



Lake Carriers' Association

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Iron Ore Shipments from Great Lakes and Seaway Ports: December 2007-2012 and 5-Year Average
Includes Shipments from U.S. Ports to Québec City for Transshipment Overseas
 (net tons)

U.S. Great Lakes Ports							Average
Port	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2007-2011
Duluth, MN	309,921	567,680	498,682	669,854	736,202	762,015	556,468
Superior, WI	963,180	327,444	254,645	613,737	1,226,750	849,499	677,151
Two Harbors, MN	1,399,294	1,101,072	1,020,083	1,321,370	1,846,652	1,918,700	1,337,694
Silver Bay, MN	575,375	29,391	690,798	521,522	435,097	516,142	450,437
Presque Isle, MI	726,536	322,231	785,869	700,208	923,717	959,308	691,712
Escanaba, MI	635,083	534,134	609,943	514,816	820,907	363,682	622,977
Cleveland, OH	125,848	0	264,961	246,696	240,737	247,458	175,648
Total	4,735,237	2,881,952	4,124,981	4,588,203	6,230,062	5,616,804	4,512,087
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	88,724	60,640	186,142	27,340	104,303	117,899	93,430
Port Cartier, QC	495,211	32,943	67,739	299,696	430,530	393,118	265,224
Sept Iles, QC	127,373	92,288	125,810	98,382	0	297,856	88,771
Total	711,308	185,871	379,691	425,418	534,833	808,873	447,424
Total – All Ports	5,446,545	3,067,823	4,504,672	5,013,621	6,764,895	6,425,677	4,959,511

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Great Lakes Ports							
Port	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Average 2007-2011
Duluth, MN	6,362,054	8,429,849	5,544,879	6,085,176	7,711,147	8,024,498	6,826,621
Superior, WI*	12,396,921	10,285,069	2,427,228	7,745,539	8,949,320	9,661,598	8,360,815
Two Harbors, MN	13,651,111	13,461,896	7,001,579	14,119,821	16,271,740	16,557,933	12,901,229
Silver Bay, MN	4,905,387	6,684,812	3,390,818	6,788,916	6,017,263	6,093,587	5,557,439
Presque Isle, MI	6,530,532	7,104,003	5,266,079	7,153,633	9,643,716	8,204,860	7,139,593
Escanaba, MI	4,877,479	5,260,006	4,298,566	3,883,685	3,665,692	2,705,797	4,397,086
Cleveland, OH	2,156,662	1,893,887	759,385	2,364,871	2,780,768	2,440,188	1,991,115
Total	50,880,146	53,119,522	28,688,534	48,141,641	55,039,646	53,688,461	47,173,898
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	1,646,387	1,359,061	938,450	896,193	913,754	718,140	1,150,769
Port Cartier, QC	5,135,121	4,190,324	1,256,675	3,362,594	4,407,788	4,736,541	3,670,500
Sept Iles, QC	2,594,146	2,467,934	1,668,357	1,998,182	993,364	2,456,179	1,944,397
Total	9,375,654	8,017,319	3,863,482	6,256,969	6,314,906	7,910,860	6,765,666
Total – All Ports	60,255,800	61,136,841	32,552,016	54,398,610	61,354,552	61,599,321	53,939,564

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