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Global HRB Prices Stabilize

China and USA up 4.3% and 1.2%. Western Europe and World Export down 0.6% and 0.4%.

SteelBenchmarker™ Report #280

ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, NJ – The bi-monthly *SteelBenchmarker*™ Chinese HRB price for December 11th rose 4.3% to \$556 per tonne for the second consecutive time. The United States HRB increased 1.2% to \$690 per tonne for the third consecutive time. The Western European HRB price decreased 0.6% to \$628 per tonne (on a Euro basis, it increased 0.4%) after increasing in the previous report. The World Export HRB price decreased 0.4% to \$566 per tonne after previously increasing.

In its two hundred eightieth report, the *SteelBenchmarker*™ released 10 steel products and 3 USA scrap prices. Of these, here are four benchmark prices for hot-rolled band for December 11, 2017:

USA – \$690 per metric tonne (\$626 per net ton), FOB the mill – up \$8 per tonne from \$682 (\$618 nt) two weeks ago, up \$278 from the recent low of \$412 (\$374 nt) on Dec. 14, 2015 and up \$261 from the low of \$429 per tonne (\$390 nt) on May 25, 2009. It is down \$280 per tonne from the recent high of \$970 (\$880/nt) on Mar. 28, 2011 and down \$513 (42.6%) from the record peak of \$1,203 per tonne (\$1,091 nt) on July 28, 2008.

China – \$556 per metric tonne, ex-works – up \$23 per tonne from \$533 two weeks ago, up \$325 per tonne from the recent low of \$231 on Dec. 14, 2015 and up \$149 per tonne from the low of \$407 per tonne on Oct. 12, 2009. It is down \$81 per tonne from the recent high of \$637 on Aug. 22, 2011 and down \$177 (24.1%) from the record peak of \$733 per tonne on July 14, 2008.

Western Europe – \$628 (€533e) per metric tonne, ex-works – down \$4 per tonne from \$632 (€531e) two weeks ago (up €2 on a Euro basis), up \$282 (up €208) from the recent low of \$346 (€325) on Nov. 23, 2015 and up \$57 (up €152) from the low of \$571 (€381) per tonne on Nov. 23, 2009. It is down \$224 (€72) per tonne from the recent high of \$852 (€605) on Mar. 28, 2011 and down \$576 (47.8%) (€223) (29.5%) from the record peak of \$1,204 (€756) per tonne on July 14, 2008.

World Export Price – \$564 per metric tonne, FOB the port of export – down \$2 from \$566 two weeks ago, up \$292 per tonne from the recent low of \$272 on Feb. 8, 2016 and up \$68 to the low of \$496 per tonne on Nov. 9, 2009. It is down \$209 per tonne from the recent high of \$773 on Feb 14, 2011 and down \$549 (49.3%) from the record peak of \$1,113 per tonne on July 28, 2008.

STEELBENCHMARKER PRICES

December 11, 2017

dollars per metric tonne
(net ton) [gross ton] {Euros}

Region: USA, East of the Mississippi

Hot-rolled band:	690	(626)
Cold-rolled coil:	890	(808)
Standard plate:	813	(738)
#1 Heavy melting scrap:	285	[290]
Shredded scrap*:	315	[320]
#1 Busheling scrap:	364	[370]

Region: Mainland China***

Hot-rolled band:	556
Cold-rolled coil:	636
Rebar:	604
Standard plate:	551

Region: Western Europe

Hot-rolled band:	628	{533e}
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Region: World Export Market

Hot-rolled band:	564
Cold-rolled coil:	627

NOTES:

Released December 13, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. to Price Assessment Providers.
The first price release was for April 10, 2006.

If a product is not listed or a price is not indicated, fewer than ten (10) price inputs were received at this time. ** Development stage -- fewer than 20 assessment providers.

Prices are: USA -- FOB mill; Western Europe and China -- Ex-works; and World Export Market -- FOB port of export. For USA steel scrap -- delivered to the steel plant. * For shredded scrap the region is "for all but the West Coast" (CA, OR & WA).

