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## Iron Ore Price Indices

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| <p>Iron Ore Port Stock (FOT Qingdao)<br/>IOPI62 62% Fe Fines RMB/t</p> <p> <b>829</b><br/>-15 -1.75%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024</p>      | <p>Iron Ore Port Stock (FOT Qingdao)<br/>IOPI65 65% Fe Fines RMB/t</p> <p> <b>940</b><br/>-15.00 -1.57%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024</p> | <p>Iron Port Stock (FOT Qingdao)<br/>IOPI58 58% Fe Fines RMB/t</p> <p> <b>695</b><br/>-1 -0.16%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024</p>                   |
| <p>Iron Ore Seaborne (CFR Qingdao)<br/>IOSI62 62% Fe Fines USD/dmt</p> <p> <b>108.55</b><br/>-0.35 -0.32%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024</p> | <p>Iron Ore Seaborne (CFR Qingdao)<br/>IOSI65 65% Fe Fines USD/dmt</p> <p> <b>126.60</b><br/>1.30 1.04%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024</p> | <p>Iron Ore Port Stock (FOT Qingdao)<br/>IOPLI 62.5% Fe Lump RMB/t</p> <p> <b>1010</b><br/>-23 -2.23%</p> <p>Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024</p> |


## Exchange Traded Contracts

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| <p>DCE Iron Ore 62% Fines<br/>I2409 (sep) RMB/t (3pm close)</p> <p> <b>805.00</b><br/>-19.00 -2.31%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024 (3pm close)</p> | <p>SGX Iron Ore (CFR Qingdao) 62% Fe Fines<br/>August 24 USD/dmt</p> <p> <b>105.00</b><br/>-2.30 -2.14%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024 (5.30 pm Print)</p> | <p>SHFE Rebar<br/>RB2410 (oct) RMB/t</p> <p> <b>3487</b><br/>-57 -1.61%</p> <p>Jul 17th, 2024 (3pm close)</p> |
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## Freight Rates

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| <p>C3, Tubarao - Qingdao USD/t</p> <p> <b>26.23</b><br/>-0.56 -2.07%</p> <p>Jul 16th, 2024</p> | <p>C5, W. Australia - Qingdao USD/t</p> <p> <b>9.20</b><br/>-0.69 -6.98%</p> <p>Jul 16th, 2024</p> |
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## Steel Price

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| <p>Steel Rebar (China Domestic) RMB/t</p> <p> <b>3460</b><br/>-60 -1.70%</p> <p>Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024</p> |
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## Inventory Levels

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| <p>Iron Ore Inventory at Chinese Ports (35)<br/>million tonnes</p> <p> <b>146.22</b><br/>0.18 0.12%</p> <p>Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024</p> | <p>Steel Inventory in China<br/>million tonnes</p> <p> <b>12.94</b><br/>0.10 0.79%</p> <p>Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024</p> |
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## Steel Price

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| <p>Steel HRC (China Domestic) RMB/t</p> <p> <b>3670</b><br/>-60 -1.61%</p> <p>Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024</p> |
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## IRON ORE PORT STOCK INDEX (IOPI)

| Jul 17th, 2024 |              | FOT Qingdao (inc. 13% VAT), RMB/wet tonne |        |          |     |      |                  |                   | CFR Qingdao Equivalent (exc. 13% VAT), USD/dry tonne <sup>1</sup> |        |          |        |        |                  |                   |
|----------------|--------------|---|--------|----------|-----|------|------------------|-------------------|---|--------|----------|--------|--------|------------------|-------------------|
| Index          | Fe Content   | Price                                     | Change | Change % | MTD | YTD  | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> | Price   | Change | Change % | MTD    | YTD    | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> |
| IOPI62         | 62% Fe Fines | 829                                       | -14.8  | -1.75%   | 880 | 895  | 770              | 1063              | 107.97  | -1.98  | -1.8%    | 116.38 | 121.03 | 101.00           | 140.00            |
| IOPI58         | 58% Fe Fines | 695                                       | -1.1   | -0.16%   | 785 | 781  | 665              | 963               | 90.95   | -0.14  | -0.2%    | 104.50 | 106.10 | 86.00            | 128.00            |
| IOPI65         | 65% Fe Fines | 940                                       | -15.0  | -1.57%   | 996 | 1026 | 881              | 1175              | 123.01  | -2.01  | -1.6%    | 132.21 | 139.47 | 116.00           | 155.00            |

## IRON ORE SEABORNE INDEX (IOSI)

## MARKET COMMENTARY

| Jul 17th, 2024 |              | CFR Qingdao, USD/dry tonne |        |          |        |        |                  |                   |
|----------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------|----------|--------|--------|------------------|-------------------|
| Index          | Fe Content   | Price                      | Change | Change % | MTD    | YTD    | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> |
| IOSI62         | 62% Fe Fines | 108.55                     | -0.35  | -0.32%   | 116.42 | 116.42 | 99.20            | 146.75            |
| IOSI65         | 65% Fe Fines | 126.60                     | 1.30   | 1.04%    | 130.60 | 130.60 | 115.45           | 171.65            |

DCE iron ore futures continued in the morning and dropped in the afternoon. The main contract closed 805, an decrease of 2.66% throughout the day. Some traders are unable to sell their products due to market closures. Some steel mills purchased on demand, and the purchasing enthusiasm has slightly increased.  
 PBF at Shandong port dealt 805-825 yuan/mt; decreased 10-20 yuan/mt over yesterday. PBF at Tangshan port dealt 825-840 yuan/mt; decreased 5-20 yuan/mt over yesterday.  
 On July 17th, SMM reported a blast furnace operating rate of 94.16%, a decrease of 0.2% compared to the previous month. The utilization rate of blast furnace capacity was 95.97%, a decrease of 0.41% compared to the previous period. The average daily iron production of the sample steel plant was 2.295 million tons, a decrease of 0.5 million tons compared to the previous period. The demand for iron ore continues to weaken. In addition, there has been another decline in terminal data during the off-season. During the important meetings, there were no positive policies announced, and the market sentiment was relatively pessimistic. The price of iron ore has experienced a significant decline.

