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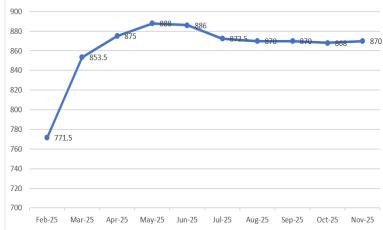
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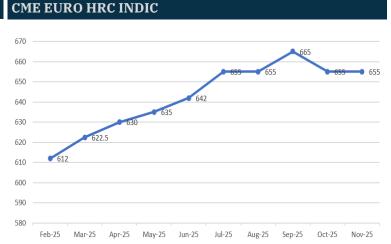
US HRC

The US HRC futures market continued its bullish trajectory today, reflecting continued bullish sentiment amid mounting tariff concerns and supply-side tightness. Feb25 traded \$773 in 4kt, Mar25 traded \$855 in 2kt, along with the April-June spread firming at -\$10 across 4.5kt. In the back end, Q425 traded 867 in 2ktpm, suggesting a ~\$12 increase from earlier in the week.

Domestic hot-rolled coil prices climbed again this week, with SMU's average HR price rising to \$760 per short ton, marking a \$35 increase from last week and a \$75 jump over the past three weeks. The rally continues to be fueled by mill price hikes, tightening supply, and persistent tariff uncertainty. Market sources report that scrap dealers are prioritizing domestic sales over exports, with US scrap pricing outpacing global levels. Meanwhile, Brazilian pig iron suppliers lowered offers in a bid to boost sales, as US buyers increasingly turn to alternative markets such as Ukraine and India. While order activity remains strong, some buyers fear they are chasing an overheated market. Mills are holding firm on higher offers, and lead times continue to stretch, reinforcing the need for buyers to secure material sooner rather than later. With tariff uncertainty still looming, raw material costs climbing, and import options shrinking, the pricing uptrend remains intact. However, some buyers view the rally as restocking-driven rather than demand-driven, raising questions about whether current price levels can be sustained beyond Q2.

CME US HRC INDIC





CME Settl	ements–	US HRC			
Period	CME Value	Prior	Diff	Open Int	Chg
Feb 25	768	767	+2	4474	0
Mar 25	857	854	+3	5428	-129
Apr 25	876	876	0	4279	+539
May 25	886	882	+4	4842	+330
June 25	884	882	+2	7084	+968
July 25	872	874	-2	2340	+15
Aug 25	867	875	-8	1218	0
Sep 25	867	875	-8	867	+10
Oct 25	867	856	+11	822	+50
Nov25	867	855	+12	731	+50
Dec25	867	855	+12	839	+62
Jan26	886	874	+12	58	0

CME Block Trades - US HRC

Jun25 US HRC @882 in 1kt

Apr25 v Jun25 US HRC @-10 in 1ktpm (875 v 885) Apr25 v Jun25 US HRC @-10 in 1.8ktpm (875 v 885) Apr25 v Jun25 US HRC @-10 in 500tpm (875 v 885) Apr25 v Jun25 US HRC @-10 in 500tpm (875 v 885) Apr25 v Jun25 US HRC @-10 in 700tpm (875 v 885) Q425 US HRC @867 in 1ktpm May25 US HRC @885 in 1kt Mar25 v Jul25 US HRC @-16 in 1ktpm (855 v 871) Mar25 US HRC @855 in 1kt 2H25 US HRC @867 in 500tpm Q425 US HRC @867 in 1ktpm Mar25 US HRC @855 in 1kt Feb25 US HRC @773 in 4kt

Indices	Price	Change
Platts TSI HMS 1/2 80:20 (\$/mt CFR)	359.5	0
Turkish Rebar (\$/mt FOB)	565	0
CRU HRC (\$/mt)	752	+24
Nucor CSP HRC (\$/mt)	790	+15
Cleveland Cliff HRC (\$/mt)	800	0
Argus FOB China HRC (\$/mt)	461	0
		Source: FIS, Nucor, Cliff

LME HRC FOB TIANJIN CHINA USD/mt			LME HMS 80:20 CFR TK				
Period	Bid	Ask	Value	Period	Bid	Ask	Value
Feb-25	456	466	461	Feb-25	356	362	359
Mar-25	458	468	463	Mar-25	362	368	365
Apr-25	466	476	471	Apr-25	365	371	368
May-25	476	486	481	May-25	368	374	371
Jun-25	476	486	481	Jun-25	368	374	371
Q2-25	473	483	478	Q2-25	367	373	370

LME REBAR FOB TK	ζ.			CME US BUSHELIN	G		
Period	Bid	Ask	Value	Period	Bid	Ask	Value
Feb-25	563	573	568	Feb-25	475	485	478
Mar-25	569	579	574	Mar-25	495	505	498
Apr-25	574	584	579	Apr-25	485	495	488
May-25	579	589	584	May-25	447	455	450
Jun-25	580	590	585	Jun-25	452	460	455
Q2-25	578	588	583	Q2-25	461	470	464

CME US HRC USD/short ton				CME NWE HRC EUR/metric ton			
Period	Bid	Ask	Value	Period	Bid	Ask	Value
Feb-25	765	775	772	Feb-25	605	615	612
Mar-25	850	860	854	Mar-25	620	630	623
Apr-25	870	880	875	Apr-25	625	635	630
May-25	885	895	888	May-25	630	640	635
Jun-25	880	890	886	Jun-25	635	645	642
Q2-25	880	890	883	Q2-25	630	640	636

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