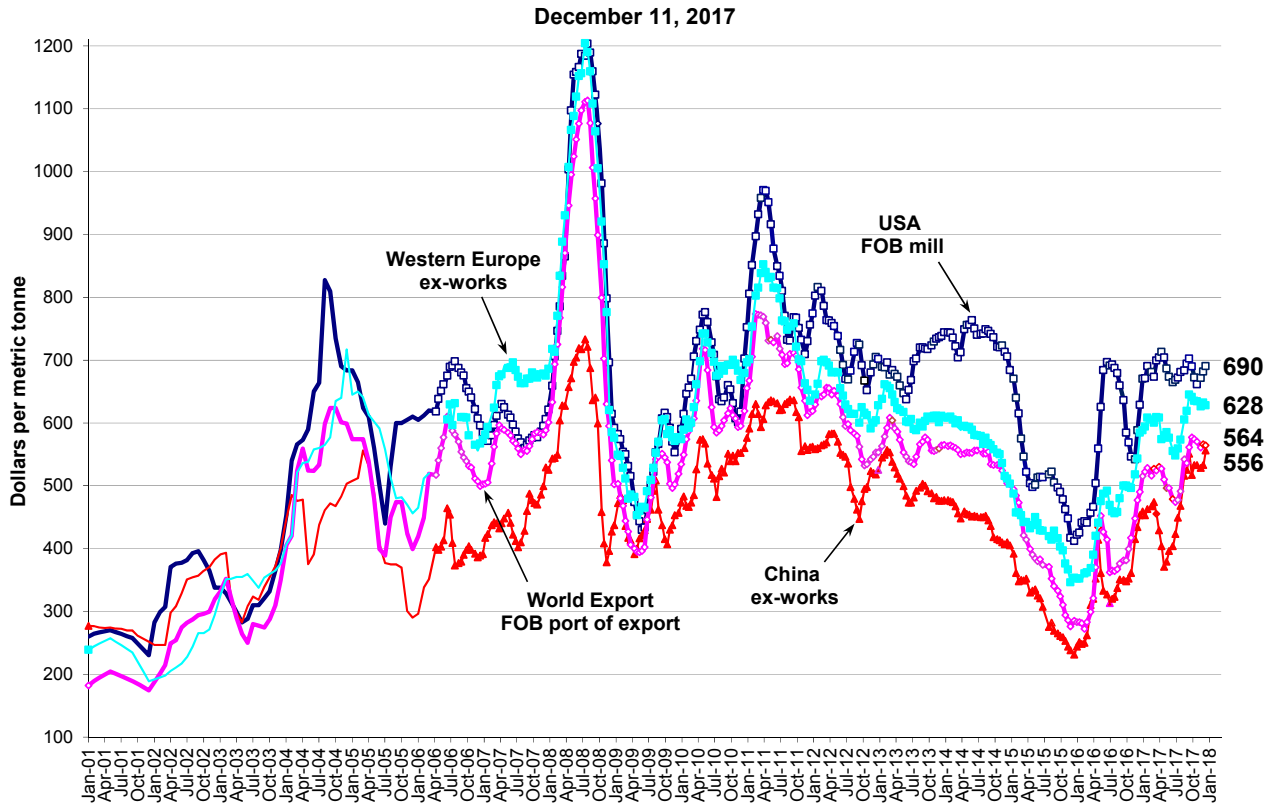
*** SteelHome's non-steelbenchmarker derived average price for each product is the determinant of the Chinese ex-works benchmark price. It is published for comparative purposes.

For product specifications go to www.steelbenchmarker.com/specifications.

SteelBenchmarker™ HRB Price

USA, China, Western Europe and World Export

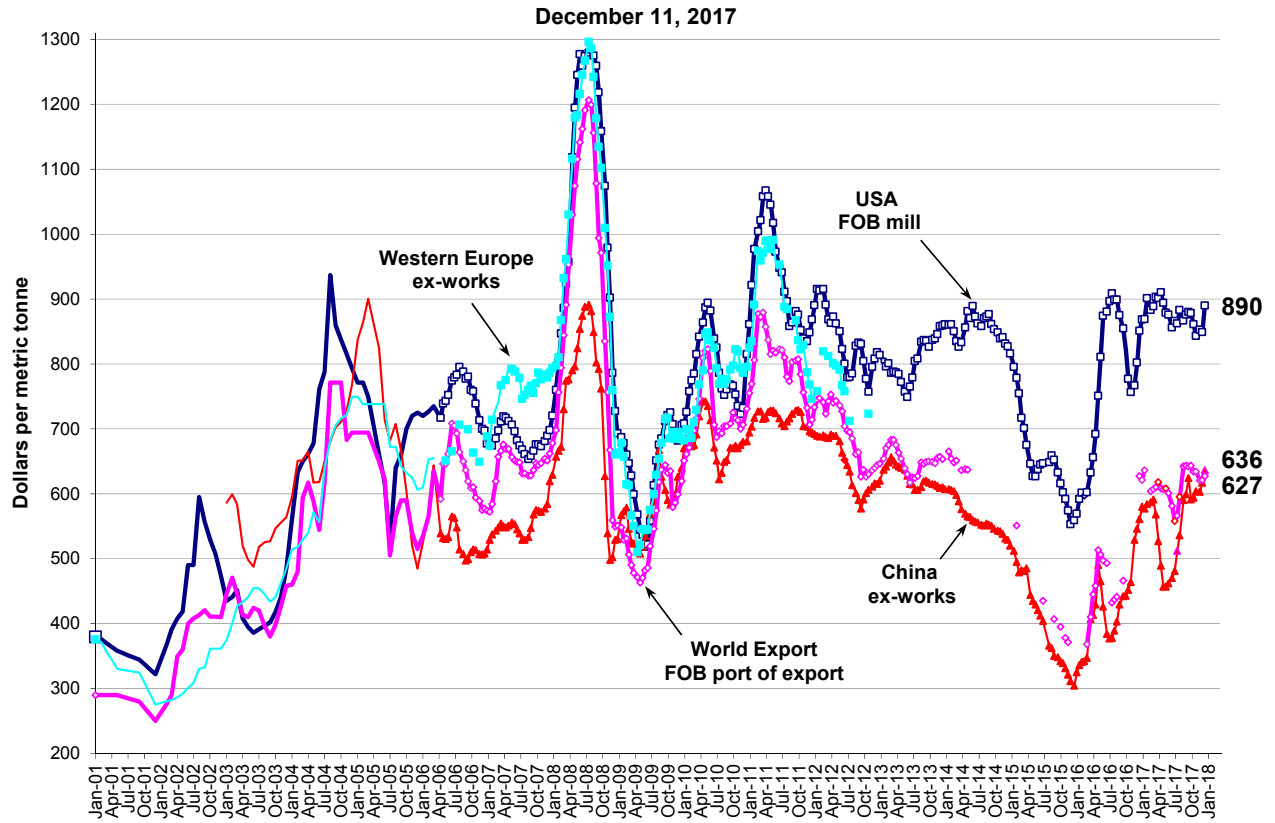
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SteelBenchmarker™ CRC Price

