CANNELTON LOCKS AND DAM

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The Louisville District is home to the Cannelton Locks and Dam located on the Ohio River at mile 721. Cannelton Locks sit three miles upstream from Cannelton, Indiana.

The navigation locks are located on the right descending bank (Indiana side) of the river. The upper pool maintained above the dam extends upstream for a distance of 114 miles.

Construction on the locks started in July 1963. The locks were placed in operation December 1966 and completed April 1967. Dam construction started in August 1965 and was completed in 1974.

Quick Facts

2012 Commercial Cargo Lockages: 5,295. National Rank: 22.

2012 Tonnage (in thousands): 69,461. National Rank: 7.

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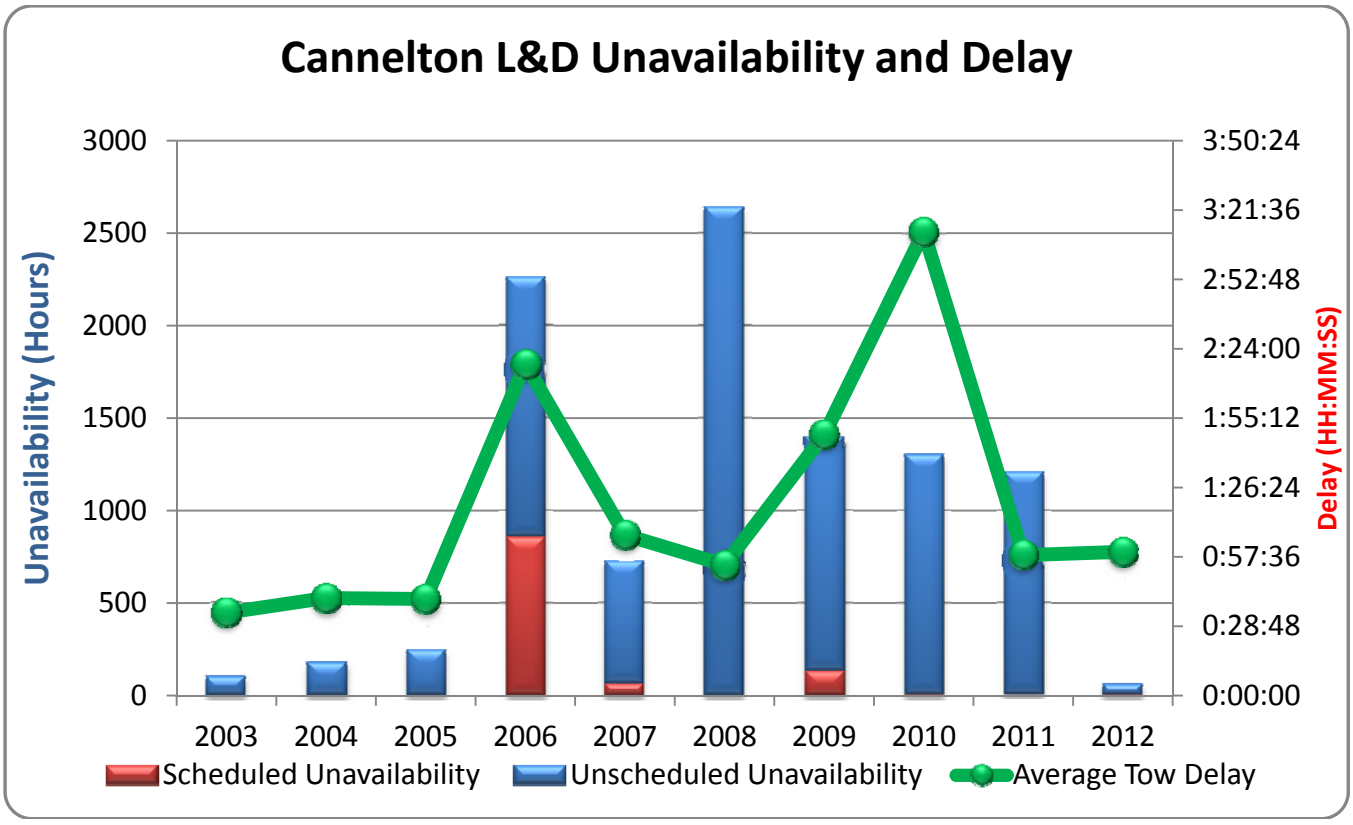