## IRON ORE PORT LUMP INDEX (IOPLI)

| Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024 |               | FOT Qingdao (inc. 13% VAT), RMB/wet tonne |       |          |     |      |                  |                   | CFR Qingdao Equivalent (exc. 13% VAT), USD/dry tonne <sup>3</sup> |       |          |        |        |                  |                   |
|----------------------------|---------------|---|-------|----------|-----|------|------------------|-------------------|---|-------|----------|--------|--------|------------------|-------------------|
| Index                      | Fe Content    | Price                                     | W-o-W | Change % | MTD | YTD  | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> | Price   | W-o-W | Change % | MTD    | YTD    | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> |
| IOPLI62                    | 62.5% Fe Lump | 1010                                      | -23   | -2.2%    | 994 | 1041 | 900              | 1210              | 126.93  | -3.02 | -2.32%   | 126.95 | 136.27 | 113.28           | 153.57            |

## IRON ORE DOMESTIC CONCENTRATE SPOT PRICE ASSESSMENTS AND COMPOSITE INDEX

| Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024 |         |                    |       | RMB/tonne (excluding tax) <sup>3</sup> |          |                  |                   | USD/tonne (excluding tax) <sup>3</sup> |          |                  |                   |
|----------------------------|---------|--------------------|-------|--|----------|------------------|-------------------|--|----------|------------------|-------------------|
| Province                   | Region  | Product            | Basis | This week                              | Change % | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> | This week                              | Change % | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> |
| Hebei                      | Hanxing | 66% Fe Concentrate | Dry   | 1010                                   | 4.9%     | 779              | 1645              | 141.62                                 | 4.84%    | 110.31           | 255.69            |
| Hebei                      | Qian'an | 65% Fe Concentrate | Dry   | 1055                                   | 0.5%     | 780              | 1630              | 147.93                                 | 0.44%    | 110.51           | 251.57            |
| Liaoning                   | Anshan  | 65% Fe Concentrate | Wet   | 810                                    | -1.2%    | 620              | 1310              | 113.58                                 | -1.26%   | 87.40            | 202.32            |
| Shandong                   | Zibo    | 65% Fe Concentrate | Dry   | 1074                                   | 5.2%     | 800              | 1752              | 150.59                                 | 5.15%    | 0.00             | 272.32            |

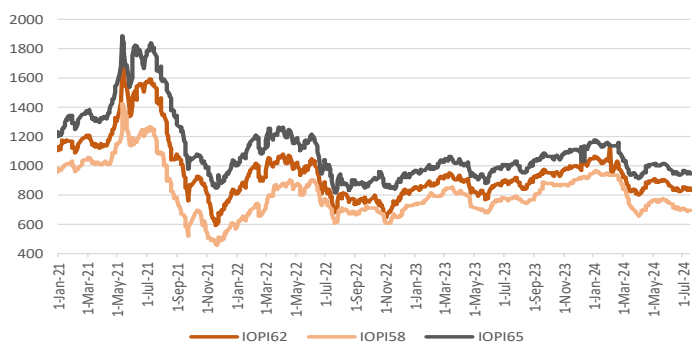
Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024

| This week | Change % | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> |
|-----------|----------|------------------|-------------------|
| 946.24    | 1.37%    | 706.36           | 1511.22           |

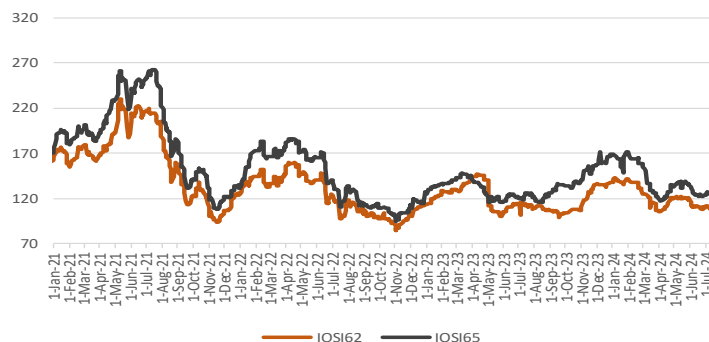
China Mines Concentrate Composite Index RMB/WT

<sup>1</sup> Exchange rate applied: RMB/USD = 6.7522    <sup>2</sup> Last 12 months  
<sup>3</sup> Weekly exchange rate applied: RMB/USD = 6.87528

## IRON ORE PORT INDEX, FOT QINGDAO (RMB/WT)



## IRON ORE SEABORNE INDEX, CFR QINGDAO (USD/DMT)



## IRON ORE PORT STOCK INDEX MONTHLY, QUARTERLY AND YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES

| Jul 17th, 2024 |              | FOT Qingdao (inc. 13% VAT), RMB/wet tonne |       |      |      |     |     |      | CFR Qingdao Equivalent (exc. 13% VAT), USD/dry tonne |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|----------------|--------------|---|-------|------|------|-----|-----|------|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Index          | Fe Content   | March                                     | April | May  | June | MTD | QTD | YTD  | March  | April  | May    | June   | MTD    | QTD    | YTD    |
| IOPI62         | 62% Fe Fines | 860                                       | 857   | 894  | 842  | 880 | 874 | 895  | 112.79   | 112.32 | 117.28 | 110.03 | 115.32 | 115.83 | 120.56 |
| IOPI58         | 58% Fe Fines | 752                                       | 711   | 762  | 719  | 785 | 779 | 781  | 99.14  | 93.48  | 100.47 | 94.46  | 103.33 | 103.96 | 105.35 |
| IOPI65         | 65% Fe Fines | 972                                       | 969   | 1006 | 954  | 996 | 992 | 1026 | 127.92   | 127.43 | 132.42 | 125.13 | 131.20 | 131.91 | 139.19 |

