



# Iron Ore Market Daily Report

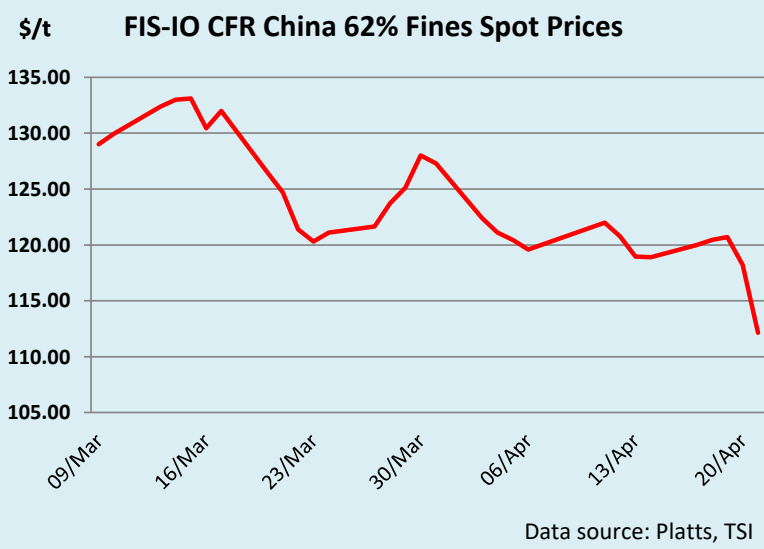
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## Market Commentary / Recent Trades

Iron ore futures slumped below \$110 amid tepid steel demand and overall negative sentiment. Steel production margins fell into negative territory which gave little incentives for mills to boost their output, as a result operation rate retreated this week after 14 weeks of increases. According to a Mysteel survey of over 247 Chinese steel mills, the average blast furnace operation rate edged down 0.15% w-o-w to 84.59% during 14-20 Apr, and capacity utilization rates down 0.3% w-o-w to 91.5% which was still reasonable high, due to a few mills in the North and East region have gone into maintenance. Meanwhile, iron ore inventories at 45 major ports also ended its weeks of decline and rebounded to 130.3 million tonnes, up 1% or 1.2 million tonnes. Elsewhere, China's Central Bank signalled they will gradually row back some economic stimulus tools that were implemented during the pandemic period, since Q1 has showed strong recovery. Over the Asian day session, May fell straight from \$112 to \$108; Jun down nearly \$4 from last night to sub \$106, May/Jul traded at \$2.3 in 20-25kt and some small sizes on the far back with Q4/Q1 at \$3.2 and Cal24/25 at \$9.



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## Iron ore futures curve and closing prices

### 21-Apr FIS Indicative Singapore End of Day Curve

	Bid	Offer	Close	Ch. 24hrs	Ch. 1 week	Ch. 4 weeks	MTD
Apr 23	\$117.50	\$117.60	\$117.55	-\$1.95	-\$2.40	-\$0.65	\$119.97
May 23	\$108.10	\$108.20	\$108.15	-\$7.15	-\$8.80	-\$8.65	\$117.00
Jun 23	\$105.80	\$105.90	\$105.85	-\$6.90	-\$9.05	-\$9.70	\$115.16
Jul 23	\$104.00	\$104.10	\$104.05	-\$6.65	-\$9.05	-\$10.35	\$113.57
Aug 23	\$102.40	\$102.50	\$102.45	-\$6.25	-\$8.95	-\$10.75	\$112.05
Sep 23	\$100.90	\$101.00	\$100.95	-\$5.85	-\$8.85	-\$11.15	\$110.61
Oct 23	\$99.55	\$99.65	\$99.60	-\$5.55	-\$8.80	-\$11.61	\$109.32
Q2 23	\$110.45	\$110.55	\$110.50	-\$5.35	-\$6.75	-\$6.35	\$117.38
Q3 23	\$102.45	\$102.55	\$102.50	-\$6.25	-\$8.95	-\$10.75	\$112.08
Q4 23	\$98.40	\$98.50	\$98.45	-\$5.30	-\$8.75	-\$11.50	\$108.15
Q1 24	\$95.25	\$95.35	\$95.30	-\$4.80	-\$8.50	-\$11.70	\$105.00
Q2 24	\$92.35	\$92.45	\$92.40	-\$4.40	-\$8.30	-\$11.90	\$102.07
Cal 24	\$91.20	\$91.30	\$91.25	-\$4.30	-\$9.10	-\$12.00	\$100.84
Cal 25	\$82.80	\$82.90	\$82.85	-\$3.45	-\$8.75	-\$12.55	\$92.25

**Please note:** Iron Ore non-origin CFR China (62% FE Fines) Swap and Index Futures settled on monthly average of The Steel Index (TSI) reference price. Contract is cleared SGX Swaps(1 lot = 500 metric tons), SGX Futures(1 lot = 100 metric tons) and CME Futures(1 lot = 500 metric tons). Cash settlement - no physical delivery.



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### FIS Indicative FOB Iron Ore Prices

### Iron Ore Stockpiles

### Steel and Coal Prices

Origin	USD/ton	Chg	Weekly Info	Thousand tons	Chg	Product	USD/ton	Chg
India Fines (63.5/63%)	\$100.71	-\$6.05	Total	0	-390	SHFE Rb May 23	\$559.27	-\$7.43
AUS FOB Impl.	\$103.00	-\$6.69	Rizhao	17,200	-200	DCE Coke May 23	\$332.54	-\$6.04
Brazil FOB Impl.	\$88.28	-\$6.39	Qingdao	24,800	150	Nymex HRC Apr 23	\$1,176.00	\$0.00

Source: Bloomberg

**Please note:** Australia and Brazil FOB prices are IMPLIED using a formula subtracting dry freight (C3 for Brazil and C5 for Australia) from the C&F China Iron Ore spot price. India FOB prices is sourcing from Umetal. China stockpiles are estimated using Antaike data sources provided on Bloomberg. Steel Futures are respectively from DCE, SHFE and CME Exchanges.