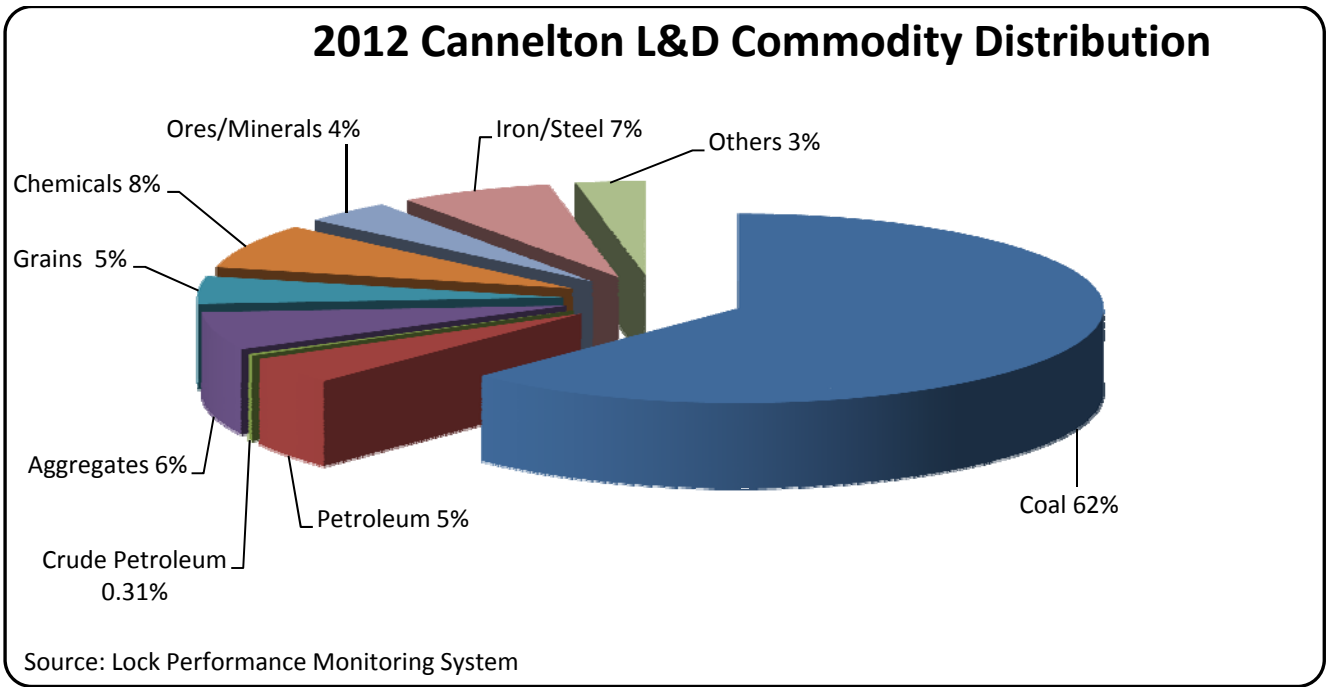

Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System

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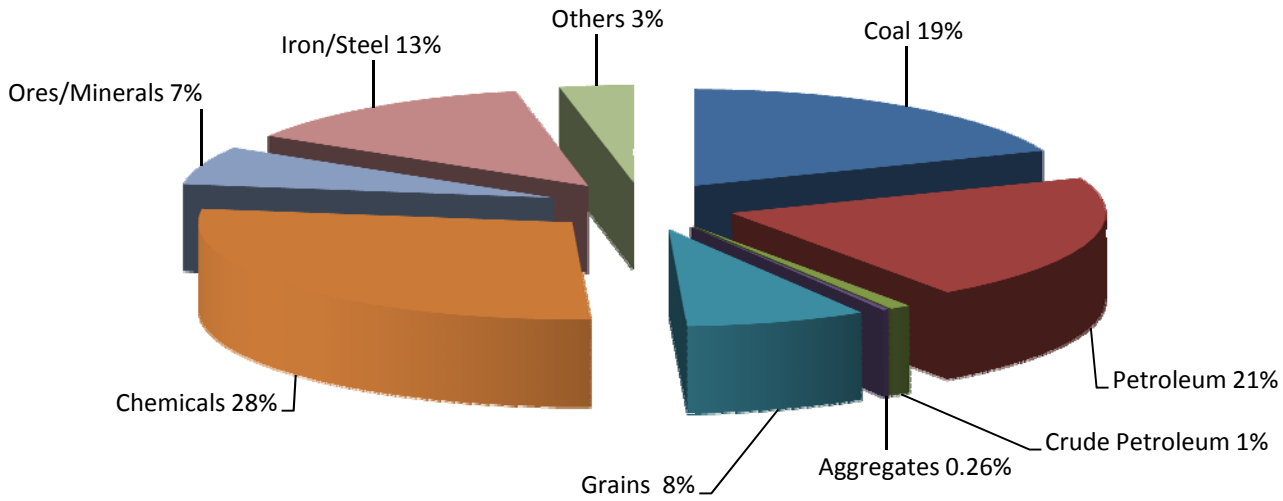
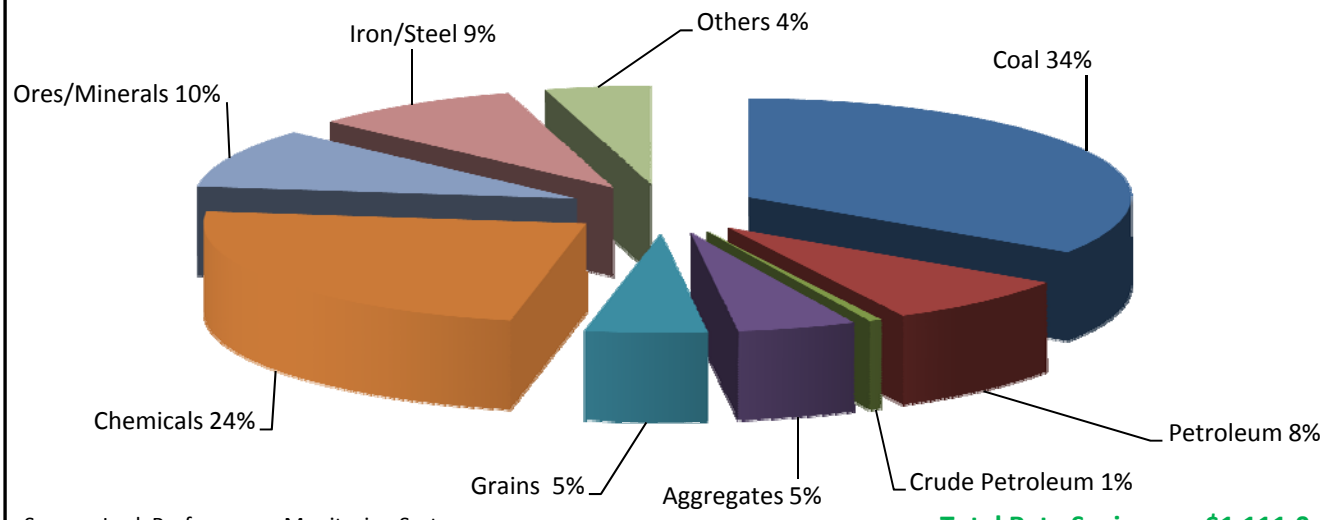
2012 Value of Commodities Through Cannelton L&D



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

Total Value: $14,341.2
(Value in Millions)

2012 Rate Savings Through Cannelton L&D



Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System,
2010 University of Tennessee Rate Savings Study

