

## SUMMER TRENDS IN AUTO TRANSPORT

# **Key Seasonality Insights**

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#### PEAK TRANSPORT MONTHS

Summer stands out as a high-demand period for auto transport, with **August leading in miles traveled** during 2024 and October following in peak volume. These months saw a surge in miles traveled, driven by heightened seasonal activity.

August: Recorded the highest number of miles traveled.

October: Peaked in total vehicle shipments, reflecting increased demand.







#### **REGIONAL DEMAND SHIFTS**

Summer sees **distinct transport patterns** across key regions due to changing consumer behavior and industry demands.

**Snowbird Returns:** Northeastern states experience a rise in vehicle shipments initiated by snowbird migration back home from warmer regions.

**Tourism Hubs Boom:** States like Florida and California see spikes in demand due to vacationers moving vehicles for long stays.

**Southern Heat Influence:** Longer routes through the southern U.S. showcase slower shifts but steady increases, as high temperatures influence relocations northward.



### SUMMER PRICING TRENDS

Summer marks significant fluctuations in auto transport pricing, with additional operational pressures coming from fuel costs and increased demand.

Highest Pricing Month: June experienced the most expensive cost per mile at \$1.20.

Cost Efficiency Tip: Multi-VIN shipments save carriers up to 26% per mile, making them an ideal option for shippers during peak months.





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#### **Strategic Takeaways**



#### Plan Early for Summer Moves

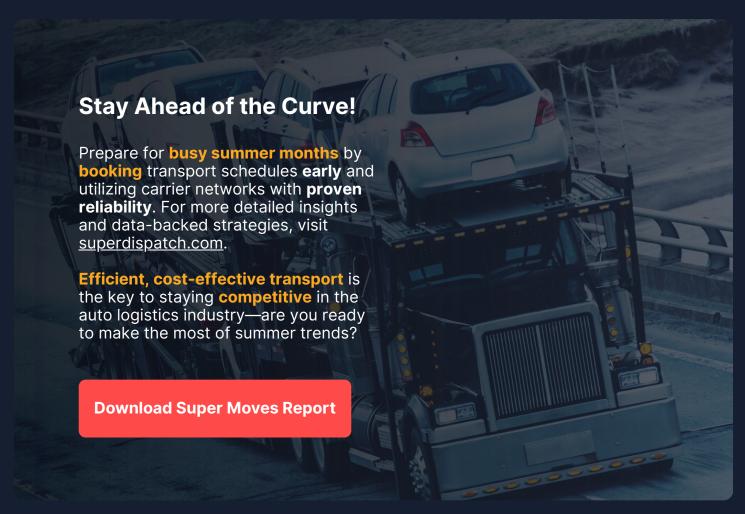
High demand can lead to limited carrier availability, especially in popular routes.

#### Leverage Cost-Saving Tactics

Seek multi-VIN options to optimize pricing during peak periods.

## **Monitor Regional Trends**

Keeping an eye on demand hubs like tourist states can provide an edge in scheduling.





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