



Lake Carriers' Association

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Iron Ore Shipments from Great Lakes and Seaway Ports December 2006-2011 and 5-Year Average (net tons)

U.S. Great Lakes Ports							
Port	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Average 2006-2010
Duluth, MN	332,963	309,921	567,680	498,682	669,854	736,202	475,820
Superior, WI	1,508,525	963,180	327,444	254,645	613,737	1,226,750	733,506
Two Harbors, MN	1,543,860	1,399,294	1,101,072	1,020,083	1,321,370	1,846,652	1,277,136
Silver Bay, MN	265,046	575,375	29,391	690,798	521,522	435,097	416,426
Presque Isle, MI	640,311	726,536	322,231	785,869	700,208	923,717	635,031
Escanaba, MI	336,184	635,083	534,134	609,943	514,816	820,907	526,032
Cleveland, OH	126,640	125,848	0	264,961	246,696	240,737	152,829
Total	4,753,529	4,735,237	2,881,952	4,124,981	4,588,203	6,230,062	4,216,780
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	177,697	88,724	60,640	186,142	27,340	104,303	108,109
Port Cartier, QC	530,693	495,211	32,943	67,739	299,696	430,530	285,256
Sept Iles, QC	589,480	127,373	92,288	125,810	98,382	0	206,667
Total	1,297,870	711,308	185,871	379,691	425,418	534,833	600,032
Total – All Ports	6,051,399	5,446,545	3,067,823	4,504,672	5,013,621	6,764,895	4,816,812

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Great Lakes Ports							
Port	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Average 2006-2010
Duluth, MN	7,164,620	6,362,054	8,429,849	5,544,879	6,085,176	7,711,147	6,717,316
Superior, WI*	11,998,407	12,396,921	10,285,069	2,427,228	7,745,539	8,949,320	8,970,633
Two Harbors, MN	14,447,327	13,651,111	13,461,896	7,001,579	14,119,821	16,271,740	12,536,347
Silver Bay, MN	4,814,260	4,905,387	6,684,812	3,390,818	6,788,916	6,017,263	5,316,839
Presque Isle, MI	7,210,441	6,530,532	7,104,003	5,266,079	7,153,633	9,643,716	6,652,938
Escanaba, MI	4,505,150	4,877,479	5,260,006	4,298,566	3,883,685	3,665,692	4,564,977
Cleveland, OH	3,121,814	2,156,662	1,893,887	759,385	2,364,871	2,780,768	2,059,324
Total	53,262,019	50,880,146	53,119,522	28,688,534	48,141,641	55,039,646	46,818,372
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	1,779,433	1,646,387	1,359,061	938,450	896,193	913,754	1,323,905
Port Cartier, QC	4,726,226	5,135,121	4,190,324	1,256,675	3,362,594	4,407,788	3,734,188
Sept Iles, QC	3,232,234	2,594,146	2,467,934	1,668,357	1,998,182	993,364	2,392,171
Total	9,737,893	9,375,654	8,017,319	3,863,482	6,256,969	6,314,906	7,450,263
Total – All Ports	62,999,912	60,255,800	61,136,841	32,552,016	54,398,610	61,354,552	54,268,636

*November total revised from 694,500 tons to 697,254 tons.

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