USA, China, Western Europe and World Export

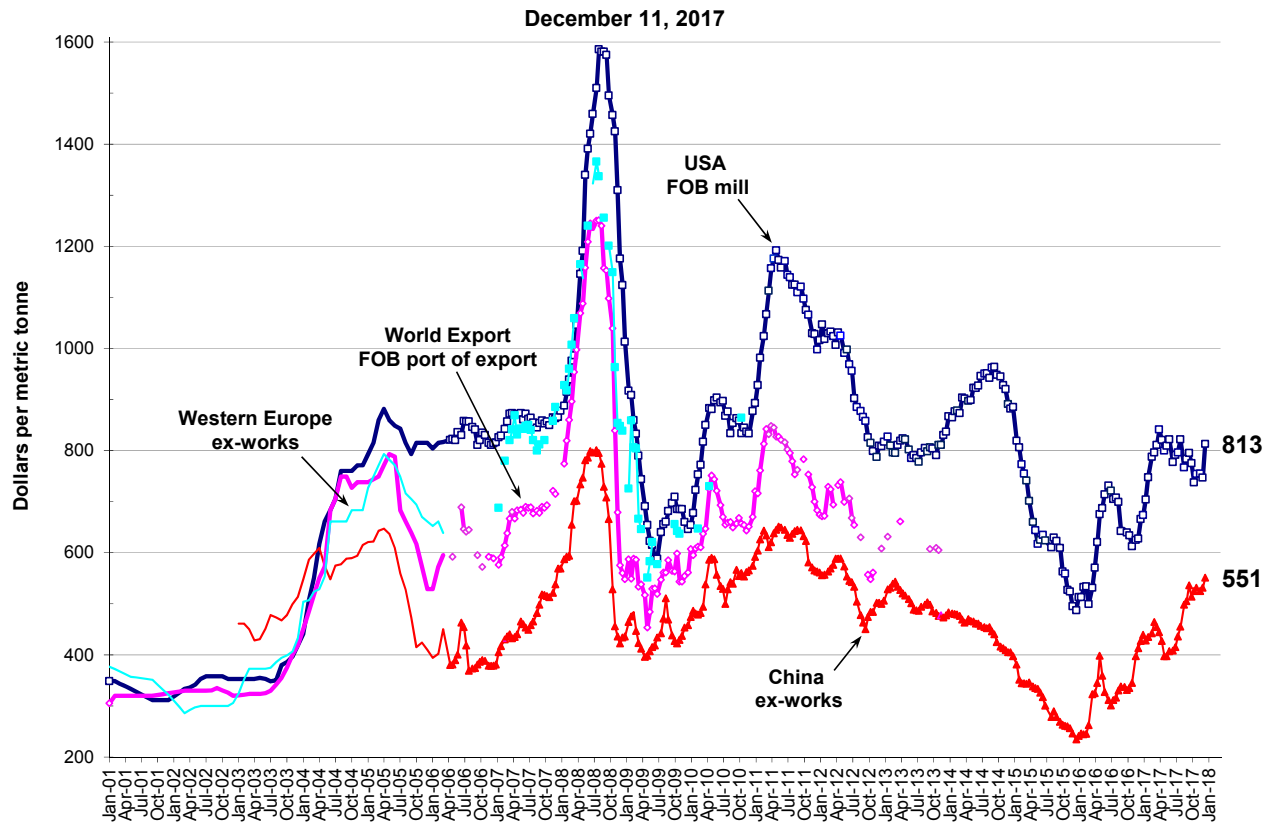
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SteelBenchmarker™ Plate Price

USA, China, Western Europe and World Export

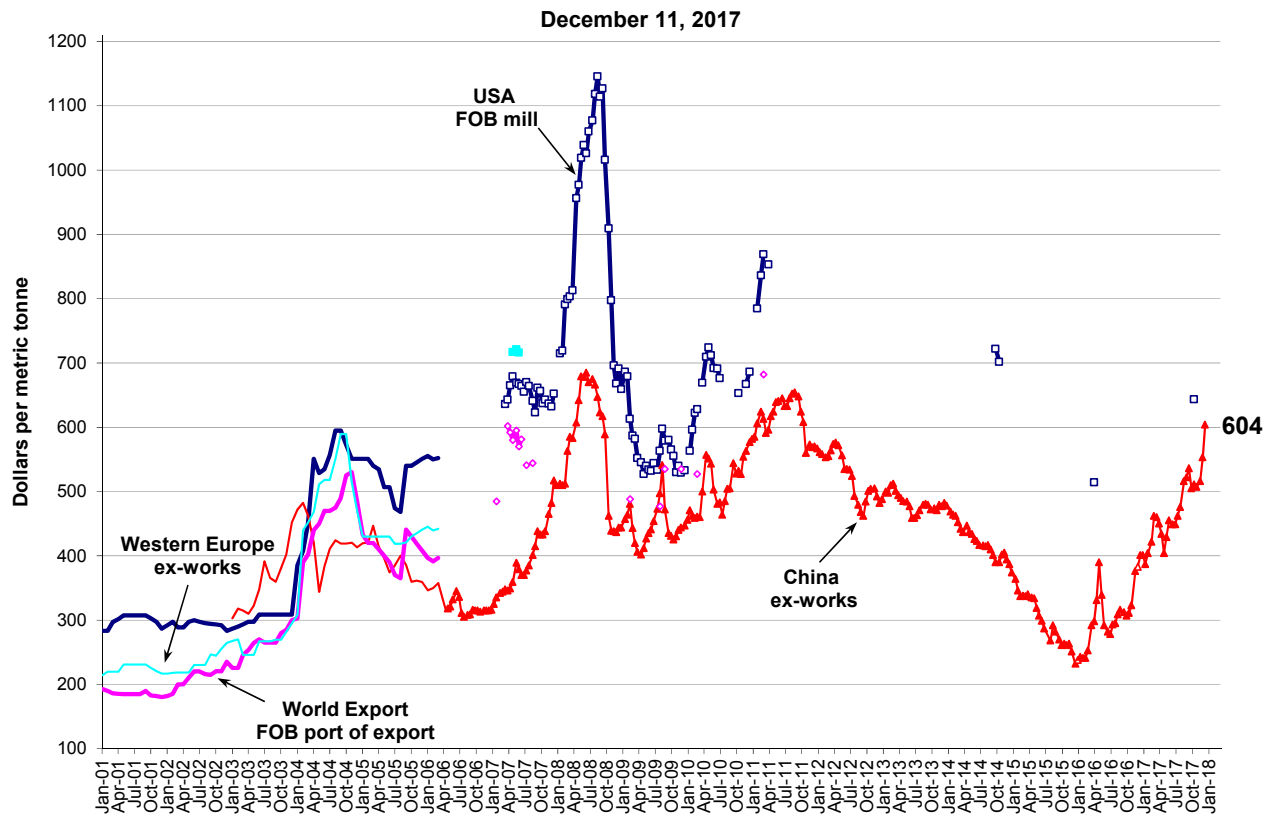
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SteelBenchmarker™ Rebar Price

