



# London Iron Ore Market Report

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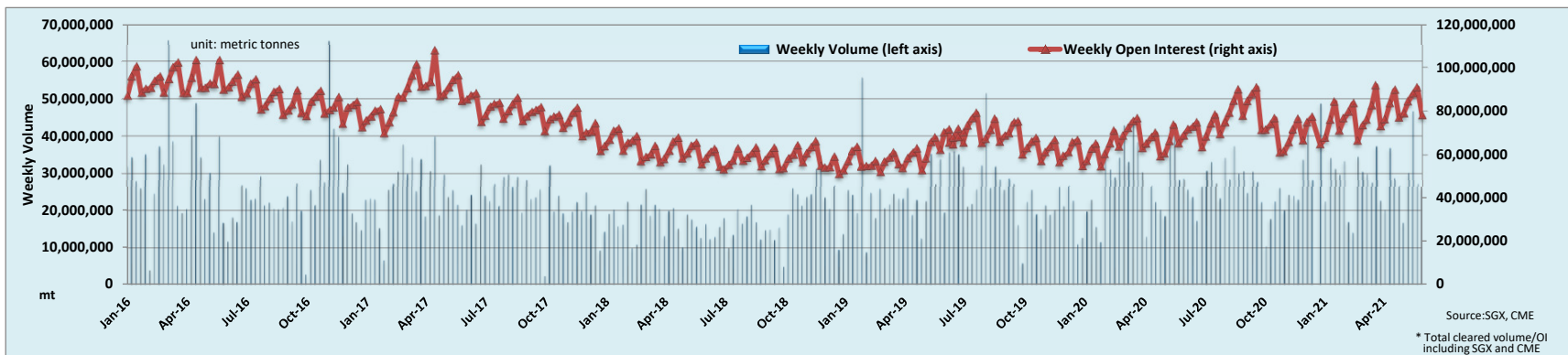
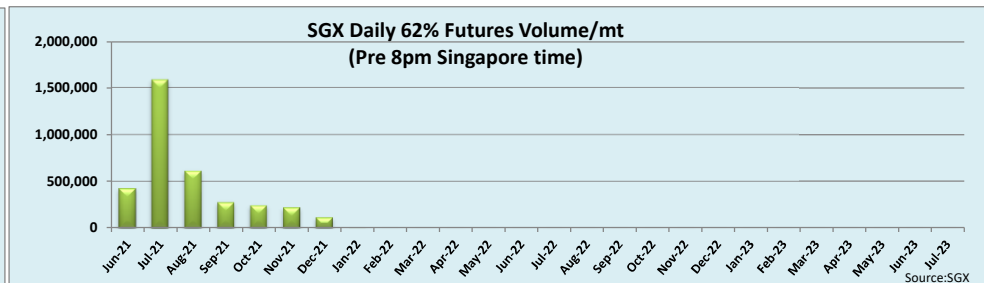
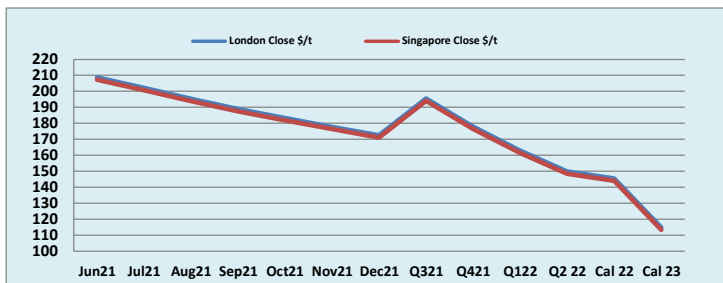
Iron ore futures surged above \$200 on Tuesday as investors assessed the supply and demand outlook for the steelmaking ingredient. Investors are examining the supply chain and the sustainability of steel consumption in China as the nation seeks to balance its goals of cutting emission and clamping down on surging commodity prices. During a video conference, the National Mine Safety Administration said it will step up its inspection efforts to ensure the safety of mines and prevent any major accidents ahead of the important Chinese Communist Party's 100th year anniversary in July. Domestic supply is expected to be tight during the inspection period. Furthermore, Vale's closure of two of its mines on Friday also provided a lift to the iron ore prices. According to the latest update, the closures will affect 40,000 tonnes of daily output. Looking ahead, concerns remain over the sustainability of Chinese demand. "There's still expectation for output restrictions in the medium-to-long term. Once the policy is implemented, it's highly likely there will be a surplus of iron ore. Huatai Futures Co. wrote in a note. Meanwhile, on the supply side, shipment data increased significantly last week.

INDEX	Change	MTD	
Platts IO 62%	\$210.40	\$7.55	\$208.56

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MB IO 65%	\$239.80	\$6.70	\$238.67

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Platts Lump Prem	\$0.5600	\$0.0000	\$0.5533

Iron Ore 62% Futures	Jun 21	Jul 21	Aug 21	Sep 21	Oct 21	Nov 21	Dec 21	Q3 21	Q4 21	Q1 22	Q2 22	Cal 22	Cal 23
London Close \$/t	208.70	202.00	195.30	188.85	183.20	177.75	172.55	195.40	177.85	162.85	149.85	145.45	114.90
Singapore Close \$/t	207.40	200.60	193.90	187.50	181.90	176.45	171.15	194.00	176.50	161.35	148.35	144.00	113.55
Change	+0.63%	+0.70%	+0.72%	+0.72%	+0.71%	+0.74%	+0.82%	+0.72%	+0.76%	+0.93%	+1.01%	+1.01%	+1.19%



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