



Lake Carriers' Association

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Iron Ore Shipments from Great Lakes and Seaway Ports to Great Lakes Destinations (Includes Cargos from U.S. Ports Delivered to Québec City for Shipment Overseas) August 2008-2013 and Long-Term Average

(net tons)

U.S. Great Lakes Ports							
Port	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	Average 2008-2012*
Duluth, MN	822,031	1,003,054	637,193	469,730	658,299	1,030,477	646,813
Superior, WI	1,450,184	66,361	1,250,180	1,127,811	896,127	770,573	1,181,076
Two Harbors, MN	1,496,113	475,124	1,413,396	2,060,256	1,805,150	1,785,903	1,693,729
Silver Bay, MN	854,650	333,240	640,816	667,008	1,000,694	389,570	790,792
Presque Isle, MI	960,264	829,979	813,040	1,152,072	800,694	596,681	931,518
Escanaba, MI	191,085	227,291	252,887	70,597	67,436	368,879	145,501
Cleveland, OH	191,033	0	99,433	287,270	182,039	137,733	189,944
Total	5,965,360	2,935,049	5,106,945	5,834,744	5,410,439	5,079,816	5,579,372
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	151,348	57,421	116,266	89,318	82,231	149,538	109,791
Port Cartier, QC	469,539	101,292	519,534	471,401	602,329	548,231	515,701
Sept Iles, QC	357,858	157,894	269,649	155,866	276,680	29,949	265,013
Total	978,745	316,607	905,449	716,585	961,240	727,718	890,505
Total - U.S., Canada	6,944,105	3,251,656	6,012,394	6,551,329	6,371,679	5,807,534	6,469,877

* Excludes 2009.

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Year-To-Date 2008-2013 and Long-Term Average
(net tons)**

U.S. Great Lakes Ports							
Port	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	Average 2008-2012*
Duluth, MN	5,089,010	3,581,095	3,468,457	4,601,924	5,313,991	4,864,156	4,618,346
Superior, WI	6,895,752	1,648,867	4,847,161	5,235,666	6,436,652	5,163,381	5,853,808
Two Harbors, MN	8,257,108	2,872,584	8,904,394	9,692,601	9,673,050	10,592,890	9,131,788
Silver Bay, MN	5,443,463	876,903	4,374,824	3,841,469	4,045,685	3,208,519	4,426,360
Presque Isle, MI	4,702,874	2,619,903	4,113,556	5,710,043	5,025,660	4,003,240	4,888,033
Escanaba, MI	3,280,022	2,363,486	2,528,888	1,939,234	1,950,780	1,985,354	2,424,731
Cleveland, OH	1,490,987	0	1,617,376	1,836,424	1,493,351	1,644,950	1,609,535
Total	35,159,216	13,962,838	29,854,656	32,857,361	33,939,169	31,462,490	32,952,601
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	945,054	327,904	574,193	460,294	428,940	565,881	602,120
Port Cartier, QC	2,915,277	836,957	1,976,501	2,556,911	2,700,355	3,001,716	2,537,261
Sept Iles, QC	1,533,242	961,518	1,227,668	823,087	1,483,710	412,753	1,266,927
Total	5,393,573	2,126,379	3,778,362	3,840,292	4,613,005	3,980,350	4,406,308
Total - U.S., Canada	40,552,789	16,089,217	33,633,018	36,697,653	38,552,174	35,442,840	37,358,909

* Excludes 2009

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