USA, China, Western Europe and World Export

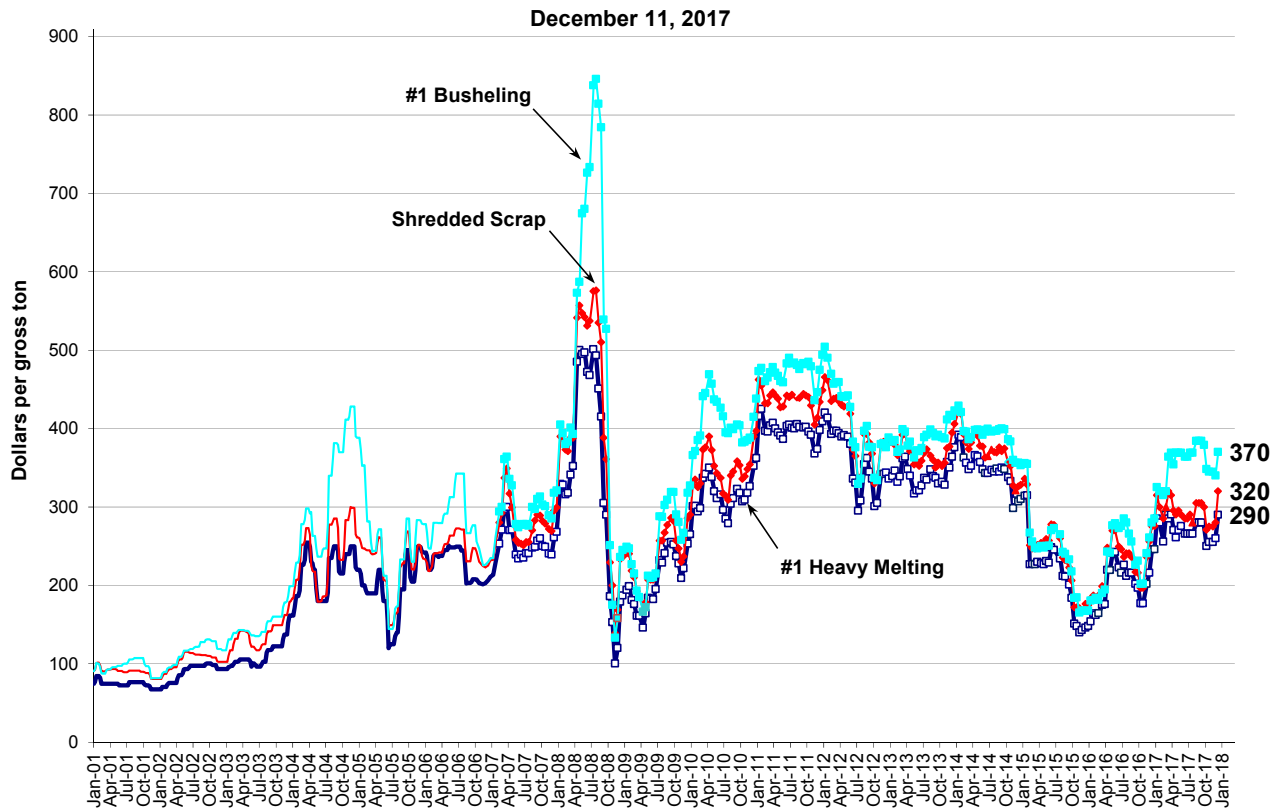
(WSD's PriceTrack data, Jan. 2001 - March 2006; SteelBenchmarker data begins April 2006)



SteelBenchmarker™ Scrap Price

USA, delivered to steel plant

(AMM scrap price data, Jan. 2001 - Jan. 2007; SteelBenchmarker data begins Feb. 2007)