## IRON ORE SEABORNE INDEX MONTHLY, QUARTERLY AND YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES

## FREIGHT RATES

| Jul 17th, 2024 |              | CFR Qingdao, USD/dry tonne |        |        |        |        |        |        | FREIGHT RATES - DRY BULK US\$/wet tonne |             |        |          |                  |                   |       |
|----------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---|-------------|--------|----------|------------------|-------------------|-------|
| Index          | Fe Content   | March                      | April  | May    | June   | MTD    | QTD    | YTD    | Route                                   | Designation | Change | Change % | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> |       |
| IOSI62         | 62% Fe Fines | 116.50                     | 112.78 | 120.10 | 110.42 | 112.14 | 115.18 | 116.42 | W. Australia - Qingdao                  | C5          | 9.20   | -0.69    | -6.98%           | 3.57              | 16.77 |
| IOSI65         | 65% Fe Fines | 135.22                     | 124.98 | 136.06 | 125.14 | 122.86 | 129.04 | 130.60 | Tubarao - Qingdao                       | C3          | 26.23  | -0.56    | -2.07%           | 6.70              | 36.40 |

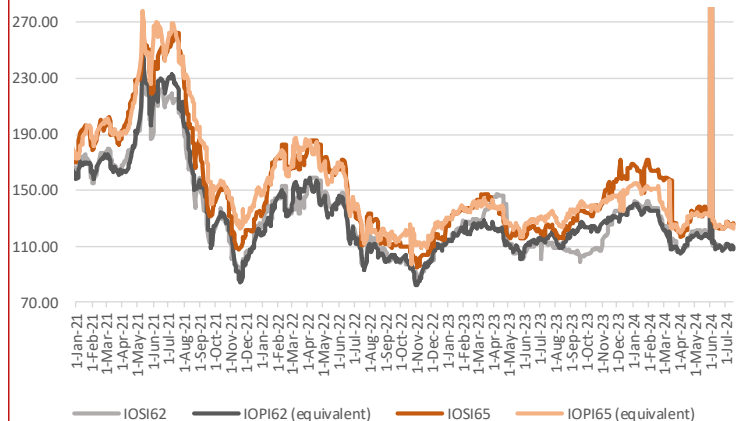
## IRON ORE PORT LUMP INDEX MONTHLY, QUARTERLY AND YEAR-TO-DATE AVERAGES

| Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024 |               | FOT Qingdao (inc. 13% VAT), RMB/wet tonne |       |      |      |     |     |      | CFR Qingdao Equivalent (exc. 13% VAT), USD/dry tonne <sup>1</sup> |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|----------------------------|---------------|---|-------|------|------|-----|-----|------|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Index                      | Fe Content    | March                                     | April | May  | June | MTD | QTD | YTD  | March   | April  | May    | June   | MTD    | QTD    | YTD    |
| IOPLI62                    | 62.5% Fe Lump | 982                                       | 997   | 1024 | 1011 | 933 | 989 | 1017 | 123.87  | 125.79 | 129.18 | 127.27 | 119.96 | 126.47 | 134.98 |

## IRON ORE INDEX PREMIUMS/DISCOUNTS

| Jul 17th, 2024 |              | PORT STOCK INDEX (RMB/WT) |                    | SEABORNE INDEX (USD/DMT) |              |
|----------------|--------------|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| Index          | Fe Content   | Spread to IOPI62          | % Spread to IOPI62 | Index                    | Fe Content   |
| IOPI58         | 58% Fe Fines | -134                      | -16.12%            | IOSI65                   | 65% Fe Fines |
| IOPI65         | 65% Fe Fines | 111                       | 13.45%             |                          |              |

## IRON ORE INDEX COMPARISONS (USD/DMT)



## CHINA DOMESTIC COMPOSITE MINES INDEX (RMB/Wet Tonne, including VAT)



## IRON ORE BRAND SPOT PRICE ASSESSMENTS

| Jul 17th, 2024            |       |        |                | Jul 17th, 2024           |        |        |                |
|---------------------------|-------|--------|----------------|--------------------------|--------|--------|----------------|
| PORT STOCK INDEX (RMB/WT) |       |        |                | SEABORNE INDEX (USD/DMT) |        |        |                |
|                           | Price | Change | Diff to IOPI62 |                          | Price  | Change | Diff to IOSI62 |
| Roy Hill                  | 771   | -15    | -58            | Roy Hill                 | 104.05 | -0.35  | -4.50          |
| SIMEC Fines               | 700   | -15    | -129           | SIMEC Fines              | 100.55 | -0.35  | -8.00          |
| PB Fines                  | 797   | -14    | -32            | PB Fines                 | 104.80 | -0.35  | -3.75          |
| Newman Fines              | 797   | -15    | -32            | Newman Fines             | 107.65 | -0.40  | -0.90          |
| MAC Fines                 | 778   | -15    | -51            | MAC Fines                | 104.80 | -0.35  | -3.75          |
| Jimblebar Blended Fines   | 693   | -15    | -136           | Jimblebar Blended Fines  | 97.15  | -0.40  | -11.40         |
| Carajas Fines             | 1009  | -14    | 180            | Carajas Fines            | 138.10 | -0.35  | 29.55          |
| Brazilian SSF             | 792   | -14    | -37            | Brazilian SSF            | 112.30 | -0.35  | 3.75           |
| Brazilian Blend Fines     | 810   | -15    | -19            | Brazilian Blend Fines    | 113.90 | -0.35  | 5.35           |
| RTX Fines                 | 711   | -15    | -118           | RTX Fines                | 98.40  | -0.35  | -10.15         |
| West Pilbara Fines        | 740   | -14    | -89            | West Pilbara Fines       | 102.80 | -0.35  | -5.75          |

| Jul 17th, 2024            |       |        |                |
|---------------------------|-------|--------|----------------|
| PORT STOCK INDEX (RMB/WT) |       |        |                |
|                           | Price | Change | Diff to IOPI58 |
| SSF                       | 695   | -1     | 0              |
| FMG Blended Fines         | 704   | -1     | 9              |
| Robe River                | 704   | -1     | 9              |
| Western Fines             | 707   | -1     | 12             |
| Atlas Fines               | 701   | -1     | 6              |
| Yandi                     | 689   | -1     | -6             |

