



KENTUCKY LOCKS AND DAM

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Kentucky Locks and Dam

The Kentucky Locks and Dam are located in western Kentucky at Mile 22.4 on the Tennessee River. Construction on the project began May 1938 and was completed August 1944.

Due to delays experienced and projected at the existing Kentucky Locks, The Water Resources Development Act of 1996 authorized the Kentucky Lock Addition project. The project includes the addition of a new larger lock along with other upgrades and improvements and is currently underway.



If funded efficiently, the lock construction and related upgrades and improvements are estimated to be completed in 2018; however, funding delays will lengthen the project end date.

Quick Facts

2012 Commercial Cargo Lockages: 3,698 National Rank: 35.

2012 Tonnage (in thousands): 23,056. National Rank: 26.

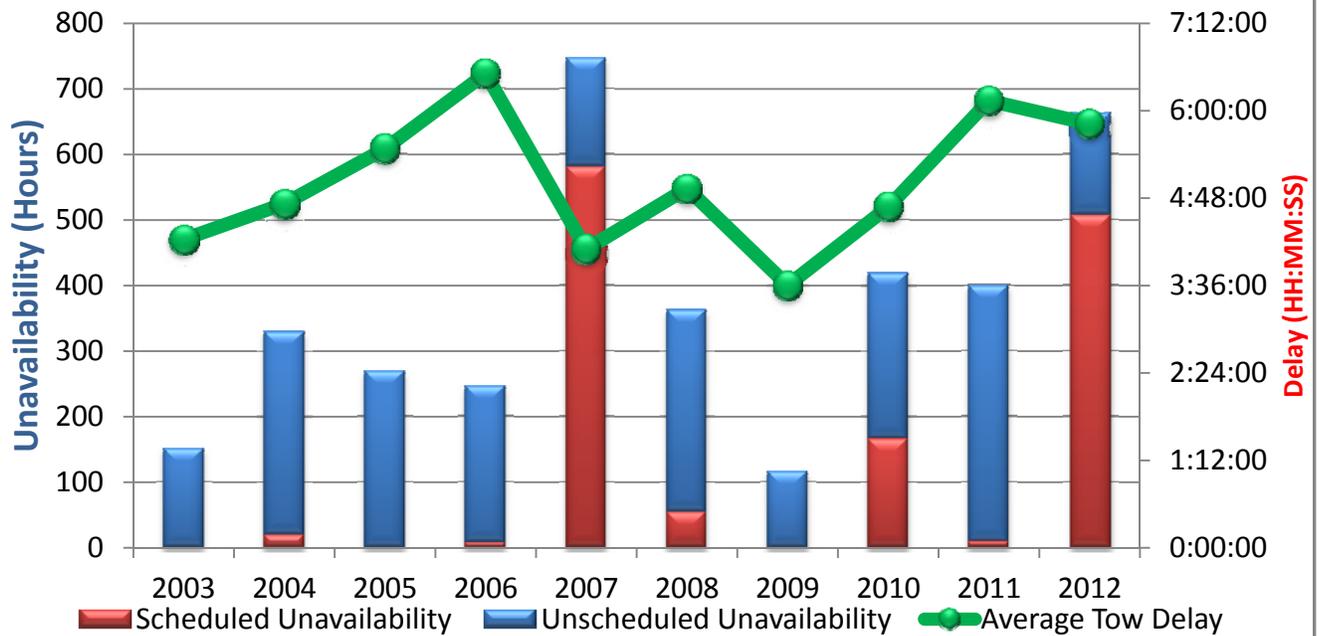
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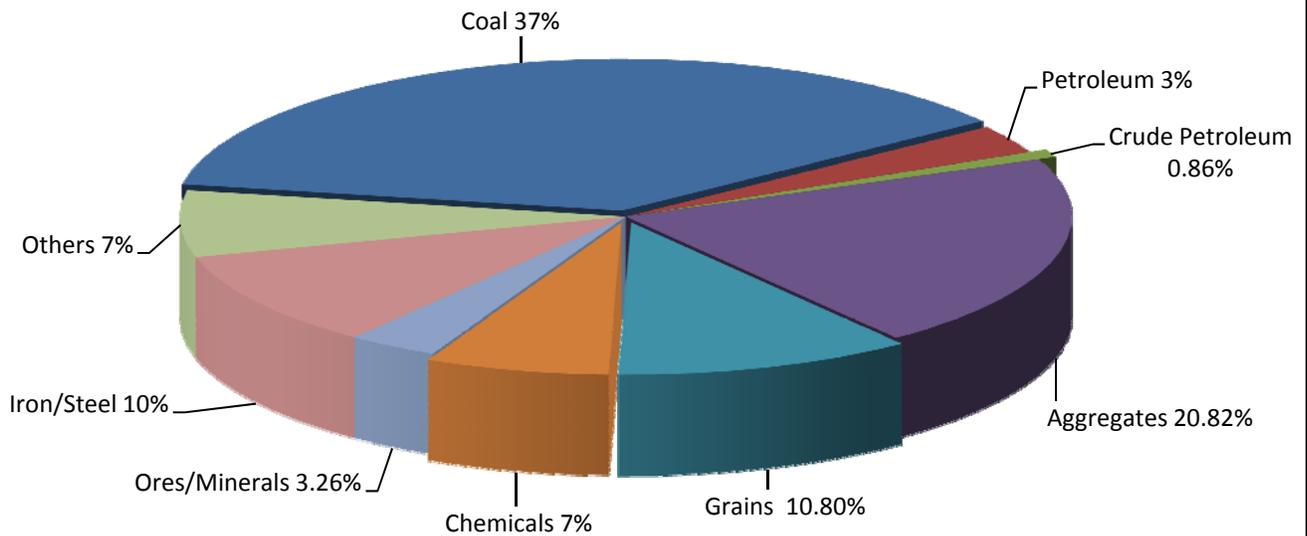
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Kentucky L&D Unavailability and Delay



