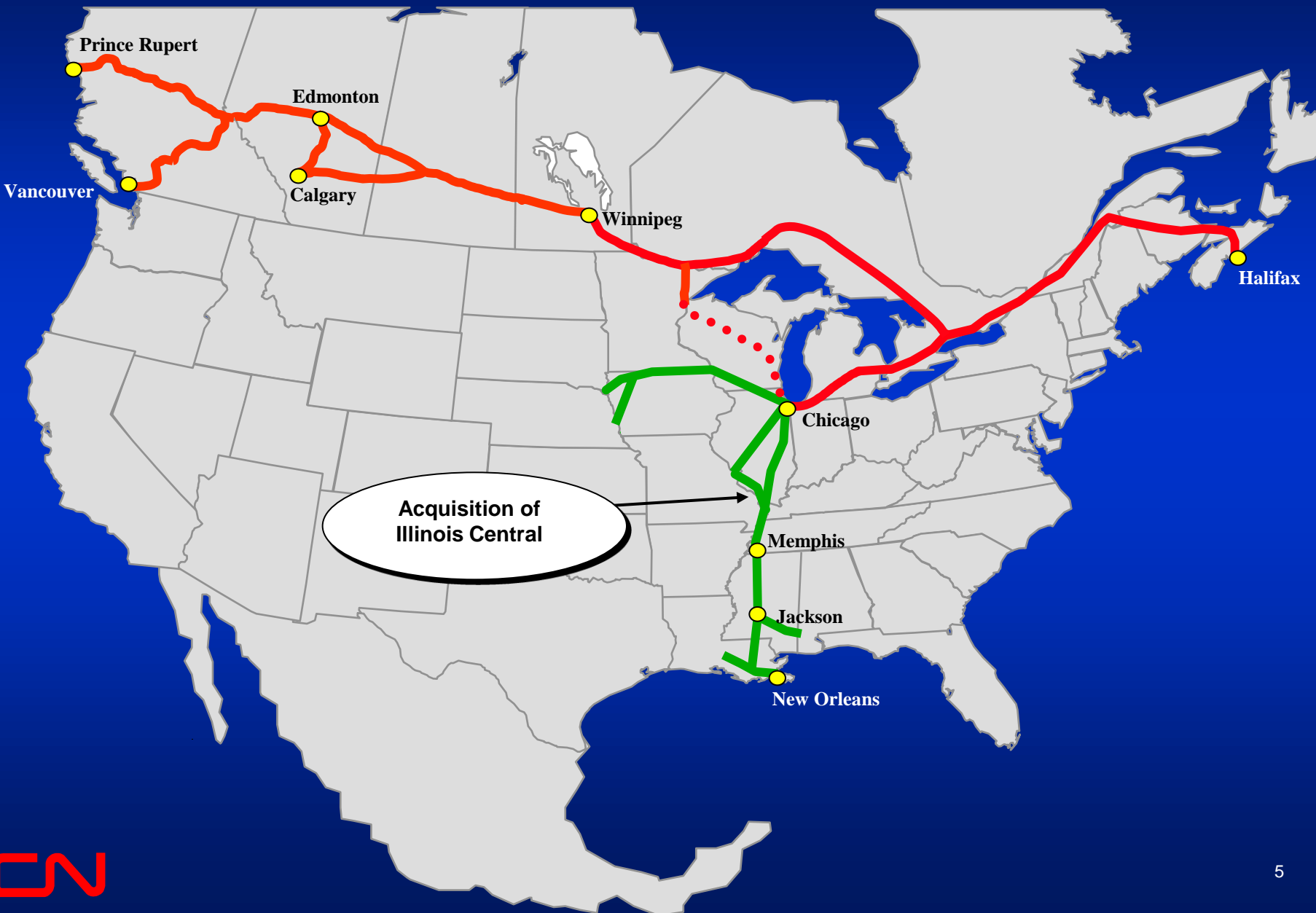


CN Network — 1995



**Traffic flows mainly between