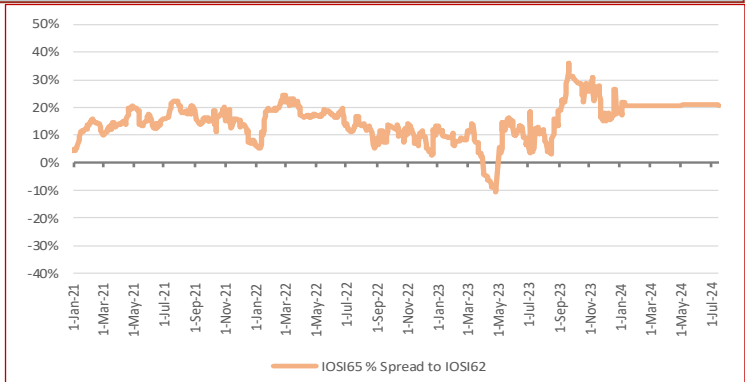
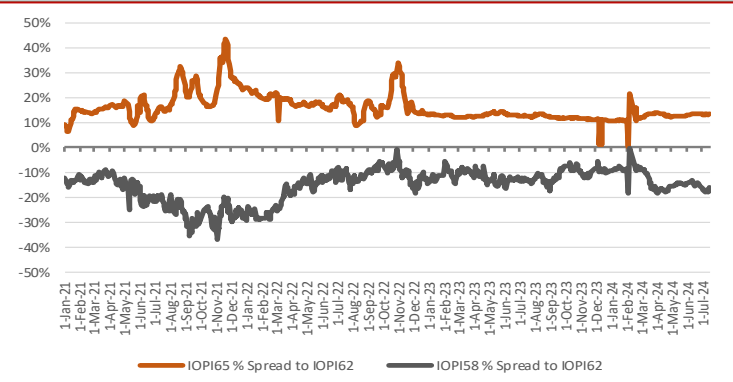
## IRON ORE INDEX NORMALISATION DIFFERENTIALS

| Port Stock Index Product Differentials (RMB/wet tonne) |                              |        |        | Seaborne Index Product Differentials (USD/dry tonne) |                              |       |        |
|--|------------------------------|--------|--------|--|------------------------------|-------|--------|
|  | Applicable range             | Value  | Change |  | Applicable range             | Value | Change |
| 1% Fe  | High Grade Fe 60 - 63%       | 10.00  | -1.00  | 1% Fe  | High Grade Fe 60 - 63%       | 2.00  | 0.00   |
|  | High Grade Fe 63 - 64%       | 40.00  | 0.00   |  | High Grade Fe 63 - 64%       | 4.00  | 0.00   |
|  | High Grade Fe 64 - 65%       | 40.00  | 0.00   |  | High Grade Fe 64 - 65%       | 4.00  | 0.00   |
|  | High Grade Fe 65 - 65.5%     | 40.00  | 0.00   |  | High Grade Fe 65 - 65.5%     | 4.00  | 0.00   |
| 1% Alumina   | Low Grade Fe                 | 30.00  | 0.00   | 1% Alumina   | High Fe Grade Al <2.25%      | 5.25  | 0.00   |
|  | High Fe Grade Al <2.25%      | 69.00  | -6.00  |  | High Fe Grade Al 2.25-4%     | 1.00  | -0.50  |
|  | High Fe Grade Al 2.25-4%     | 20.00  | -2.00  |  |                              |       |        |
|  | Low Fe Grade Al <2.25%       | 115.00 | -5.00  |  |                              |       |        |
| 1% Silica  | Low Fe Grade Al 2.25-4%      | 54.00  | 0.00   | 1% Silica  | High Fe Grade Si <4%         | 0.50  | 0.00   |
|  | High Fe Grade Si <4%         | 32.00  | -4.00  |  | High Fe Grade Si 4 - 6.5%    | 0.50  | 0.00   |
|  | High Fe Grade Si 4 - 6.5%    | 43.00  | -3.00  |  |                              |       |        |
| 0.01% Phosphorus                                       | Low Fe Grade                 | 37.00  | 0.00   | 0.01% Phosphorus                                     | High Fe Grade 0.09%<P<0.115% | 1.00  | 0.00   |
|  | High Fe Grade 0.09%<P<0.115% | 10.00  | -1.00  |  | High Fe Grade 0.115%<P<0.15% | 1.25  | 0.25   |
|  | High Fe Grade 0.115%<P<0.15% | 10.00  | -1.00  |  |                              |       |        |
|  | Low Fe Grade 0.09%<P<0.1%    | 5.00   | 0.00   |  |                              |       |        |

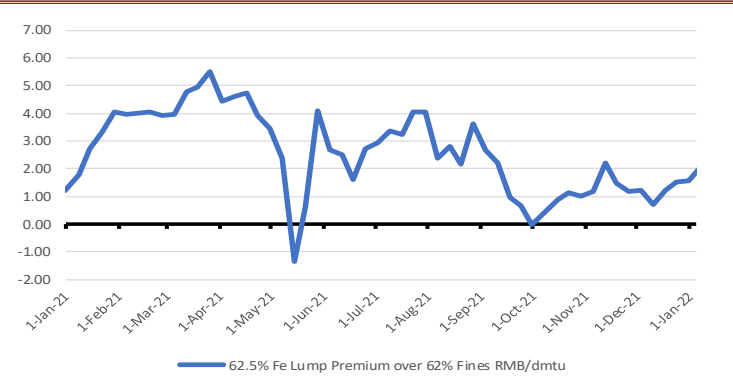
## Port Stock Price Differentials to Qingdao Port for PB Fines (RMB/wet tonne)

| Port       | Value  | Change | Port      | Value  | Change | Port        | Value | Change | Port     | Value  | Change |
|------------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|-------------|-------|--------|----------|--------|--------|
| Bayuquan   | -50.00 | 0.00   | Fangcheng | -25.00 | 0.00   | Lanshan     | 0.00  | 0.00   | Rizhao   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Beilun     | 0.00   | 0.00   | Jiangyin  | -30.00 | 0.00   | Lianyungang | 0.00  | 0.00   | Shekou   | 0.00   | 0.00   |
| Caofeidian | -20.00 | 0.00   | Jingtang  | -20.00 | 0.00   | Majishan    | 0.00  | 0.00   | Taichang | -30.00 | 0.00   |
| Dalian     | 0.00   | 0.00   | Lanqiao   | 0.00   | 0.00   | Qingdao     | 0.00  | 0.00   | Tianjin  | -10.00 | 0.00   |

