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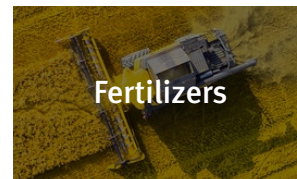
## About Argus

Argus is a leading energy and commodity price reporting agency providing data, news and insight as well as conference and consulting services for the global crude, oil products, LPG, natural gas, electricity, coal, emissions, bioenergy, fertilizer, petrochemical, metals and transportation markets.

Companies in 140 countries use Argus data to index physical trade and as benchmarks in financial derivative markets, as well as for analysis and planning purposes.



KEY  Argus offices



# Argus: Covering the energy and commodity markets for 50 years.



1970

Argus is founded and launches Europ-Oil prices, a weekly newsletter covering the European Amsterdam, Rotterdam and Antwerp (ARA) products markets.

The name "Argus" is first used in the pricing section of Europ-Oil Prices.



1985

Argus opens new offices in Houston and Singapore, and Europ-Oil Prices is renamed Weekly Petroleum Argus.

Argus opens an office in Moscow.

2001

Several new price reports are launched, including Argus NGL Americas, Energy Argus Petroleum Coke and Argus Coal Daily International.

Argus launches its first Mandarin language report covering Chinese fuel oil prices, and opens an office in Beijing.

2011

Argus acquires FMB Consultants Ltd (FMB), a provider of price reporting and market intelligence to the fertilizer and chemical industries.

2004



Argus launches daily Tier III sulphur credit assessment. Chicago coverage expanded to include premium gasoline prices for Buckeye Complex and Wolverine pipeline in addition to the existing West Shore/Badger premium grades, which are all now aligned to NYMEX Rbob.

Argus is first to launch a low-sulphur fuel oil (LSFO) price assessment to comply with IMO lower sulphur limits.



2019

2018

Argus daily methanol assessments are used to settle methanol swaps traded on ICE and CME. Argus acquires German oil price reporting agency O.M.R. Mexico adopts Argus WTI on the formula for their Maya heavy crude oil to the Americas.

Argus launches Argus Mexico Fuel Markets, covering refined product trade in Mexico.

2017



OPEC switches to using Argus as its external reference price provider for all energy markets.

2016

Argus purchases Metal-Prices.com, further extending metals coverage.

2015



Argus buys TABrewer Consulting and Jim Jordan & Associates, both petrochemical market experts.

2013

New acquisitions include petrochemical specialists DeWitt and European power and gas fundamental data provider Fundalytics.

2012



## Our range of services

## Our clients include

### Pricing



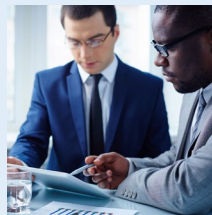
Argus prices allow clients to be better informed and prepared for risk management and strategic and analysis planning.

### Consulting



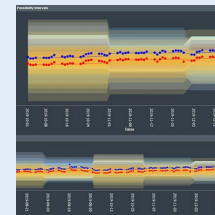
Our consulting division builds on Argus' key strengths – commodity markets expertise, international networks and trusted data – to help our clients realise opportunities.

### Conferences



Our conferences, forums, webinars and industry events ensure market participants are informed on the latest developments happening in the global energy commodity markets.

### Data science



Unleashing new and actionable insights, Argus data science products assist physical and financial market participants in managing risk and informing trading and hedging decisions.



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