Eastern and Western Canada**

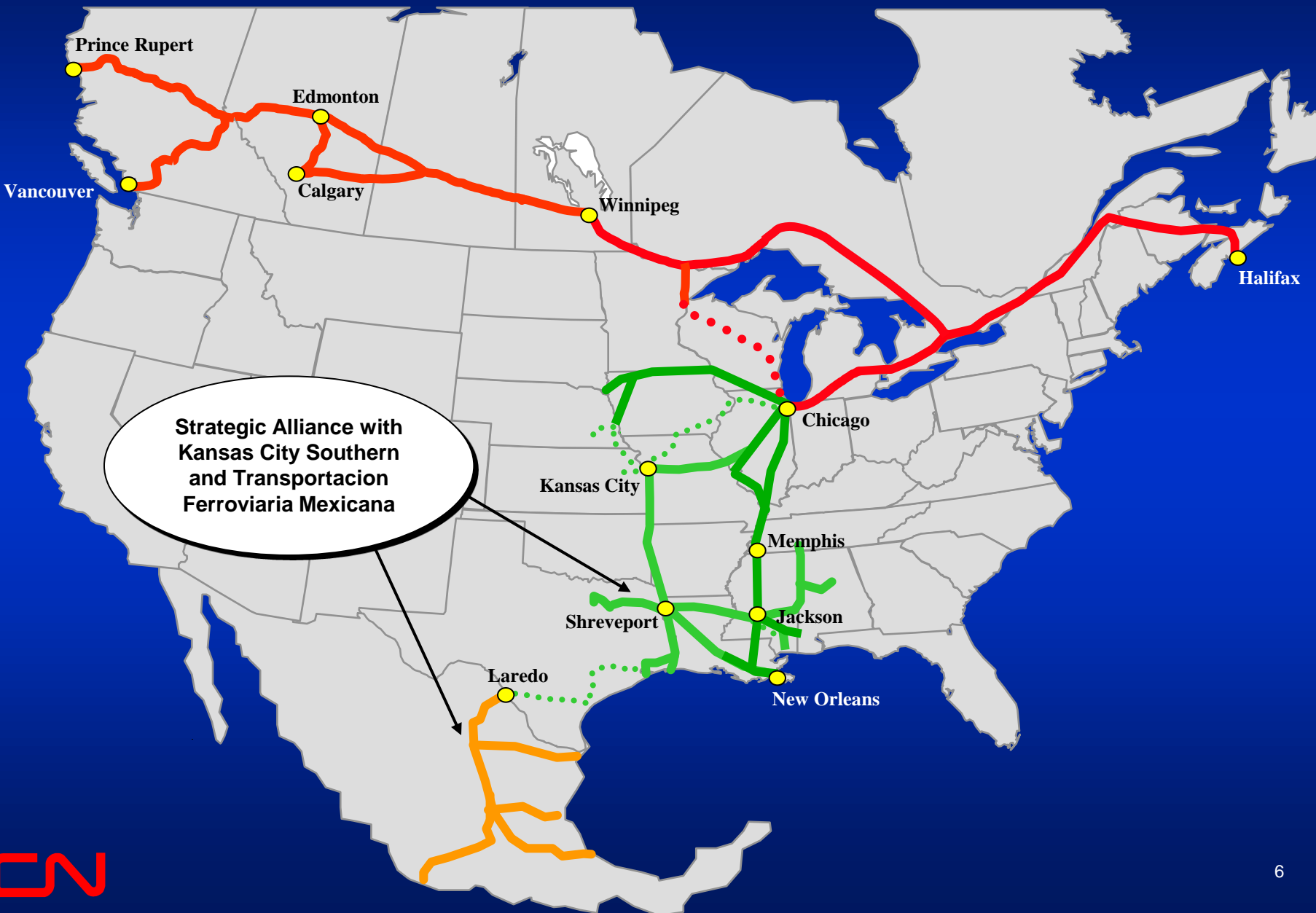
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