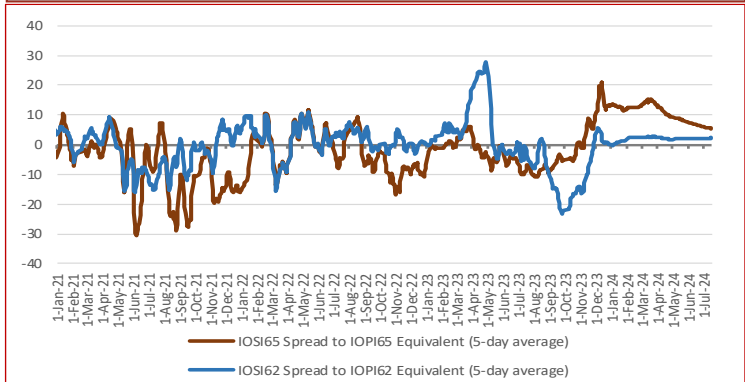
IRON ORE INDEX PREMIUMS/DISCOUNTS



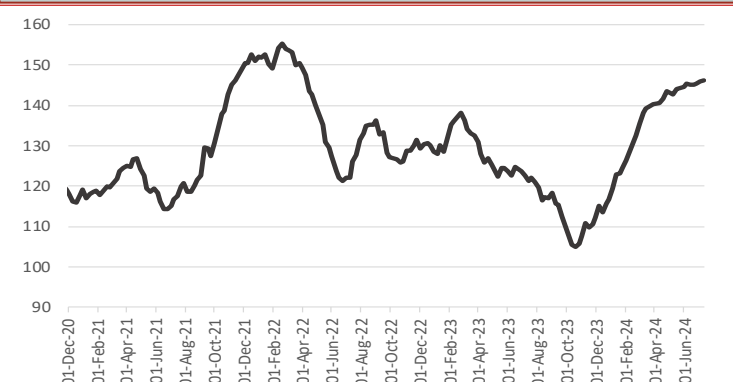
WEEKLY IRON ORE PORT STOCK LUMP PREMIUM (RMB/DMTU)



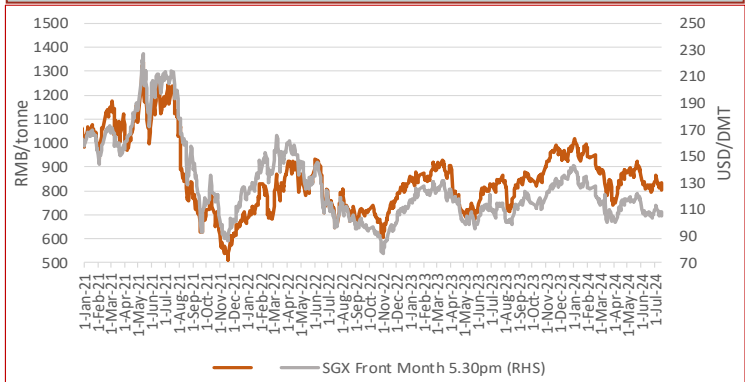
IRON ORE SEABORNE TO PORT STOCK PRICE SPREADS (USD/DMT)



TOTAL IRON ORE INVENTORIES AT CHINA PORTS (MILLION TONNES)



FUTURE TRADING—FRONT MONTH CLOSING PRICE



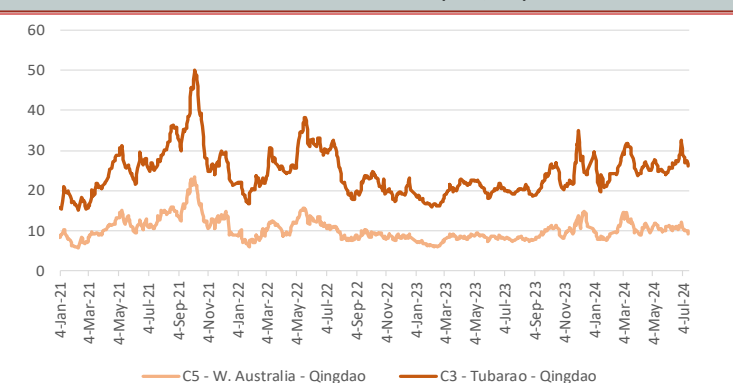
IRON ORE PORT INVENTORIES (MILLION TONNES)

| Week Ending Jul 12th, 2024 |               |              |                  |                   |
|----------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Province                   | This week     | Change %     | Low <sup>2</sup> | High <sup>2</sup> |
| Jingtang                   | 16.95         | -0.82%       | 8.41             | 19.20             |
| Qingdao                    | 23.19         | 2.66%        | 9.41             | 26.24             |
| Caofeidian                 | 16.18         | 0.81%        | 7.56             | 17.00             |
| Tianjin                    | 10.27         | 0.10%        | 6.49             | 12.97             |
| Rizhao                     | 18.82         | 3.41%        | 9.44             | 19.26             |
| <b>Total (35 Ports)</b>    | <b>146.22</b> | <b>0.12%</b> | <b>98.80</b>     | <b>155.39</b>     |

