



Lake Carriers' Association

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Great Lakes Coal Shipments: April 2009-2014 and Long-Term Average

(Net Tons)

Port	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Average 2009-2013*
Superior, WI	2,002,376	1,343,466	1,149,026	1,281,601	1,274,020	264,866	1,262,028
Thunder Bay, ON	30,061	122,650	86,972	71,138	110,572	0	97,833
Total - Lake Superior	2,032,437	1,466,116	1,235,998	1,352,739	1,384,592	264,866	1,359,861
Chicago, IL	248,716	152,642	335,544	220,434	298,388	158,956	251,752
Total - Lake Michigan	248,716	152,642	335,544	220,434	298,388	158,956	251,752
Toledo, OH	42,522	372,784	307,436	134,489	123,711	173,683	234,605
Sandusky, OH	203,862	237,118	233,994	320,567	232,915	176,355	256,149
Ashtabula, OH	243,520	277,723	190,370	186,376	144,082	221,188	199,638
Conneaut, OH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buffalo, NY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total - Lake Erie	489,904	887,625	731,800	641,432	500,708	571,226	690,391
Total - All Lakes	2,771,057	2,506,383	2,303,342	2,214,605	2,183,688	995,048	2,302,005

* Excludes 2009

Great Lakes Coal Shipments: Year-To-Date 2009-2014 and Long-Term Average

(Net Tons)

Port	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Average 2009-2013*
Superior, WI	2,449,175	1,939,063	2,060,160	1,985,080	1,616,388	480,821	1,900,173
Thunder Bay, ON	58,577	134,838	86,972	74,241	110,572	0	101,656
Total - Lake Superior	2,507,752	2,073,901	2,147,132	2,059,321	1,726,960	480,821	2,001,829
Chicago, IL	338,978	207,556	414,553	395,304	413,990	238,777	357,851
Total - Lake Michigan	338,978	207,556	414,553	395,304	413,990	238,777	357,851
Toledo, OH	42,522	458,423	438,496	163,518	123,711	199,557	296,037
Sandusky, OH	280,954	430,820	392,915	442,191	397,685	211,746	415,903
Ashtabula, OH	497,697	444,361	241,937	258,042	144,082	338,871	272,106
Conneaut, OH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buffalo, NY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total - Lake Erie	821,173	1,333,604	1,073,348	863,751	665,478	750,174	984,045
Total - All Lakes	3,667,903	3,615,061	3,635,033	3,318,376	2,806,428	1,469,772	3,343,725

* Excludes 2009

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