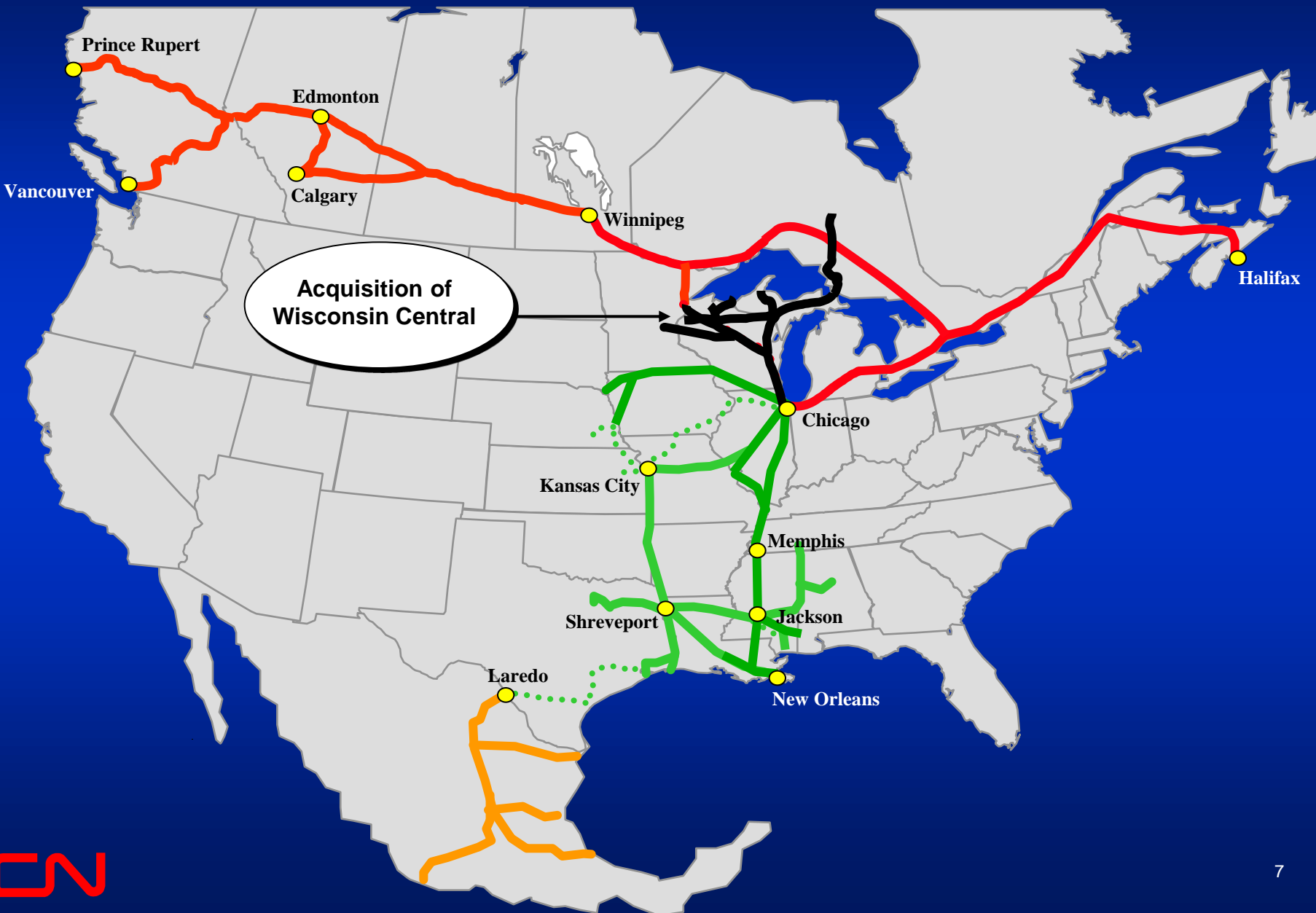
Acquisition of Illinois Central