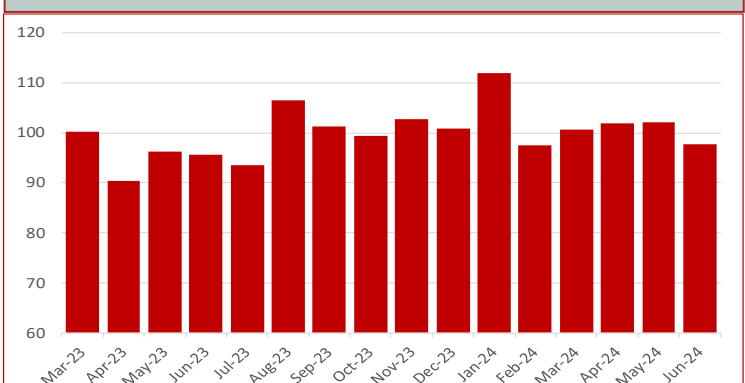
IRON ORE FUTURES CONTRACTS

| Closing Date               | DCE (RMB/WMT)       |        |          | SGX (USD/DMT)    |        |          |
|----------------------------|---------------------|--------|----------|------------------|--------|----------|
|                            | Jul 17th, 3pm close |        |          | Jul 17th, 5:30pm |        |          |
| Contract                   | 12409               | Change | Change % | August. 24       | Change | Change % |
| Closing Price              | 805.00              | -19.00 | -2.31%   | 105.00           | -2.30  | -2.14%   |
| Vol traded ('000 lots)     | 30.97               | 0.84   | 2.78%    | 8.16             | 1.90   | 30.24%   |
| Open positions ('000 lots) | 32.13               | 0.50   | 1.59%    | 28.61            | -0.73  | -2.48%   |
| Day Low                    | 805.0               | -13.00 | -1.59%   | 104.30           | -2.15  | -2.02%   |
| Day High                   | 830.0               | -6.50  | -0.78%   | 108.20           | -0.75  | -0.69%   |

DRY BULK FREIGHT RATES (USD/MT)



TOTAL CHINA IRON ORE IMPORT VOLUMES (MILLION TONNES)



STEEL SPOT MARKET PRICES—CHINA

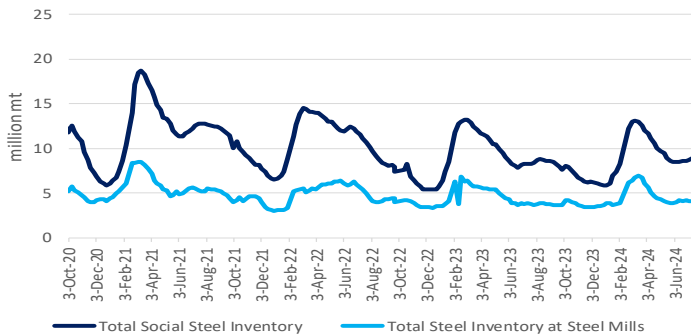
| Steel Spot Market RMB/tonne     |           |        |          |
|---------------------------------|-----------|--------|----------|
| Product                         | 2024/7/12 | Change | Change % |
| ReBar HRB400 φ18mm              | 3,460     | -60    | -1.70%   |
| Wirerod Q300 φ6.5mm             | 3,770     | -60    | -1.57%   |
| HRC Q235/SS400 5.5mm*1500*C     | 3,670     | -60    | -1.61%   |
| CRC SPCC/ST12 1.0mm*1250*2500   | 4,030     | -70    | -1.71%   |
| Medium & Heavy Plate Q235B 20mm | 3,620     | -60    | -1.63%   |
| GI ST02Z 1.0mm*1000*C           | 4,650     | -100   | -2.11%   |
| Colour Coated Plate             | 6,400     | -50    | -0.78%   |

CHINESE STEEL MILL PROFITABILITY

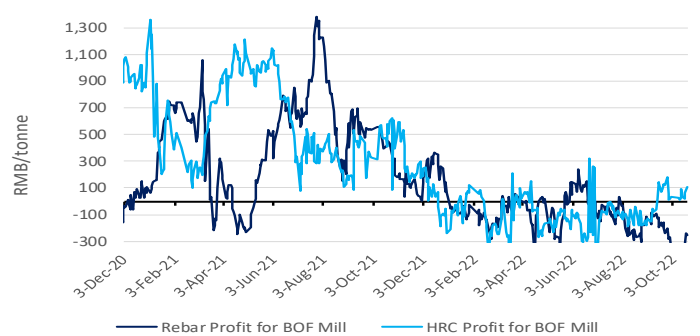
| SMM Tracking of Steel Mill P&L - Rebar and Hot-rolled Coil (RMB/tonne) |        |              |   |
|--|--------|--------------|---|
| Category   | Price  | Change (WoW) | Note  |
| MMi (Fe 62%), USD/mt excluding tax                                     | 109.17 | -2           | Mmi CFR Equivalent index for 1st Feb              |
| Coke   | 2,230  | 0            | 2nd grade met coke, Tangshan, incl. tax           |
| Steel Scrap  | 2,790  | 50           | steel scrap (6mm) in Zhangjiagang, excl. tax      |
| Billet Cost  | 2,950  | -30          | Q234, incl. tax                                   |
| Rebar cost - Blast furnace   | 3,560  | -34          | calculated based on theoretical weight, incl. tax |
| Rebar profit - Blast furnace   | -180   | -16          | based on Shanghai prices, incl. tax               |
| Hot-rolled coil cost - Blast furnace                                   | 3,607  | -23          | based on actual weight, incl. tax                 |
| Hot-rolled coil profit - Blast furnace                                 | 63     | -37          | based on Shanghai prices, incl. tax               |

Note: 1. Costs in the table are calculated based on today's market prices and factored our management, sales, financial and depreciations fees.  
2. The cost refers to average cost in the industry based on SMM's survey of small, medium and large mills in China

