

Lake Carriers' Association

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Great Lakes Coal Shipments: December 2009-2014 and Long-Term Average (net tons)

Port	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Average 2009-2013*
Superior, WI	1,218,277	1,650,354	1,086,530	1,347,033	1,123,608	1,615,475	1,301,881
Thunder Bay, ON	94,724	165,372	80,981	77,086	60,080	0	95,880
Total - Lake Superior	1,313,001	1,815,726	1,167,511	1,424,119	1,183,688	1,615,475	1,397,761
Chicago, IL	114,886	279,215	486,253	272,856	298,791	308,650	334,279
Total - Lake Michigan	114,886	279,215	486,253	272,856	298,791	308,650	334,279
Toledo, OH	369,626	314,899	363,186	200,010	224,420	472,372	275,629
Sandusky, OH	200,894	329,707	402,141	287,500	323,122	407,515	335,618
Ashtabula, OH	332,682	226,739	128,850	93,002	161,425	237,238	152,504
Conneaut, OH	0	0	0	0	0	92,726	0
Buffalo, NY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total - Lake Erie	903,202	871,345	894,177	580,512	708,967	1,209,851	763,750
Total - All Lakes	2,331,089	2,966,286	2,547,941	2,277,487	2,191,446	3,133,976	2,495,790

^{*} Excludes 2009.

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	(not tons)											
							Average					
Port	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2009-2013*					
Superior, WI	18,277,021	17,967,646	14,285,053	14,258,905	14,368,364	13,609,407	15,219,992					
Thunder Bay, ON	945,328	1,184,003	913,099	836,416	665,590	491,264	899,777					
Total - Lake Superior	19,222,349	19,151,649	15,198,152	15,095,321	15,033,954	14,100,671	16,119,769					
Chicago, IL	2,209,971	2,609,045	3,795,445	3,243,434	2,872,558	1,899,388	3,130,121					
Total - Lake Michigan	2,209,971	2,609,045	3,795,445	3,243,434	2,872,558	1,899,388	3,130,121					
Toledo, OH	3,218,291	4,058,657	3,596,664	2,314,682	2,548,606	3,517,594	3,129,652					
Sandusky, OH	1,947,759	3,070,044	2,942,869	3,032,083	2,816,766	1,987,796	2,965,441					
Ashtabula, OH	3,242,316	3,092,751	2,082,986	1,662,189	1,362,009	2,284,651	2,049,984					
Conneaut, OH	0	0	0	0	0	705,661	0					
Buffalo, NY	83,745	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Total - Lake Erie	8,492,111	10,221,452	8,622,519	7,008,954	6,727,381	8,495,702	8,145,077					
Total - All Lakes	29,924,431	31,982,146	27,616,116	25,347,709	24,633,893	24,495,761	27,394,966					

^{*} Excludes 2009

Lake Carriers' Association represents 17 American companies that operate 56 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. Contact: Glen Nekvasil, Vice President (440-333-9996).

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