2012 Kentucky L&D Commodity Distribution



Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System

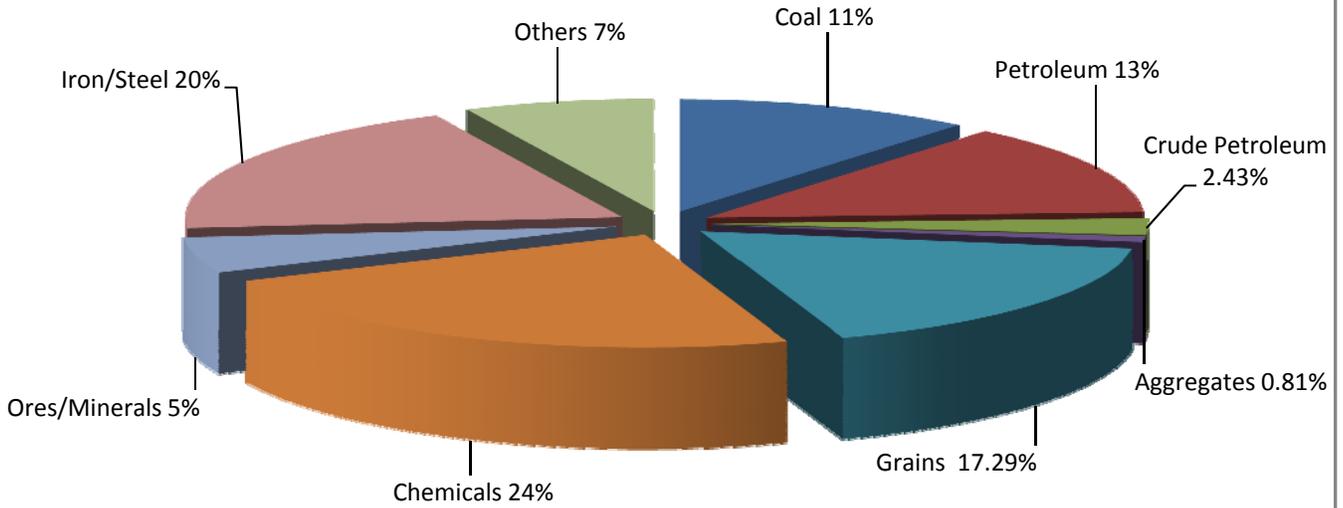
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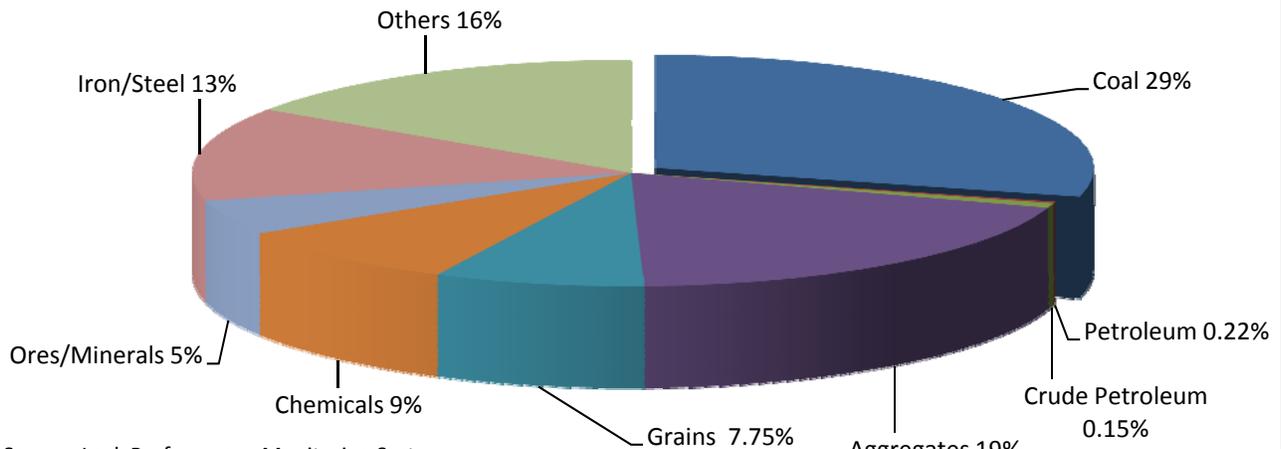
2012 Value of Commodities Through Kentucky L&D



Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System,
2012 NDSU Commodity Value Study

Total Value: \$4,908.2
(Value in Millions)

2012 Rate Savings Through Kentucky L&D



Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System,
2010 University of Tennessee Rate Savings Study *rates have been
indexed to 2013 price levels

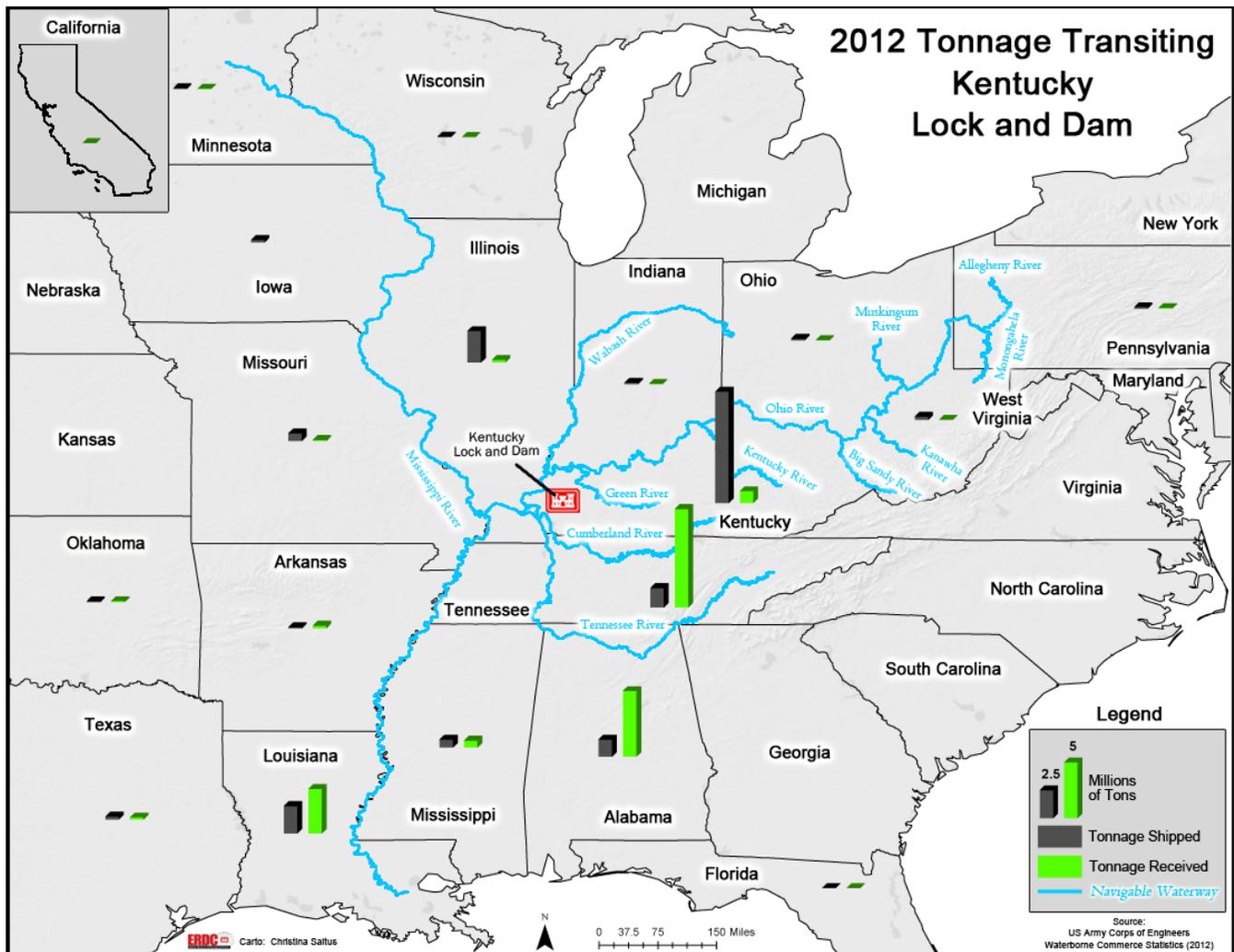
Total Rate Savings: \$744.3
(Value in Millions)

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