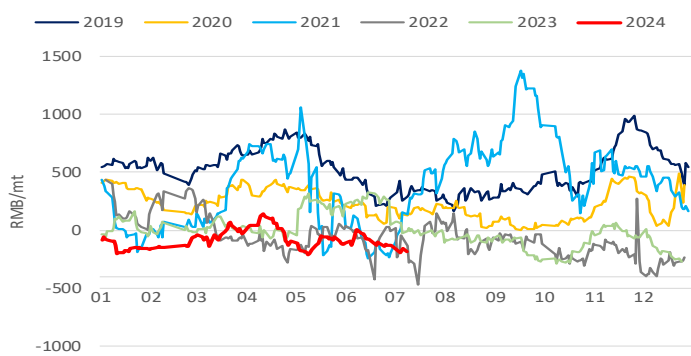
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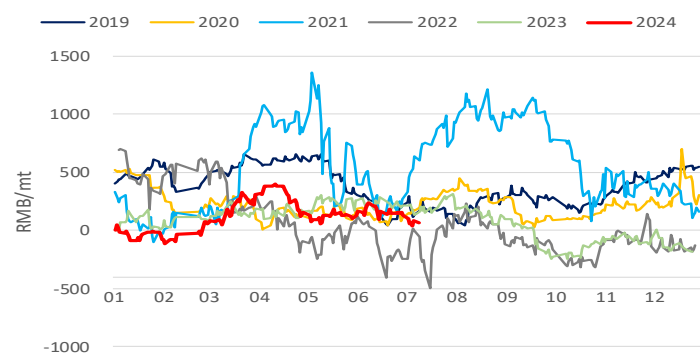
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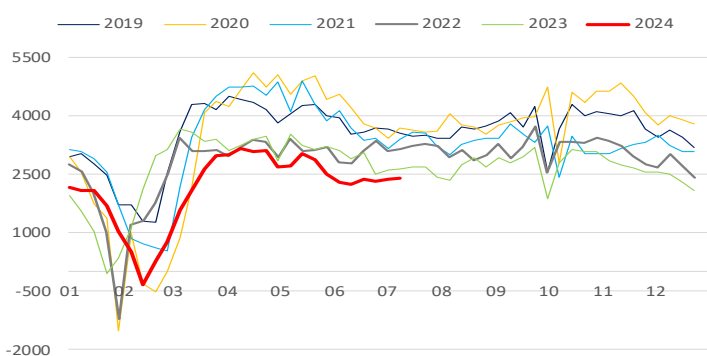
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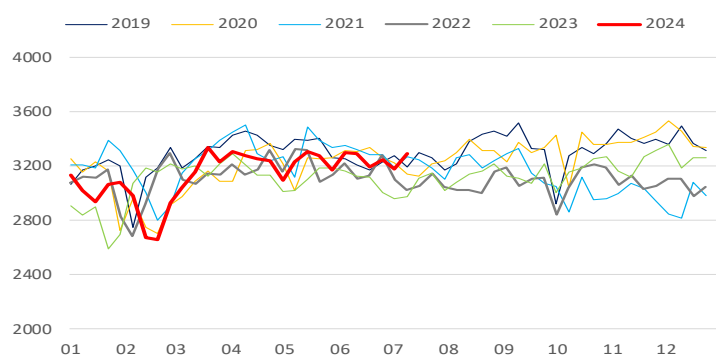
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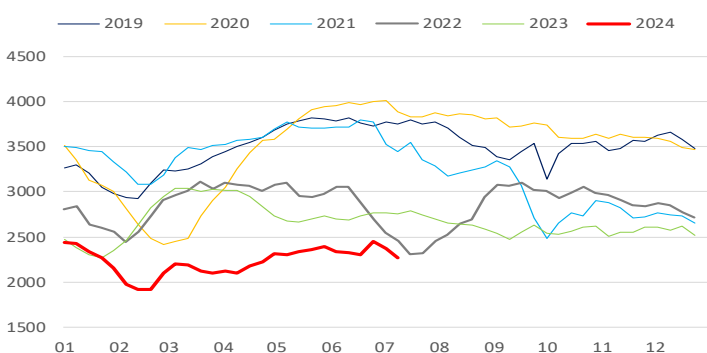
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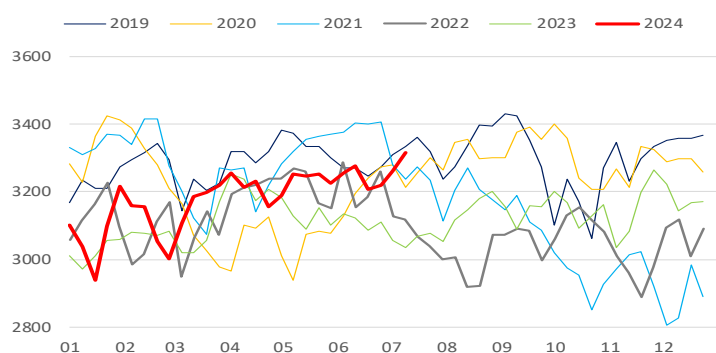
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CHINESE STEEL PRODUCTION—Rebar



CHINESE STEEL PRODUCTION—Hot-rolled Coil





## IRON ORE INDEX SPECIFICATIONS, COMPILATION RATIONALE AND DATA EXCLUSIONS

| Iron Ore Index Specifications (Port and Seaborne) |   |                     |  |                      | Iron Ore Index Compilation Rationale and Data Exclusions   |
|---|---|---------------------|--|----------------------|--|
|   | <b>65% Fe Fines</b>   | <b>62% Fe Fines</b> | <b>58% Fe Fines</b>                                    | <b>62.5% Fe Lump</b> | MMi iron ore indices are compiled from data provided by companies that are part of the iron ore supply chain and involved in spot market transactions. The indices are calculated using detailed transaction-level data submitted to MMi by these companies. This data is normalised to the appropriate specifications and screened to remove outliers before volume-weighted average prices are calculated from the remaining core set of data.<br><br>For more details on MMi's iron ore methodology please download the guide published on our website at: <a href="http://www.mmiprices.com">www.mmiprices.com</a> |
| Fe %  | 65.00   | 62.00               | 58.00  | 62.50                |  |
| Alumina %   | 1.40  | 2.25                | 2.25   | 1.50                 |  |
| Silica%   | 1.50  | 4.00                | 5.50   | 3.50                 |  |
| Phosphorus %                                      | 0.06  | 0.09                | 0.05   | 0.08                 |  |
| Sulphur %   | 0.01  | 0.02                | 0.02   | 0.02                 |  |
| Moisture %  | 8.00  | 8.00                | 9.00   | 4.00                 |  |
| Sizing  | Granular size below 10mm for at least 90% of cargo; maximum of 40% below 150 micron |                     | Size below 6.3mm max 15%<br>Size above 31.15mm max 25% |                      |  |
| Pricing Point                                     | Qingdao Port (FOT and CFR respectively)   |                     | FOT Qingdao Port                                       |                      |  |
| Timing (Seaborne)                                 | Loading within 4 weeks, Delivery within 8 weeks                                     |                     | Delivery within 2 weeks                                |                      |  |
| Payment Terms                                     | L/C at sight  |                     | L/C at sight or CAD                                    |                      |  |

| Data Exclusions* |     |     |     |
|------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Port Index       | 62% | 58% | 65% |
| Seaborne index   | 0   | 0   | 0   |
| Lump Index 62.5  | 0   |     |     |