USA
FOB mill*
Dollars per Net Ton

	-----HRB-----			-----CRC-----			-----Plate-----			-----Rebar-----		
	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng
8-Aug-16	616	-8	-1.2%	816	0	0.0%	634	-8	-1.2%	na	-	-
22-Aug-16	598	-18	-2.9%	794	-22	-2.7%	583	-51	-8.1%	na	-	-
12-Sep-16	577	-21	-3.6%	775	-18	-2.3%	586	3	0.5%	na	-	-
26-Sep-16	530	-47	-8.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Oct-16	516	-14	-2.6%	705	-	-	575	-	-	na	-	-
24-Oct-16	496	-21	-4.0%	686	-19	-2.6%	556	-20	-3.4%	na	-	-
14-Nov-16	492	-4	-0.8%	696	9	1.4%	567	11	2.1%	na	-	-
28-Nov-16	533	42	8.5%	728	32	4.6%	569	2	0.4%	na	-	-
12-Dec-16	570	37	6.9%	772	44	6.1%	604	35	6.1%	na	-	-
26-Dec-16	608	38	6.6%	788	16	2.0%	611	7	1.2%	na	-	-
9-Jan-17	609	1	0.1%	788	0	0.0%	639	27	4.5%	na	-	-
23-Jan-17	626	18	2.9%	817	29	3.7%	678	39	6.2%	na	-	-
13-Feb-17	618	-9	-1.4%	801	-16	-2.0%	715	37	5.4%	na	-	-
27-Feb-17	611	-7	-1.1%	806	5	0.6%	722	7	1.0%	na	-	-
13-Mar-17	634	23	3.8%	819	13	1.6%	736	14	1.9%	na	-	-
27-Mar-17	639	5	0.7%	817	-2	-0.2%	763	27	3.7%	na	-	-
10-Apr-17	647	8	1.3%	826	8	1.0%	745	-18	-2.4%	na	-	-
24-Apr-17	639	-8	-1.3%	811	-15	-1.8%	726	-19	-2.6%	na	-	-
8-May-17	623	-16	-2.5%	797	-14	-1.7%	734	8	1.1%	na	-	-
22-May-17	611	-12	-1.9%	795	-3	-0.3%	746	12	1.6%	na	-	-
12-Jun-17	603	-8	-1.3%	777	-18	-2.3%	705	-41	-5.5%	na	-	-
26-Jun-17	606	4	0.6%	785	9	1.1%	718	13	1.9%	na	-	-
10-Jul-17	610	3	0.5%	782	-3	-0.4%	722	4	0.6%	na	-	-
24-Jul-17	618	8	1.3%	801	19	2.4%	746	23	3.3%	na	-	-
14-Aug-17	620	2	0.4%	786	-15	-1.8%	696	-50	-6.7%	na	-	-
28-Aug-17	630	10	1.6%	795	8	1.1%	711	15	2.1%	na	-	-
11-Sep-17	637	7	1.1%	798	4	0.5%	721	11	1.5%	na	-	-
25-Sep-17	626	-11	-1.8%	797	-2	-0.2%	703	-18	-2.5%	na	-	-
9-Oct-17	610	-16	-2.6%	781	-16	-2.0%	669	-34	-4.8%	584	-	-
23-Oct-17	600	-10	-1.7%	765	-16	-2.1%	684	15	2.3%	na	-	-
13-Nov-17	609	9	1.6%	774	9	1.2%	685	0	0.1%	na	-	-
27-Nov-17	618	9	1.5%	770	-3	-0.4%	678	-7	-1.0%	na	-	-
11-Dec-17	626	8	1.3%	807	37	4.8%	738	60	8.8%	na	-	-
25-Dec-17												

Notes: * Ex-works (the same as FOB mill)

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USA
FOB mill*
Dollars per Metric Tonne

	-----HRB-----			-----CRC-----			-----Plate-----			-----Rebar-----		
	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng
8-Aug-16	679	-8	-1.2%	899	0	0.0%	699	-9	-1.2%	na	-	-
22-Aug-16	660	-19	-2.9%	875	-24	-2.7%	642	-57	-8.1%	na	-	-
12-Sep-16	636	-24	-3.6%	855	-20	-2.3%	645	3	0.5%	na	-	-
26-Sep-16	584	-52	-8.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Oct-16	569	-15	-2.6%	777	-	-	634	-	-	na	-	-
24-Oct-16	546	-23	-4.0%	757	-20	-2.6%	612	-22	-3.4%	na	-	-
14-Nov-16	542	-4	-0.8%	767	10	1.4%	625	13	2.1%	na	-	-
28-Nov-16	588	46	8.5%	802	35	4.6%	628	3	0.4%	na	-	-
12-Dec-16	629	41	6.9%	851	49	6.1%	666	38	6.1%	na	-	-
26-Dec-16	670	41	6.6%	868	17	2.0%	674	8	1.2%	na	-	-
9-Jan-17	671	1	0.1%	869	0	0.0%	704	30	4.5%	na	-	-
23-Jan-17	690	19	2.9%	901	32	3.7%	747	43	6.2%	na	-	-
13-Feb-17	681	-9	-1.4%	883	-18	-2.0%	788	41	5.4%	na	-	-
27-Feb-17	673	-8	-1.1%	889	6	0.6%	796	8	1.0%	na	-	-
13-Mar-17	699	26	3.8%	903	14	1.6%	811	15	1.9%	na	-	-
27-Mar-17	704	5	0.7%	901	-2	-0.2%	841	30	3.7%	na	-	-
10-Apr-17	713	9	1.3%	910	9	1.0%	821	-20	-2.4%	na	-	-
24-Apr-17	704	-9	-1.3%	894	-16	-1.8%	800	-21	-2.6%	na	-	-
8-May-17	686	-18	-2.5%	879	-15	-1.7%	809	9	1.1%	na	-	-
22-May-17	673	-13	-1.9%	876	-3	-0.3%	822	13	1.6%	na	-	-
12-Jun-17	665	-9	-1.3%	856	-20	-2.3%	777	-45	-5.5%	na	-	-
26-Jun-17	669	4	0.6%	866	10	1.1%	792	14	1.9%	na	-	-
10-Jul-17	672	4	0.5%	862	-4	-0.4%	796	5	0.6%	na	-	-
24-Jul-17	681	9	1.3%	883	21	2.4%	822	26	3.3%	na	-	-
14-Aug-17	683	2	0.4%	867	-16	-1.8%	767	-55	-6.7%	na	-	-
28-Aug-17	694	11	1.6%	876	9	1.1%	783	16	2.1%	na	-	-
11-Sep-17	702	8	1.1%	880	4	0.5%	795	12	1.5%	na	-	-
25-Sep-17	690	-12	-1.8%	878	-2	-0.2%	775	-20	-2.5%	na	-	-
9-Oct-17	672	-18	-2.6%	861	-17	-2.0%	738	-37	-4.8%	643	-	-
23-Oct-17	661	-11	-1.7%	843	-18	-2.1%	754	17	2.3%	na	-	-
13-Nov-17	671	10	1.6%	853	10	1.2%	755	0	0.1%	na	-	-
27-Nov-17	682	10	1.5%	849	-4	-0.4%	747	-8	-1.0%	na	-	-
11-Dec-17	690	9	1.3%	890	41	4.8%	813	66	8.8%	na	-	-
25-Dec-17												