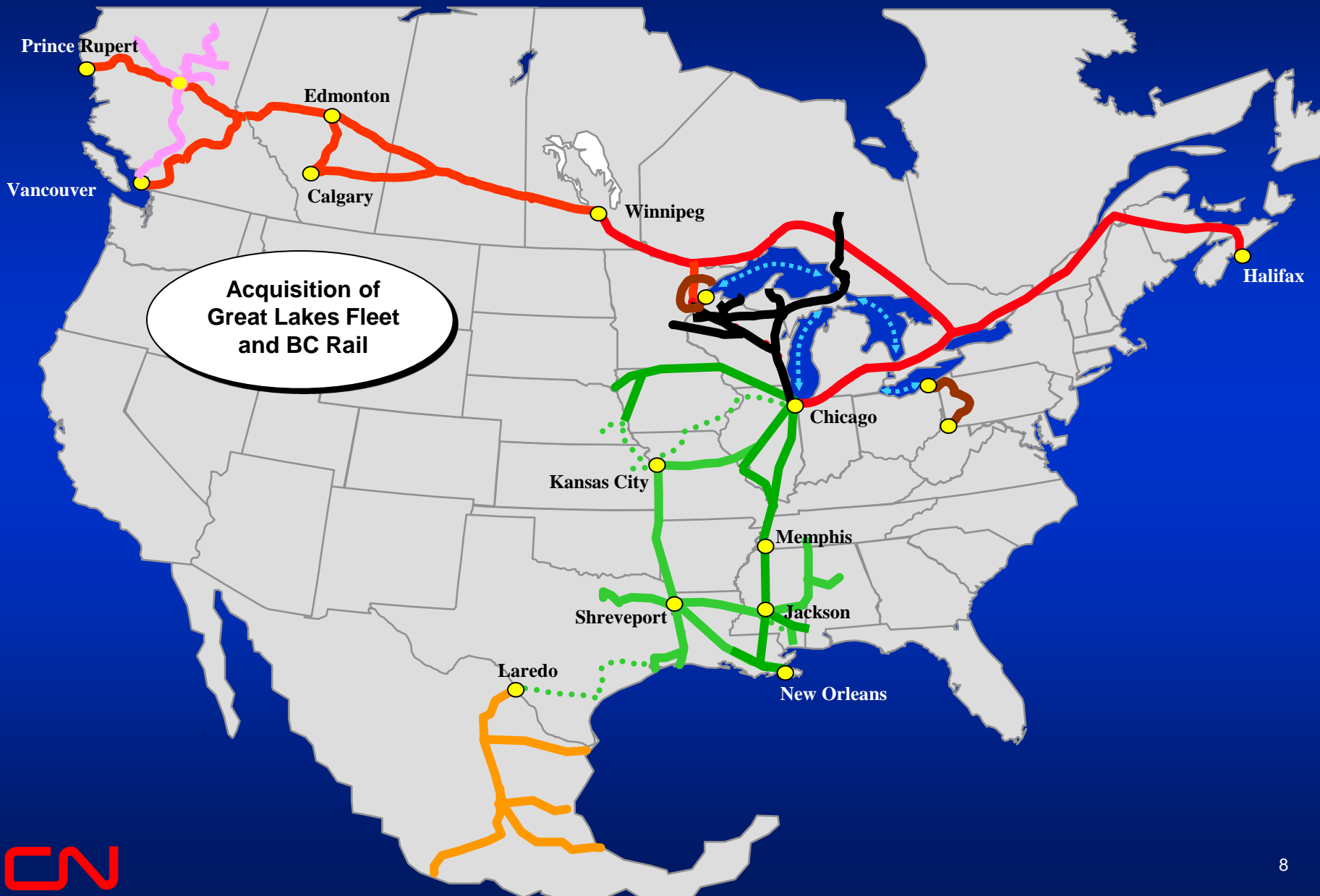
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