\* Number of price submissions for iron ore indices that were excluded from index calculations today as they were anomalous and could not be verified

## IRON ORE DOMESTIC CONCENTRATE INDEX CALCULATION METHODOLOGY

The compilation method for price index generally refers to the compilation method of CPI price index and other price indices, breakdown the price data and calculate the average value according to a certain method, taking the vertical axis as the regional composite index (average of different grade index) and the horizontal axis as the grade composite index (average of different regional index), a total composite index for domestic ore can be output ultimately. The process system is also adopted in the calculation i.e. each sub-index can be obtained as well.

## AVERAGE IRON ORE SPECIFICATIONS APPLIED FOR BRAND PRICE ASSESSMENTS

| PORT STOCK BRANDS       |  |         |        |        |          | SEABORNE BRANDS                                  |        |         |        |        |          |
|-------------------------|--|---------|--------|--------|----------|--|--------|---------|--------|--------|----------|
| Jul 17th, 2024          | Specifications applied for 62% brand assessments |         |        |        |          | Specifications applied for 62% brand assessments |        |         |        |        |          |
|                         | Fe   | Alumina | Silica | Phos   | Moisture |  | Fe     | Alumina | Silica | Phos   | Moisture |
| Roy Hill                | 60.88%   | 2.35%   | 4.45%  | 0.055% | 9.26%    | Roy Hill   | 60.70% | 2.30%   | 4.90%  | 0.055% | 8.00%    |
| SIMEC Fines             | 60.00%   | 2.30%   | 6.30%  | 0.060% | 6.00%    | SIMEC Fines                                      | 60.00% | 2.30%   | 6.30%  | 0.060% | 6.00%    |
| PB Fines                | 61.64%   | 2.31%   | 3.87%  | 0.099% | 9.45%    | PB Fines 62%                                     | 62.00% | 2.60%   | 4.30%  | 0.090% | 9.50%    |
| Newman Fines            | 62.49%   | 2.31%   | 3.98%  | 0.090% | 7.72%    | Newman Fines                                     | 62.30% | 2.40%   | 4.30%  | 0.095% | 8.00%    |
| MAC Fines               | 60.43%   | 2.38%   | 4.64%  | 0.078% | 7.57%    | MAC Fines  | 60.80% | 2.35%   | 4.40%  | 0.075% | 7.80%    |
| Jimblebar Blended Fines | 60.87%   | 2.95%   | 4.53%  | 0.111% | 7.32%    | Jimblebar Blended Fines                          | 60.50% | 3.10%   | 4.80%  | 0.120% | 7.80%    |
| Carajas Fines           | 64.90%   | 1.39%   | 1.82%  | 0.080% | 7.78%    | Carajas Fines                                    | 65.10% | 1.50%   | 1.70%  | 0.080% | 8.50%    |
| Brazilian SSF           | 62.00%   | 1.00%   | 6.50%  | 0.040% | 6.00%    | Brazilian SSF                                    | 62.00% | 1.00%   | 6.50%  | 0.040% | 6.00%    |
| Brazilian Blend Fines   | 62.56%   | 1.58%   | 4.79%  | 0.091% | 8.72%    | Brazilian Blend Fines                            | 63.00% | 1.50%   | 5.00%  | 0.070% | 7.00%    |
| RTX Fines               | 61.00%   | 3.10%   | 4.50%  | 0.135% | 7.50%    | RTX Fines  | 61.00% | 3.10%   | 4.50%  | 0.135% | 7.50%    |
| West Pilbara Fines      | 60.10%   | 2.30%   | 4.70%  | 0.075% | 8.50%    | West Pilbara Fines                               | 60.10% | 2.30%   | 4.70%  | 0.075% | 8.50%    |
| Jul 17th, 2024          | Specifications applied for 58% brand assessments |         |        |        |          |  |        |         |        |        |          |
|                         | Fe   | Alumina | Silica | Phos   | Moisture |  |        |         |        |        |          |
| SSF                     | 56.49%   | 3.20%   | 6.19%  | 0.065% | 9.18%    |  |        |         |        |        |          |
| FMG Blended Fines       | 58.20%   | 2.43%   | 5.54%  | 0.057% | 8.29%    |  |        |         |        |        |          |
| Robe River              | 56.44%   | 3.16%   | 5.73%  | 0.042% | 8.44%    |  |        |         |        |        |          |
| Western Fines           | 57.88%   | 2.87%   | 7.50%  | 0.062% | 7.45%    |  |        |         |        |        |          |
| Atlas Fines             | 58.00%   | 1.85%   | 5.50%  | 0.090% | 9.00%    |  |        |         |        |        |          |
| Yandi                   | 56.87%   | 1.58%   | 6.41%  | 0.042% | 9.53%    |  |        |         |        |        |          |

## BLOOMBERG TICKERS

| PORT STOCK INDICES |                             |  |  | SEABORNE INDICES |                       |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|------------------|-----------------------|
|                    | FOT Qingdao (RMB/wet tonne) |  | CFR Qingdao Equivalent (USD/dry tonne) |                  | CFR Qingdao (USD/DMT) |
| IOPI62             | IRCNQ001                    |  | IRCNQ004                               |                  | IRCN0034              |
| IOPI58             | IRCNQ002                    |  | IRCNQ005                               |                  | IRCN0035              |
| IOPI65             | IRCNQ003                    |  | IRCNQ006                               |                  |                       |
| IOPLI62            | IRCN0036                    |  | IRCN0037                               |                  |                       |

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