Total Rate Savings: $1,111.0
(Value in Millions)

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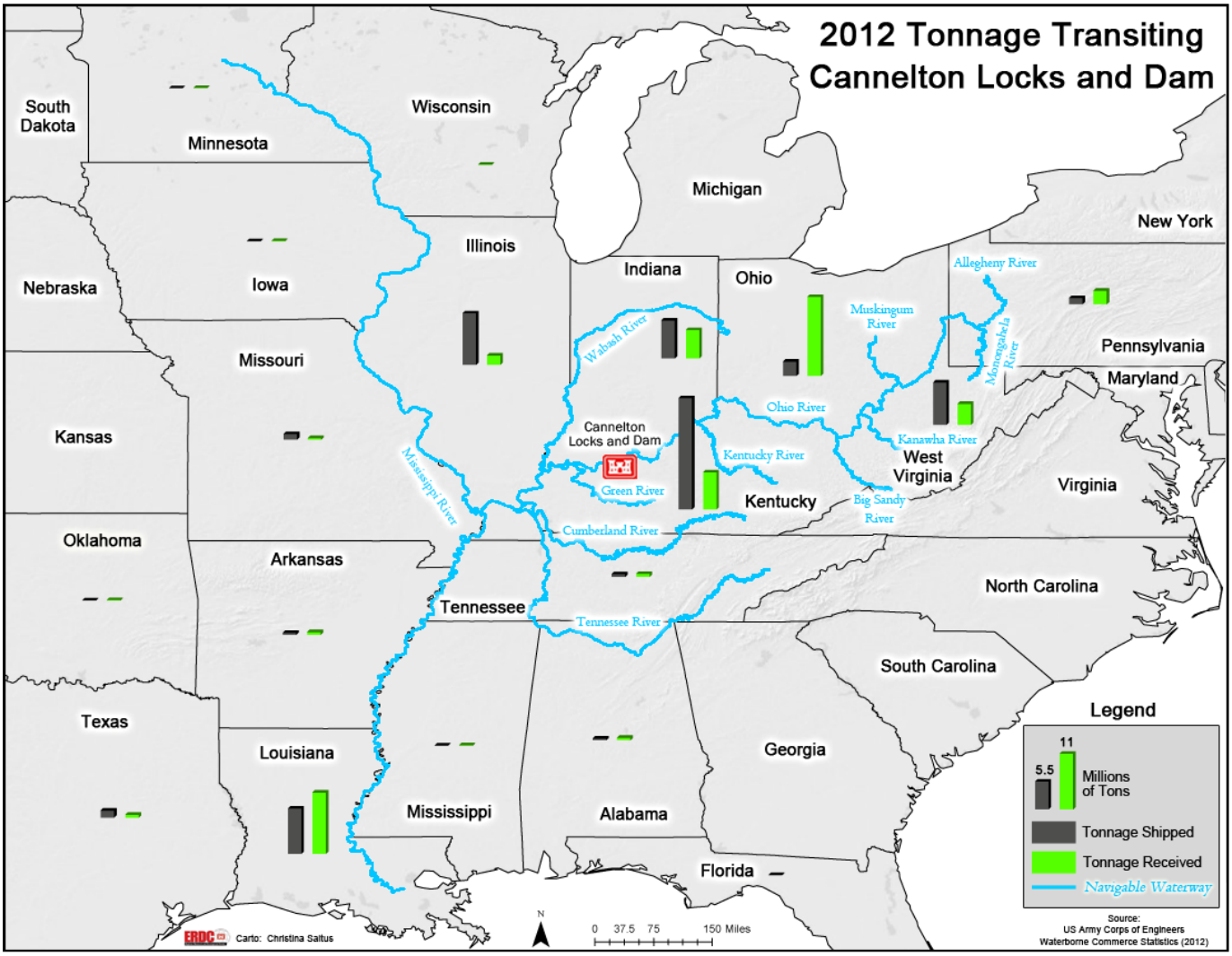

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