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USA
delivered to steel plant
Dollars per Gross Ton

	-----Steel Scrap**-----								
	#1 Heavy Melting			Shredded Scrap			#1 Busheling		
	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dir</u> <u>Chng</u>	<u>Pct</u> <u>Chng</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dir</u> <u>Chng</u>	<u>Pct</u> <u>Chng</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dir</u> <u>Chng</u>	<u>Pct</u> <u>Chng</u>
8-Aug-16	216	4	2.0%	241	0	0.0%	266	-14	-5.1%
22-Aug-16	216	0	0.0%	236	-5	-2.1%	256	-10	-3.6%
12-Sep-16	202	-14	-6.5%	217	-19	-8.1%	226	-30	-11.6%
26-Sep-16	197	-5	-2.5%	216	-1	-0.5%	231	5	2.3%
10-Oct-16	177	-20	-10.2%	197	-19	-8.8%	202	-29	-12.7%
24-Oct-16	177	0	0.0%	197	0	0.0%	202	0	0.0%
14-Nov-16	202	25	14.1%	236	39	19.8%	241	39	19.3%
28-Nov-16	216	14	6.9%	256	20	8.5%	261	20	8.3%
12-Dec-16	246	30	13.9%	276	20	7.7%	280	19	7.3%
26-Dec-16	246	0	0.0%	276	0	0.0%	285	5	1.9%
9-Jan-17	285	39	15.9%	315	39	14.3%	325	40	14.0%
23-Jan-17	280	-5	-1.8%	300	-15	-4.8%	320	-5	-1.5%
13-Feb-17	256	-24	-8.6%	285	-15	-5.0%	315	-5	-1.6%
27-Feb-17	290	34	13.4%	300	15	5.2%	320	5	1.6%
13-Mar-17	285	-5	-1.8%	320	20	6.7%	364	44	13.8%
27-Mar-17	290	5	1.8%	315	-5	-1.6%	369	5	1.4%
10-Apr-17	271	-20	-6.8%	295	-20	-6.2%	354	-15	-4.0%
24-Apr-17	261	-10	-3.6%	290	-5	-1.7%	369	15	4.2%
8-May-17	271	10	3.7%	295	5	1.7%	369	0	0.0%
22-May-17	276	5	1.9%	290	-5	-1.7%	369	0	0.0%
12-Jun-17	266	-10	-3.7%	285	-5	-1.8%	364	-5	-1.4%
26-Jun-17	266	0	0.0%	285	0	0.0%	364	0	0.0%
10-Jul-17	266	0	0.0%	290	5	1.8%	369	5	1.4%
24-Jul-17	266	0	0.0%	280	-10	-3.5%	369	0	0.0%
14-Aug-17	280	14	5.4%	305	25	8.9%	384	15	4.1%
28-Aug-17	280	0	0.0%	305	0	0.0%	384	0	0.0%
11-Sep-17	280	0	0.0%	305	0	0.0%	384	0	0.0%
25-Sep-17	276	-4	-1.5%	300	-5	-1.6%	379	-5	-1.3%
9-Oct-17	250	-26	-9.3%	271	-29	-9.8%	348	-31	-8.1%
23-Oct-17	255	5	2.0%	275	4	1.6%	345	-3	-1.0%
13-Nov-17	255	0	0.0%	275	0	0.0%	345	0	0.0%
27-Nov-17	260	5	2.0%	280	5	1.8%	340	-5	-1.4%
11-Dec-17	290	30	11.5%	320	40	14.3%	370	30	8.8%
25-Dec-17									

Notes: ** Steel scrap delivered to steel plant

#1 heavy melting – demolition scrap that is at least ¼” thick. This grade does not include the heavy “p & s” (plate and structural) category that includes the very thick scrap items.

Shredded – largely old cars and some appliances – for all but the West Coast (CA, OR & WA).

#1 busheling – new sheet steel scrap.