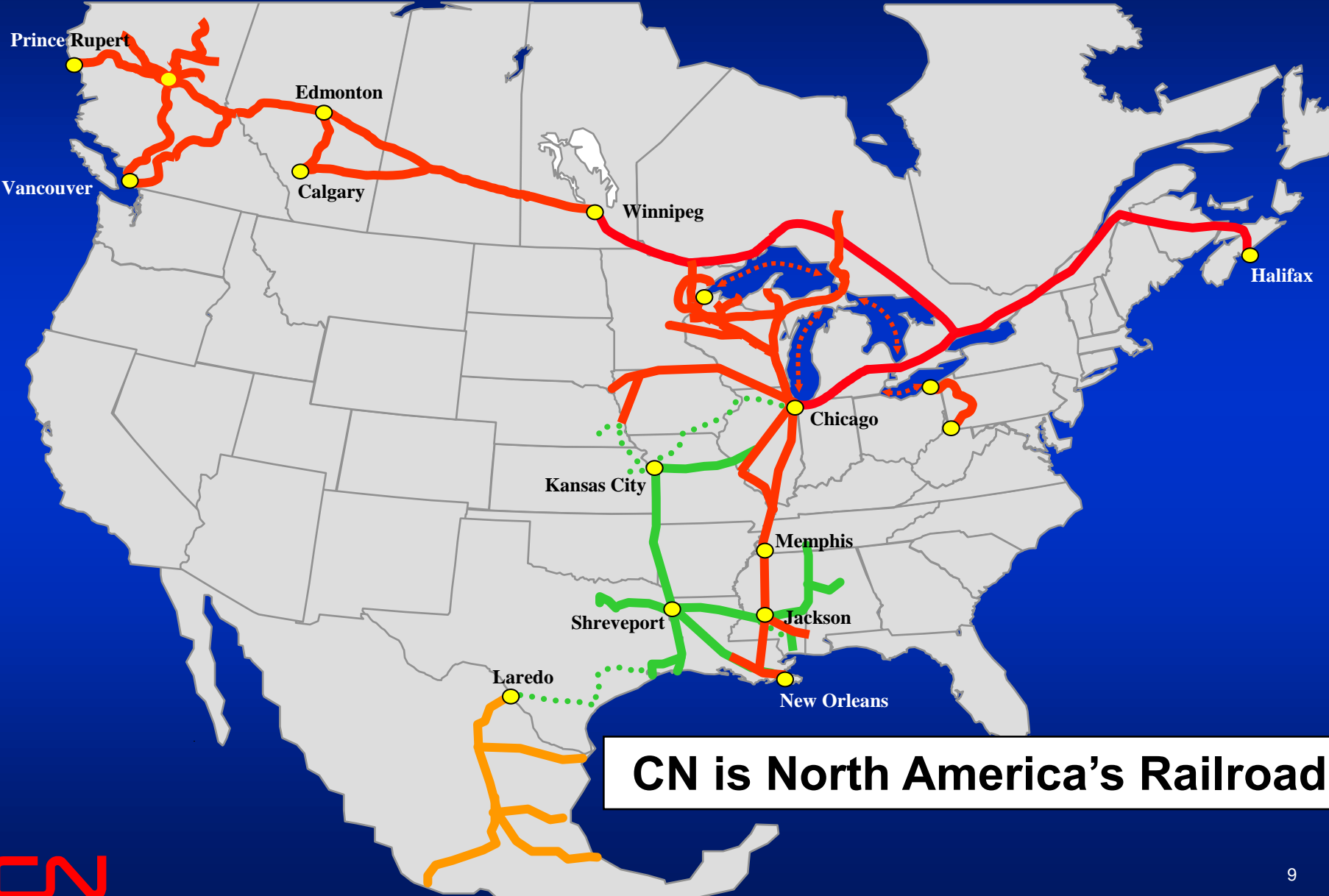
CN Network — 2001



