



Lake Carriers' Association

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Great Lakes Coal Shipments: May 2008-2013 and 5-Year Average (net tons)

Port	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	Average 2008-2012
Superior, WI	2,339,038	2,408,512	1,777,652	1,588,507	1,587,072	1,558,980	1,823,067
Thunder Bay, ON	238,959	88,108	122,881	75,669	93,130	77,648	132,660
Total - Lake Superior	2,577,997	2,496,620	1,900,533	1,664,176	1,680,202	1,636,628	1,955,727
Chicago, IL	316,865	235,810	282,669	411,104	372,714	304,177	345,838
Total - Lake Michigan	316,865	235,810	282,669	411,104	372,714	304,177	345,838
Toledo, OH	367,816	261,110	362,774	427,173	252,634	224,837	352,599
Sandusky, OH	186,469	129,038	335,980	224,965	349,388	274,189	274,201
Ashtabula, OH	688,329	477,532	305,912	219,753	269,561	154,954	370,889
Conneaut, OH	190,260	0	0	0	0	0	47,565
Buffalo, NY	31,807	0	0	0	0	0	7,952
Total - Lake Erie	1,464,681	867,680	1,004,666	871,891	871,583	653,980	1,053,205
Total - All Lakes	4,359,543	3,600,110	3,187,868	2,947,171	2,924,499	2,594,785	3,354,770

5-year average excludes 2009.

Great Lakes Coal Shipments: Year-To-Date 2008-2013 and 5-Year Average (net tons)

Port	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	Average 2008-2012
Superior, WI	5,628,718	4,857,687	3,716,715	3,648,667	3,572,152	3,175,368	4,141,563
Thunder Bay, ON	501,965	146,685	257,719	162,641	167,371	188,220	272,424
Total - Lake Superior	6,130,683	5,004,372	3,974,434	3,811,308	3,739,523	3,363,588	4,413,987
Chicago, IL	795,269	265,179	490,225	825,657	768,018	718,167	719,792
Total - Lake Michigan	795,269	265,179	490,225	825,657	768,018	718,167	719,792
Toledo, OH	794,693	333,826	821,197	865,669	416,152	348,548	724,428
Sandusky, OH	712,676	409,992	766,800	617,880	791,579	671,874	722,234
Ashtabula, OH	1,710,924	975,229	750,273	461,690	527,603	299,036	862,623
Conneaut, OH	915,919	0	0	0	0	0	228,980
Buffalo, NY	79,695	0	0	0	0	0	19,924
Total - Lake Erie	4,213,907	1,719,047	2,338,270	1,945,239	1,735,334	1,319,458	2,558,188
Total - All Lakes	11,139,859	6,988,598	6,802,929	6,582,204	6,242,875	5,401,213	7,691,967

5-year average excludes 2009.

Lake Carriers' Association represents 17 American companies that operate 57 U.S.-flag vessels on the Great Lakes and carry the raw materials that drive the nation's economy: iron ore and fluxstone for the steel industry, limestone, and cement for the construction industry, coal for power generation, as well as salt, sand and grain. Collectively, these vessels can transport more than 115 million tons of cargo per year. These cargos support more than 103,000 jobs with an average wage of \$47,000. More information is available at www.lcaships.com.

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