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China

Ex-works

Dollars per Metric Tonne

	-----HRB-----			-----CRC-----			-----Plate-----			-----Rebar-----		
	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng
8-Aug-16	337	14	4.3%	403	14	3.6%	330	14	4.4%	309	14	4.7%
22-Aug-16	351	14	4.2%	429	26	6.5%	338	8	2.4%	316	7	2.3%
12-Sep-16	350	-1	-0.3%	442	13	3.0%	337	-1	-0.3%	312	-4	-1.3%
26-Sep-16	348	-2	-0.6%	443	1	0.2%	331	-6	-1.8%	307	-5	-1.6%
10-Oct-16	352	4	1.1%	452	9	2.0%	335	4	1.2%	311	4	1.3%
24-Oct-16	361	9	2.6%	464	12	2.7%	345	10	3.0%	323	12	3.9%
14-Nov-16	415	54	15.0%	529	65	14.0%	397	52	15.1%	376	53	16.4%
28-Nov-16	434	19	4.6%	546	17	3.2%	413	16	4.0%	383	7	1.9%
12-Dec-16	453	19	4.4%	561	15	2.7%	427	14	3.4%	401	18	4.7%
26-Dec-16	459	6	1.3%	580	19	3.4%	439	12	2.8%	401	0	0.0%
9-Jan-17	453	-6	-1.3%	577	-3	-0.5%	428	-11	-2.5%	387	-14	-3.5%
23-Jan-17	463	10	2.2%	584	7	1.2%	435	7	1.6%	404	17	4.4%
13-Feb-17	467	4	0.9%	587	3	0.5%	442	7	1.6%	422	18	4.5%
27-Feb-17	474	7	1.5%	591	4	0.7%	464	22	5.0%	462	40	9.5%
13-Mar-17	455	-19	-4.0%	568	-23	-3.9%	454	-10	-2.2%	460	-2	-0.4%
27-Mar-17	429	-26	-5.7%	527	-41	-7.2%	444	-10	-2.2%	450	-10	-2.2%
10-Apr-17	404	-25	-5.8%	489	-38	-7.2%	427	-17	-3.8%	434	-16	-3.6%
24-Apr-17	371	-33	-8.2%	457	-32	-6.5%	397	-30	-7.0%	404	-30	-6.9%
8-May-17	379	8	2.2%	457	0	0.0%	397	0	0.0%	429	25	6.2%
22-May-17	396	17	4.5%	462	5	1.1%	407	10	2.5%	455	26	6.1%
12-Jun-17	404	8	2.0%	470	8	1.7%	408	1	0.2%	449	-6	-1.3%
26-Jun-17	423	19	4.7%	481	11	2.3%	415	7	1.7%	449	0	0.0%
10-Jul-17	449	26	6.1%	512	31	6.4%	436	21	5.1%	462	13	2.9%
24-Jul-17	468	19	4.2%	536	24	4.7%	455	19	4.4%	476	14	3.0%
14-Aug-17	516	48	10.3%	590	54	10.1%	498	43	9.5%	516	40	8.4%
28-Aug-17	525	9	1.7%	599	9	1.5%	505	7	1.4%	522	6	1.2%
11-Sep-17	551	26	5.0%	624	25	4.2%	536	31	6.1%	536	14	2.7%
25-Sep-17	517	-34	-6.2%	591	-33	-5.3%	514	-22	-4.1%	505	-31	-5.8%
9-Oct-17	533	16	3.1%	594	3	0.5%	525	11	2.1%	511	6	1.2%
23-Oct-17	533	0	0.0%	604	10	1.7%	531	6	1.1%	507	-4	-0.8%
13-Nov-17	528	-5	-0.9%	603	-1	-0.2%	525	-6	-1.1%	516	9	1.8%
27-Nov-17	533	5	0.9%	617	14	2.3%	531	6	1.1%	553	37	7.2%
11-Dec-17	556	23	4.3%	636	19	3.1%	551	20	3.8%	604	51	9.2%
25-Dec-17												

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Western Europe

Ex-works

Dollars per Metric Tonne

	-----HRB-----			-----CRC-----			-----Plate-----			-----Rebar-----		
	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Dir Chng	Pct Chng
8-Aug-16	458	2	0.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
22-Aug-16	480	22	4.8%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Sep-16	500	20	4.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Sep-16	500	0	0.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Oct-16	498	-2	-0.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Oct-16	496	-2	-0.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
14-Nov-16	518	22	4.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
28-Nov-16	543	25	4.8%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Dec-16	584	41	7.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Dec-16	588	4	0.7%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
9-Jan-17	594	6	1.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
23-Jan-17	608	14	2.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Feb-17	605	-3	-0.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Feb-17	600	-5	-0.8%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Mar-17	609	9	1.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Mar-17	608	-1	-0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Apr-17	574	-34	-5.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Apr-17	580	6	1.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
8-May-17	585	5	0.9%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
22-May-17	576	-9	-1.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Jun-17	555	-21	-3.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Jun-17	548	-7	-1.3%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Jul-17	559	11	2.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Jul-17	573	14	2.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
14-Aug-17	605	32	5.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
28-Aug-17	619	14	2.3%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
11-Sep-17	645	26	4.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
25-Sep-17	641	-4	-0.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
9-Oct-17	635	-6	-0.9%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
23-Oct-17	634	-1	-0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Nov-17	626	-8	-1.3%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Nov-17	632	6	1.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
11-Dec-17	628	-4	-0.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
25-Dec-17												

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Western Europe

Ex-works

Euros per Metric Tonne

	Euro (\$/Euro)	-----HRB-----			-----CRC-----			-----Plate-----			-----Rebar-----		
		Price	Euro Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Euro Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Euro Chng	Pct Chng	Price	Euro Chng	Pct Chng
8-Aug-16	1.109	413 e	-2	-0.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
22-Aug-16	1.132	424 e	11	2.7%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Sep-16	1.123	445 e	21	5.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Sep-16	1.124	445 e	0	-0.1%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Oct-16	1.107	450 e	5	1.1%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Oct-16	1.088	456 e	6	1.3%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
14-Nov-16	1.077	481 e	25	5.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
28-Nov-16	1.061	512 e	31	6.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Dec-16	1.060	551 e	39	7.7%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Dec-16	1.045	563 e	12	2.1%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
9-Jan-17	1.055	563 e	0	0.1%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
23-Jan-17	1.070	568 e	5	0.9%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Feb-17	1.061	570 e	2	0.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Feb-17	1.056	568 e	-2	-0.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Mar-17	1.065	572 e	4	0.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Mar-17	1.084	561 e	-11	-1.9%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Apr-17	1.059	542 e	-19	-3.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Apr-17	1.078	538 e	-4	-0.7%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
8-May-17	1.093	535 e	-3	-0.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
22-May-17	1.114	517 e	-18	-3.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Jun-17	1.121	495 e	-22	-4.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Jun-17	1.125	487 e	-8	-1.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Jul-17	1.141	490 e	3	0.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Jul-17	1.165	492 e	2	0.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
14-Aug-17	1.177	514 e	22	4.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
28-Aug-17	1.197	517 e	3	0.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
11-Sep-17	1.199	538 e	21	4.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
25-Sep-17	1.185	541 e	3	0.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
9-Oct-17	1.176	540 e	-1	-0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
23-Oct-17	1.176	539 e	-1	-0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Nov-17	1.168	536 e	-3	-0.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Nov-17	1.190	531 e	-5	-0.9%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
11-Dec-17	1.178	533 e	2	0.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
25-Dec-17													