### FIS Iron Ore Freight Matrix

Voyage	Size	Load Port	Disch. Port	Apr-23	May-23	Q2 23	Q3 23	Q4 23	Cal 24
Ex Australia	160kt	W Australia	Qingdao	\$8.10	\$8.78	\$8.73	\$9.50	\$8.60	\$8.60
Ex Brazil	160kt	Tubarao	Qingdao	\$21.50	\$23.50	\$22.92	\$23.50	\$18.38	\$18.38

**Please Note:** Australia and Brazil spot freight rates are estimated using Baltic daily assessment. Forward prices are calculated using an approximation from relevant FFA paper markets and are indicative tradable prices at FIS.

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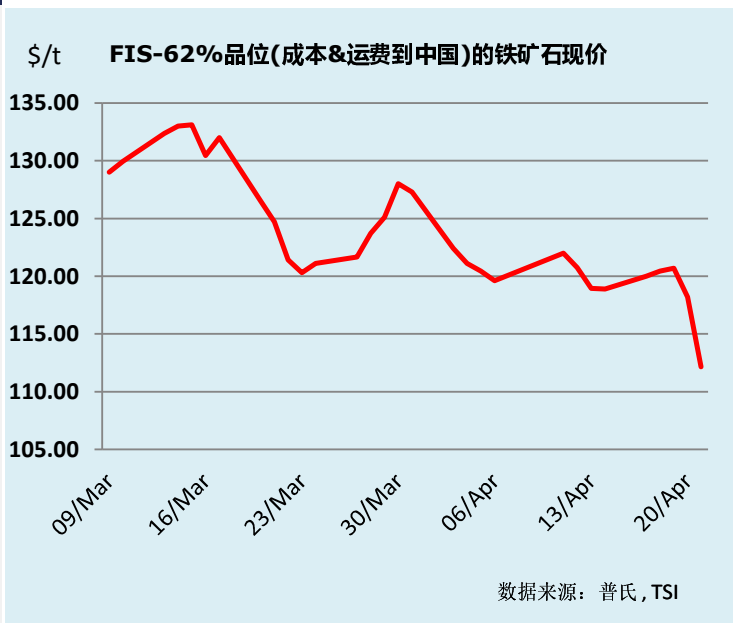
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## 市场评论 / 近期交易

由于钢铁需求不温不火和整体负面情绪，铁矿石期货跌破110美元。加上钢铁生产利润率跌至负值区域，抑制钢厂增加产量的动力，因此开工率在连续14周上涨后于本周回落。根据Mysteel对247家中国钢厂的调查显示，4月14—20日，由于北部和东部地区的一些工厂已经进入维修阶段，平均高炉开工率环比下降0.15%至84.59%，产能利用率环比下降0.3%至91.5%，但仍然处于合理的高位。与此同时45个主要港口的铁矿石库存也停止了数周的下降，反弹到1.303亿吨，周增长1%或120万吨。此外，中国央行表示会逐步取消在疫情期间实施的一些经济刺激政策，尤其是第一季度已经显示出强劲的复苏。在亚洲时段，5月从112美元直跌至108美元；6月较昨晚下跌近4美元至106美元下方，5月/6月价格有每手2万、2.5万吨交易在2.3美元，远期合约价差也有小量成交，Q4/Q1交易在3.2美元，Cal24/25交易在9美元。



## 掉期/期货远期曲线和收盘价格

21-Apr

市场价格FIS

收盘价格

时期	买入价	卖出价	收盘价	24小时涨幅	1周涨幅	4周涨幅	月累计收盘价
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注明: 铁矿石无原产地CFR中国(62%铁品位)掉期和期货根据TSI钢铁指数的月平均值结算。合约通过新加坡交易所铁矿掉期(1手=500公吨), 新加坡交易所铁矿期货(1手=100公吨)和CME交易所铁矿期货(1手=500公吨)进行结算。现金结算-无实货交割。

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## FIS铁矿石离岸价格

## 铁矿石港口库存

## 钢铁产品和煤的价格

原产地	美金/吨	涨幅	周数据	千吨	涨幅	产品	美金/吨	涨幅
印度矿粉 (63.5/63%)	\$100.71	-\$6.05	总计	0	-390	SHFE螺纹钢五月23	\$559.27	-\$7.43
澳洲离岸隐含价	\$103.00	-\$6.69	日照	17,200	-200	DCE 焦炭五月23	\$332.54	-\$6.04
巴西离岸隐含价	\$88.28	-\$6.39	青岛	24,800	150	芝商所热轧卷 四月23	\$1,176.00	\$0.00

注明: 澳大利亚和巴西离岸隐含价格是通过铁矿石掉期曲线中第二个月的成本加运费到中国的价格减去海运费率的价格(巴西C3和澳大利亚C5)而计算得出的。印度离岸价格是通过去除海运费率计算得出的。中国铁矿石存储量是根据不同工业消息来源而估计的。钢铁期货价格来自于相关交易所。

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航程	容量	装货港	卸货港	四月23	五月23	第二季度23	第三季度23	第四季度23	2024年
澳大利亚出发	150千吨	澳洲西部	青岛	\$8.10	\$8.78	\$8.73	\$9.50	\$8.60	\$8.60
巴西出发	150千吨	图巴郎	青岛	\$21.50	\$23.50	\$22.92	\$23.50	\$18.38	\$18.38

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