



# Lake Carriers' Association

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## Iron Ore Shipments from Great Lakes and Seaway Ports to Great Lakes Destinations (Includes Transshipments to Québec City for Shipment Overseas) March 2009-2014 and Long-Term Average

(net tons)

U.S. Great Lakes Ports							Average 2009-2013*
Port	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Duluth, MN	0	269,652	221,224	214,272	235,751	0	235,225
Superior, WI	0	0	143,291	362,183	197,252	0	175,682
Two Harbors, MN	0	539,869	332,595	554,340	392,433	66,824	454,809
Silver Bay, MN	0	221,166	111,621	143,544	214,344	0	172,669
Presque Isle, MI	33,680	257,038	154,809	175,134	190,298	0	194,320
Escanaba, MI	387,852	500,472	449,384	164,377	245,364	495,386	339,899
Cleveland, OH	0	321,714	339,890	260,483	327,499	299,863	312,397
<b>Total</b>	<b>421,532</b>	<b>2,109,911</b>	<b>1,752,814</b>	<b>1,874,333</b>	<b>1,802,941</b>	<b>862,073</b>	<b>1,885,000</b>
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Pointe Noire, QC	0	0	26,927	0	0	0	6,732
Port Cartier, QC	210,520	57,129	52,767	57,081	0	246,649	41,744
Sept Iles, QC	0	0	91,400	228,178	113,538	0	108,279
<b>Total</b>	<b>210,520</b>	<b>57,129</b>	<b>171,094</b>	<b>285,259</b>	<b>113,538</b>	<b>246,649</b>	<b>156,755</b>
<b>Total – U.S., Canada</b>	<b>632,052</b>	<b>2,167,040</b>	<b>1,923,908</b>	<b>2,159,592</b>	<b>1,916,479</b>	<b>1,108,722</b>	<b>2,041,755</b>

\* Excludes 2009.

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## Iron Ore Shipments from Great Lakes and Seaway Ports to Great Lakes Destinations (Includes Transshipments to Québec City for Shipment Overseas) Year-To-Date 2009-2014 and Long-Term Average

(net tons)

<b>U.S. Great Lakes Ports</b>							<b>Average 2009-2013*</b>
<b>Port</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	
Duluth, MN	199,140	379,451	694,558	450,393	553,433	207,120	519,459
Superior, WI	0	182,665	432,829	1,071,477	692,816	169,522	594,947
Two Harbors, MN	417,171	856,272	1,079,269	1,201,855	1,317,105	516,556	1,113,625
Silver Bay, MN	0	499,664	340,586	461,725	408,816	79,528	427,698
Presque Isle, MI	58,461	558,064	649,625	783,349	820,444	258,336	702,871
Escanaba, MI	454,814	1,114,275	1,038,430	1,206,202	362,674	1,025,250	930,395
Cleveland, OH	0	457,074	405,508	397,027	578,478	610,820	459,522
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,129,586</b>	<b>4,047,465</b>	<b>4,640,805</b>	<b>5,572,028</b>	<b>4,733,766</b>	<b>2,867,132</b>	<b>4,748,516</b>
<b>Canadian Seaway Ports</b>							<b>Average 2009-2013*</b>
<b>Port</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	
Pointe Noire, QC	0	0	26,927	0	0	0	6,732
Port Cartier, QC*	210,520	57,129	52,767	57,081	362,069	636,764	132,262
Sept Iles, QC	0	0	91,400	228,178	113,548	0	108,279
<b>Total</b>	<b>210,520</b>	<b>57,129</b>	<b>171,094</b>	<b>285,259</b>	<b>475,607</b>	<b>636,764</b>	<b>247,272</b>
<b>Total - U.S., Canada</b>	<b>1,340,106</b>	<b>4,104,594</b>	<b>4,811,899</b>	<b>5,857,287</b>	<b>5,209,373</b>	<b>3,503,896</b>	<b>4,995,788</b>

\* Excludes 2009.

The year-to-date total includes the following shipments in February: Escanaba – 127,309 tons; Cleveland – 87,808 tons; Port Cartier – 153,240 tons.

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