



Lake Carriers' Association

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**Iron Ore Shipments from Great Lakes and Seaway Ports to Great Lakes Destinations
Includes Shipments to Quebec City for Transshipment Overseas
January 2010-2015 and 5-Year Average
(net tons)**

U.S. Great Lakes Ports							
Port	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Average 2010-2014
Duluth, Minnesota	109,799	473,334	236,121	317,682	207,120	292,818	268,811
Superior, Wisconsin	182,665	289,538	709,294	495,564	169,522	390,275	369,317
Two Harbors, Minnesota	316,403	746,675	647,515	924,672	449,732	786,692	616,999
Silver Bay, Minnesota	278,498	228,965	318,181	194,472	79,528	194,039	219,929
Presque Isle, Michigan	301,026	494,816	608,215	630,146	258,336	274,835	458,508
Escanaba, Michigan	574,479	589,046	931,146	117,310	402,555	365,372	522,907
Cleveland, Ohio	135,360	65,618	136,544	250,979	223,149	166,377	162,330
Total	1,898,230	2,887,992	3,587,016	2,930,825	1,789,942	2,470,408	2,618,801
Canadian Seaway Ports							
Port Cartier, Quebec	0	157,277	0	282,389	236,875	298,370	135,308
Sept Iles, Quebec	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	157,277	0	282,389	236,875	298,370	135,308
Total – U.S. and Canada	1,898,230	3,045,269	3,587,016	3,213,214	2,026,817	2,768,778	2,754,109

Lake Carriers' Association represents 16 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, aggregate 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. More information is available at www.lcaships.com. Contact: Glen G. Nekvasil, Vice President (440-333-9996).

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