



**FT MERCATI**



## **Commodities: data and insight from world markets in real time**

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**DATA FEED**

**ANALYSIS**

**CONSULTING**

# LME quotations and both Italian and international sources for more than 1.800 commodities, semi-finished products and currencies.

- LME – London Metal Exchange
- CME Group
- MCX – Multi Commodity Exchange of India
- SHFE – Shanghai Futures Exchange
- IDEX – Italian Stock Exchange

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- CUSTOMS DATA

## CONSULTING

### HEDGING

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FT Mercati can provide **hedging advice and assistance to companies that need to buy or sell non-ferrous metals, semi-finished and finished products**. Large changes in prices can affect the value of inventories or the purchase of new raw materials. With proper operations in the financial markets, it is possible to contain or reset these risks by opening Long and Short positions to protect against fluctuating prices.

### TRADING

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We offer **trading advice and assistance to companies** operating with of non-ferrous metals. We **provide guidance for fixing based on price trends**, starting from the information provided by the company about timing and methods of metal procurement.

### TRAINING

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We develop and organize training classes **at our HQs or directly at our customer's**. Courses are held by highly qualified staff and can be customized in both content and duration. Topics include: the workings of the London Metal Exchange, introduction to hedging, technical analysis applied to the world of non-ferrous metals. Moreover, how to make the most of Excel and FT Mercati data for different business needs, from price list to stock.

## OUR PLATFORMS

The platforms to easily access our data.



### WEBSITE

A platform available **for all browsers** to consult historical and real-time data from your own computer.



### APP

To be **up to date anytime, anywhere**. Features all the data you subscribe to with real-time updates and all historical data presented in intuitive and comprehensive charts. Available for iOS and Android.



### EXCEL

The unique plug in for Excel that allows you to **download all your subscription data** within Excel and build business dashboards to monitor trends for commodities and key business inputs and outputs.



### API

The API allows **direct connection to FT Mercati servers** through a simple interface protocol based on modern IT standards. This makes it possible to send historical data directly to the corporate information system.

## SCRAP QUOTATION SERVICE

FT Mercati's scrap quotation service is recognized as the national standard in Italy in all major tenders from public agencies to private companies.

The quotations for the main categories of ferrous, non-ferrous and stainless scrap displayed in the FT Mercati's service are based on the **weekly survey of prices traded by the main Italian scrap dealers**. Each contributor provides the price range at which they were willing to purchase goods delivered to their warehouse.

**Data is processed and statistically screened** to determine the minimum and maximum values for each week of the survey.

## ALLOYS QUOTATION SERVICE

FT Mercati's ALLOYS service values the components of each alloy and calculates the PMV - Primary Metallurgical Value. This is the starting point for determining the cost of each alloy, both for scrap and semi-finished / finished products.

**The PMV trend moves the entire value chain.**

## About us

FT Mercati is specialized in providing **data, analysis, consulting and training for major industrial commodities**. It was born out of its founders' 30 plus years of experience in the world of financial markets, trading and Stock Exchange technology.

It has grown year after year since 2010, carving out a **prominent place for itself in the Italian commodities scene**. Today FT Mercati counts more than a thousand clients and serves major Italian and foreign companies by **providing information on a daily basis in the purchasing of raw material, the warehouse management and the determination of sales prices for orders or price lists**.

At the forefront of technology's information systems, FT Mercati offers its customers multiple platforms to receive all the information they need anytime and anywhere, in the most effective way possible.

## News and Events

FT Mercati periodically organizes events for the in-depth analysis of market trends and forecasts on expected scenarios for the main commodities. Webinars, Outlooks and a newsletter section focused on commodities offer a full range of tools to keep our clients up to date. **Our reports and webinars are available in the 'Academy' section of the website.**

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