



Argus Scrap Coverage -North America



Market-leading coverage of global scrap markets from Argus



Argus has a dedicated team of 17 price reporters and analysts based in our offices in the USA, Europe and Asia providing detailed and independent coverage of the ferrous and non-ferrous scrap markets across the world on a daily basis.

The depth of our team allows Argus to offer coverage with a greater level of granularity and direct engagement with local markets than other information providers. We are also able to speak to more participants across the world to develop a deep understanding of the true value of scrap materials by collecting a wide variety of transaction prices. Creating a broad network and collecting the actual representative value of trades allows Argus to publish an accurate reflection of sales in every region we cover.

This is extremely important in Argus's ability to build confidence and trust from the market and cannot be duplicated by smaller or less-seasoned teams of reporters. Argus prices can be used in long-term contracts, spot market purchases, and referenced in handshake deals to provide a balanced and impartial market value for a wide range of scrap materials in markets all over the world.

This brochure contains some of the key information for our scrap coverage, and if you would like to speak to our team in more detail and/ or receive a demo of our platform, please get in touch through the details on the final page.

Zack Schumacher, Editor of Argus' scrap coverage

About Argus

Argus – the leading independent energy publisher in the world – has been assessing and reporting on commodity prices for 50 years. As well as price data, fundamental information and news through its market reports, Argus also offers business intelligence publications, conferences and a consulting and research service specializing in energy, fertilizers, petrochemicals, metals, logistics and process technology.

Argus' scrap price assessments are used by a range of clients worldwide, including metal producers, recyclers, trading companies and financial institutions, to index and settle contracts with their counterparties.

Depth of Coverage

Argus provides price assessments throughout the full depth of the Scrap Value Chain



Scope of Coverage

Number of regional markets priced for core ferrous scrap grades

More global data points for buyers and sellers to use in trades offers more options to find the best price for material in domestic or export markets.



Extensive regional coverage of nonferrous scrap grades

Broad range of assessments nonferrous scrap grades around the world including multiple values for zorba, taint/ tense, twitch, superalloys, tool steels, stainless, titanium scrap.

North American Scrap Assessments

Argus scrap price assessments are used throughout the supply chain from the yard level, to processors, to mills and OEM's for spot market and contract sales of scrap across a variety of ferrous, nonferrous and specialty grades. With a deep team of reporters each market is covered with a level of expertise that allows for the most representative prices and deepest level of analysis of the underlying factors that can impact the next cycle of prices. Argus also prices the widest range of scrap grades and specialty scrap for the most complete set of market prices available in the industry.

- Ferrous scrap coverage spanning 18 city-specific assessments for monthly markets, weekly export yard assessments on the east, west and Gulf coasts, and weekly bulk and containerized assessments on the east and west coasts that leverage our global reach.
- Nonferrous scrap yard collection price assessments for five US regions and two in Canada, published every two weeks, providing a more frequent and local option for usage in contracts with industrial accounts.
- Unmatched US stainless steel scrap coverage, from daily processor buying assessments for 304 and 316 scrap, weekly assessments for ferritic and other grades, plus export prices for India, Japan, South Korea and Taiwan.
- Comprehensive assessments for chopped copper wire as scrap yards invest in equipment to meet higher export standards. Argus assesses price spreads for bare bright, #1 and #2 chops on a delivered US consumer and fas basis.
- Particular strengths in UBC, Zorba, Titanium and tool steel scrap
- Titanium and superalloys scrap assessments that are widely used in contracts by many aerospace supply chain participants
- Tool steel scrap coverage provides market value for an otherwise fairly opaque market
- Growing demand for Argus prices to be the index of choice in scrap transactions throughout the US for domestic and export sales







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