CN Network — Recent Developments



CN Today — A “3-Coast” Network

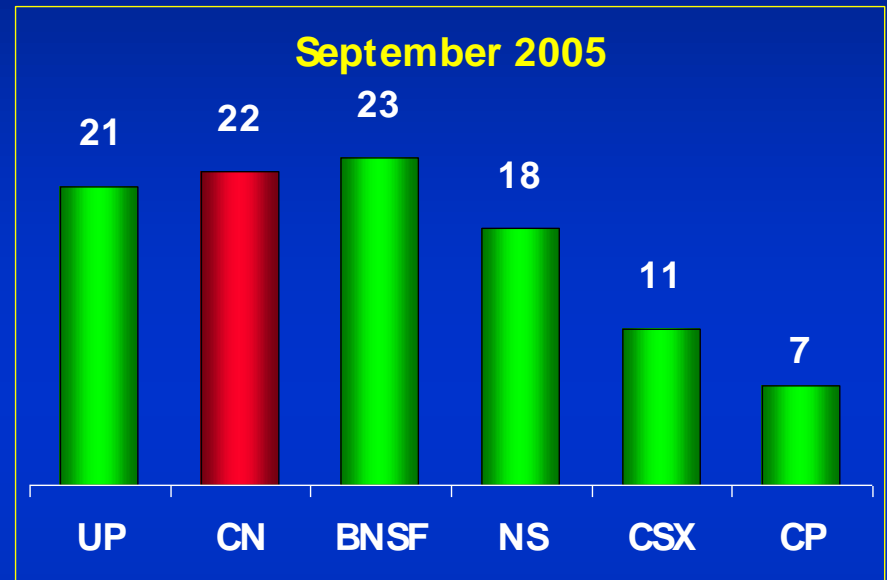
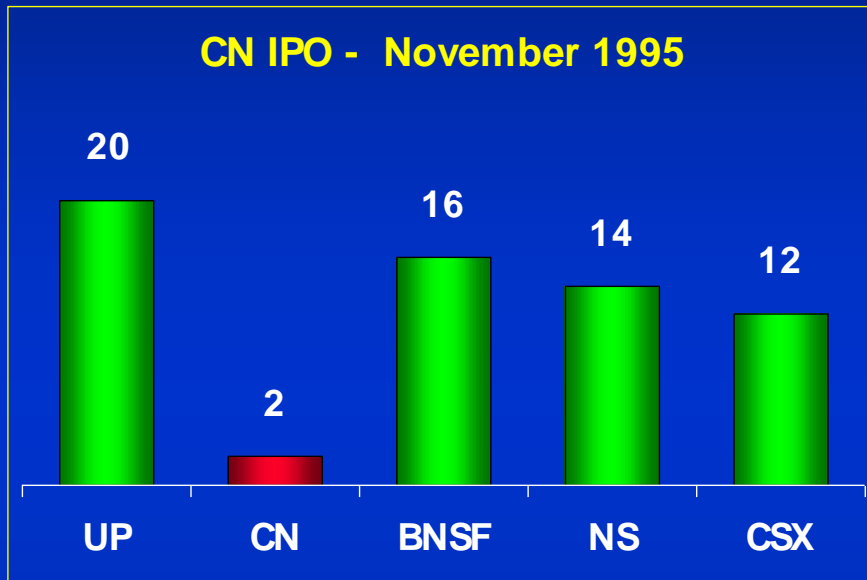


CN is North America's Railroad



Market Capitalization

(Cdn \$ billion)



This is Excellence



This is the Competition



This is our Capacity



This is the Engine



A Culture of Precision

A Simple and Powerful Game Plan



Challenge everything and improve it!



Rail Safety: Investing in our Network



Lake Wabamun, Alberta

- Major incident
- Within days...
 - 80,000 feet of booms
 - 400+ spill-trained contract workers
 - Specialized equipment, e.g. skimmers
 - World-renowned experts
 - CN Wildlife Recovery Centre
- Excellent progress on clean-up; more in the spring
- CN-led and coordinated response
- Good cooperation
- CN is committed!

What's Next?

- CN in China and Asia:
 - Beijing
 - Shanghai
 - Hong Kong
 - Taipei
 - Tokyo
 - Seoul



Prince Rupert

- Ready for the future
- Excellent natural harbour
- Can handle the largest container ships
- Closest North American port to China: an extra round-trip voyage every year



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