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World Export Price
FOB the Port of Export
Dollars per Metric Tonne

	-----HRB-----			-----CRC-----			-----Plate-----			-----Rebar-----		
	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dir Chng</u>	<u>Pct Chng</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dir Chng</u>	<u>Pct Chng</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dir Chng</u>	<u>Pct Chng</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dir Chng</u>	<u>Pct Chng</u>
8-Aug-16	367	3	0.8%	441	4	0.9%	na	-	-	na	-	-
22-Aug-16	376	9	2.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Sep-16	381	5	1.3%	466	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Sep-16	381	0	0.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Oct-16	399	18	4.7%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Oct-16	417	18	4.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
14-Nov-16	448	31	7.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
28-Nov-16	477	29	6.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Dec-16	490	13	2.7%	627	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Dec-16	515	25	5.1%	621	-6	-1.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-
9-Jan-17	522	7	1.4%	636	15	2.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-
23-Jan-17	528	6	1.1%	na	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Feb-17	516	-12	-2.3%	604	-	-	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Feb-17	527	11	2.1%	607	3	0.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Mar-17	524	-3	-0.6%	610	3	0.5%	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Mar-17	530	6	1.1%	618	8	1.3%	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Apr-17	527	-3	-0.6%	608	-10	-1.6%	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Apr-17	510	-17	-3.2%	607	-1	-0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-
8-May-17	496	-14	-2.7%	608	1	0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-
22-May-17	496	0	0.0%	601	-7	-1.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-
12-Jun-17	479	-17	-3.5%	581	-20	-3.3%	na	-	-	na	-	-
26-Jun-17	474	-5	-1.0%	558	-23	-4.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-
10-Jul-17	477	4	0.8%	566	8	1.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-
24-Jul-17	491	14	2.8%	595	29	5.1%	na	-	-	na	-	-
14-Aug-17	542	51	10.4%	642	47	7.9%	na	-	-	na	-	-
28-Aug-17	536	-6	-1.1%	643	1	0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-
11-Sep-17	561	25	4.7%	642	-1	-0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-
25-Sep-17	577	16	2.9%	643	1	0.2%	na	-	-	na	-	-
9-Oct-17	574	-3	-0.5%	634	-9	-1.4%	na	-	-	na	-	-
23-Oct-17	570	-4	-0.7%	634	0	0.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-
13-Nov-17	561	-9	-1.6%	621	-13	-2.1%	na	-	-	na	-	-
27-Nov-17	566	5	0.9%	621	0	0.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-
11-Dec-17	564	-2	-0.4%	627	6	1.0%	na	-	-	na	-	-
25-Dec-17												

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Spot Market New Booking Prices for Near-Term Delivery Commodity-grade product to mid-sized buyers

(Dollars per Metric Tonne, 500 to 2,000 tonnes transaction size)

USA Market East of the Mississippi

FOB mill
Hot-rolled band * (0.2" thick x 48-60" wide)
Cold-rolled coil * (0.03" x 48-60" wide)
Rebar #5 * (5/8" in diameter)
Standard plate * (1" x 96" x 240")
Steel scrap ** #1 Heavy melting Shredded - all but West Coast #1 Busheling

Western Europe Market Germany/France

Ex-works
Hot-rolled band * (5mm thick x 1200-1500mm wide)
Cold-rolled coil * (0.7mm x 1200-1500mm wide)
Rebar #5 * (16mm in diameter)
Standard plate * (24mm x 2400mm x 6000mm)

Chinese Market Home Market

Ex-works
Hot-rolled band * (5mm thick x 1200-1500mm wide)
Cold-rolled coil * (0.7mm x 1200-1500mm wide)
Rebar #5 * (16mm in diameter)
Standard plate * (24mm x 2400mm x 6000mm)

World Export Market Atlantic and Pacific Basin

FOB port of export
Hot-rolled band *** (5mm thick x 1200-1500mm wide)
Cold-rolled coil *** (0.7mm x 1200-1500mm wide)
Rebar #5 *** (16mm in diameter)
Standard plate *** (24mm x 2400mm x 6000mm)

Note: Near-term delivery is normally two to six weeks.

Hot-rolled band is the first product off the hot strip mill with: (1) a thickness of about 0.20 inch (but no less than 0.10 inch or more than 0.50 inch); (2) a coil size of 10 to 20 tons; (3) a width of 48 to 60 inches; and (4) a carbon component of 0.08% to 0.13%.

SteelHome's average price for each product is the determinant of the Chinese ex-works benchmark price. It is published for comparative purposes.

* Ex-works (the same as FOB mill).

** Steel scrap delivered to steel plant on a near-term basis, normally from two days to a month.

#1 heavy melting – demolition scrap that is at least ¼" thick and surface dimension no larger than 60 by 24 inches. This grade does not include the heavy "p & s" (plate and structural) category that includes the very thick scrap items.

Shredded – largely old cars and some appliances – for all but the West Coast (California, Oregon and Washington).

Shredded scrap is homogeneous iron and steel scrap magnetically separated, no. 1, no. 2 steel, miscellaneous bailing and sheet scrap with an average weight from 50 to 70 pounds per square foot.

#1 busheling – new sheet steel scrap.

*** FOB port of export