



Louisiana

Louisiana transports \$107 billion of freight over the state's 428 miles of waterways. That amounts to 260 million tons of commodities shipped to, from, and within the state. Louisiana docks ship commodities by barge to 15 states and receive commodities from 24 states, Puerto Rico and other foreign countries, making the state's waterways one of the region's most significant economic resources.

Louisiana 2005 Waterborne Commerce To, From and Within the state (tonnage in thousands of tons; values in millions of dollars)					
Commodity	Shipped	Received	Within	Total	Value
Coal	7,207	14,739	2,268	24,214	\$1,098
Petroleum Products	39,420	10,879	19,787	70,086	\$9,138
Crude Petroleum	1,743	3,859	9,160	14,762	\$1,462
Aggregates	397	13,367	81	13,845	\$3,765
Grain	1,280	56,888	999	59,167	\$9,772
Chemicals	18,690	4,800	7,559	31,049	\$15,151
Ores/Minerals	10,158	816	2,207	13,181	\$1,710
Iron/Steel	15,561	730	281	16,572	\$5,528
Other	11,126	4,017	1,482	16,625	\$59,828
TOTAL	105,582	110,095	43,824	259,501	\$107,452

Source: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Waterborne Commerce Statistics

2005 Louisiana Waterborne Commerce Shipped to and from Other States and Countries (tonnage in thousands of tons; values in millions of dollars)							
Shipments To	Tons	Value	Top Commodity	Shipments From	Tons	Value	Top Commodity
Florida	23,157	\$2,816	Petroleum	Illinois	38,568	\$4,750	Grain
Texas	15,419	\$4,221	Petroleum	Texas	10,990	\$3,746	Petroleum
Illinois	11,229	\$3,636	Chemical	Kentucky	10,445	\$2,754	Aggregates
Kentucky	9,497	\$1,534	Iron/Steel	Missouri	7,352	\$1,038	Grain
Ohio	7,032	\$1,210	Iron/Steel	Iowa	6,062	\$979	Grain

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