



Lake Carriers' Association

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Iron Ore Shipments from Great Lakes and Seaway Ports to Great Lakes Destinations

April 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	679,683	417,661	890,306	347,626	751,733	938,465	617,402
Superior, WI	1,017,318	1,407,861	940,174	296,009	93,451	820,401	750,963
Two Harbors, MN	1,555,733	1,219,787	955,859	514,674	1,601,685	1,500,413	1,169,548
Silver Bay, MN	582,716	657,197	879,193	216,633	995,250	568,831	666,198
Presque Isle, MI	731,284	650,966	485,577	160,417	763,480	809,581	558,345
Escanaba, MI	373,031	350,520	375,309	227,660	253,383	195,629	315,981
Cleveland, OH	240,145	200,962	197,655	0	186,056	239,619	164,964
Total	5,179,910	4,904,954	4,724,073	1,763,019	4,645,038	5,072,939	4,243,399
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	207,431	146,394	205,224	27,032	117,643	57,638	140,745
Port Cartier, QC	499,195	524,225	458,678	241,541	362,986	468,233	417,325
Sept Iles, QC	277,868	302,127	196,784	157,465	268,951	139,520	240,639
Total	984,494	972,746	860,686	426,038	749,580	665,391	798,709
Total - U.S., Canada	6,164,404	5,877,700	5,584,759	2,189,057	5,394,618	5,738,330	5,042,108

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Year-To-Date 2006-2011 and 5-Year Average (net tons)

Great Lakes Ports							
Port	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Average 2006-2010
Duluth, MN	1,470,593	894,566	1,687,996	546,767	1,131,184	1,633,023	1,146,221
Superior, WI	1,653,793	2,457,570	1,563,499	296,009	276,116	1,253,230	1,249,397
Two Harbors, MN	3,035,924	2,307,664	2,277,535	931,844	2,457,957	2,579,682	2,202,185
Silver Bay, MN	973,862	657,197	1,548,042	216,633	1,494,914	909,417	978,130
Presque Isle, MI	1,057,231	914,339	960,215	218,877	1,321,544	1,459,206	894,441
Escanaba, MI	1,889,884	1,784,134	2,108,057	682,473	1,367,658	1,234,059	1,566,441
Cleveland, OH	811,129	530,558	549,230	0	643,130	645,127	506,809
Total	10,892,416	9,546,028	10,694,574	2,892,603	8,692,503	9,713,744	8,543,625
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	266,428	174,197	229,851	27,032	131,760	84,565	165,854
Port Cartier, QC	531,217	770,116	741,581	452,061	420,115	678,277	583,018
Sept Iles, QC	339,232	418,724	220,398	157,465	268,951	230,920	280,954
Total	1,136,877	1,363,037	1,191,830	636,558	820,826	993,762	1,029,826
Total - U.S., Canada	12,029,293	10,909,065	11,886,404	3,529,161	9,513,329	10,707,506	9,573,450

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