



# Lake Carriers' Association

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### Great Lakes Coal Shipments: July 2005-2010 and 5-Year Average (net tons)

Port	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Average 2005-2009
Superior, WI	2,514,286	2,172,693	2,542,659	2,522,725	2,193,185	2,477,435	2,389,110
Thunder Bay, ON	219,982	194,018	160,892	191,108	48,403	141,852	162,881
<b>Total - Lake Superior</b>	<b>2,734,268</b>	<b>2,366,711</b>	<b>2,703,551</b>	<b>2,713,833</b>	<b>2,241,588</b>	<b>2,619,287</b>	<b>2,551,990</b>
Chicago, IL	442,474	278,830	405,800	408,509	131,360	341,032	333,395
<b>Total - Lake Michigan</b>	<b>442,474</b>	<b>278,830</b>	<b>405,800</b>	<b>408,509</b>	<b>131,360</b>	<b>341,032</b>	<b>333,395</b>
Toledo, OH	254,548	270,500	371,815	354,888	349,425	384,796	320,235
Sandusky, OH	486,421	340,828	499,644	242,320	189,962	309,700	351,835
Ashtabula, OH	769,233	324,065	549,036	590,014	320,202	441,334	510,510
Conneaut, OH	323,755	265,797	98,317	43,632	0	0	146,300
Buffalo, NY	0	59,363	24,724	25,749	16,661	0	25,299
<b>Total - Lake Erie</b>	<b>1,833,957</b>	<b>1,260,553</b>	<b>1,543,536</b>	<b>1,256,603</b>	<b>876,250</b>	<b>1,135,830</b>	<b>1,354,180</b>
<b>Total - All Lakes</b>	<b>5,010,699</b>	<b>3,906,094</b>	<b>4,652,887</b>	<b>4,378,945</b>	<b>3,249,198</b>	<b>4,096,149</b>	<b>4,239,565</b>

### Great Lakes Coal Shipments: Year-To-Date 2005-2010 and 5-Year Average (net tons)

Port	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Average 2005-2009
Superior, WI	9,955,333	9,908,233	10,122,382	10,654,632	9,374,081	8,494,441	10,002,932
Thunder Bay, ON	826,227	753,015	681,561	909,548	292,945	538,986	692,659
<b>Total - Lake Superior</b>	<b>10,781,560</b>	<b>10,661,248</b>	<b>10,803,943</b>	<b>11,564,180</b>	<b>9,667,026</b>	<b>9,033,427</b>	<b>10,695,591</b>
Chicago, IL	2,314,130	1,662,488	1,634,494	1,529,047	1,061,290	1,200,157	1,640,290
<b>Total - Lake Michigan</b>	<b>2,314,130</b>	<b>1,662,488</b>	<b>1,634,494</b>	<b>1,529,047</b>	<b>1,061,290</b>	<b>1,200,157</b>	<b>1,640,290</b>
Toledo, OH	1,449,369	1,188,448	1,402,861	1,379,963	969,822	1,577,121	1,278,093
Sandusky, OH	1,819,347	2,112,944	2,080,717	1,198,475	804,851	1,415,932	1,603,267
Ashtabula, OH	2,705,395	2,595,342	2,185,723	2,961,282	1,726,546	1,546,657	2,434,858
Conneaut, OH	2,333,433	2,214,068	1,133,823	1,051,194	0	0	1,346,504
Buffalo, NY	0	174,337	129,195	119,473	16,661	0	87,933
<b>Total - Lake Erie</b>	<b>8,307,544</b>	<b>8,285,139</b>	<b>6,932,319</b>	<b>6,710,387</b>	<b>3,517,880</b>	<b>4,539,710</b>	<b>6,750,654</b>
<b>Total - All Lakes</b>	<b>21,403,234</b>	<b>20,608,875</b>	<b>19,370,756</b>	<b>19,803,614</b>	<b>14,246,196</b>	<b>14,773,294</b>	<b>19,086,535</b>

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