

the **MONTHLY** prompt



In 2025 we're welcoming the Year of the Snake, the Chinese zodiac sign which represents intuition, wisdom and transformation. We wish our global community a prosperous and harmonious year ahead! 恭喜发财!

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LME Clear announces implementation of measures to bolster market resilience

LME Clear has published the results of a recent consultation on proposals to boost the resilience, transparency and fairness of its markets. LME Clear will implement rule changes over the coming months that increase the minimum net capital requirement for

members and introduce a default fund mutualisation limit and anti-procyclicality control.

[Find out more >](#) (opens PDF)



Hong Kong confirmed as new LME warehouse location

We are delighted that Hong Kong has been approved as an LME warehouse location, which will provide warehouse facilities closer to the metals hubs of Mainland China than ever before. We look forward to being able to announce Hong Kong's first LME warehouse listing.

[Find out more >](#)



BMO approved as new LME Category 2 Member

We recently welcomed BMO to the LME as a Category 2 Member, and they are now officially trading and clearing.

[More information >](#) (opens PDF)



The Dockside Chat: Episode 2

In case you missed it, you can now listen back to our latest webinar featuring updates from global steel scrap market experts. Our panel discussed recent developments in bulk steel scrap markets in Turkey and Egypt, EU and UK container flows and the potential impacts of US trade measures and tariffs.

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Monthly overview reports

Each month we publish our metals overview report for the previous month, featuring information on all LME base metal contracts with a snapshot of each metal including prices, volumes and warehouse stock movements. You can [register to view](#) all monthly overview reports on our website.

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Upcoming education courses

The LME runs in-person and virtual education courses throughout the year - for more information about upcoming courses and details of course content visit our [education calendar](#).

The LME Education team also offers a bespoke training option. Bespoke training is based on our introductory courses but can be fully customised and designed to fulfil your organisation's needs. Email us at education@lme.com for more information.

Upcoming events

The LME attends, speaks at, runs and sponsors many events across the globe. Find out more about where you can meet the LME team in our [events calendar](#).



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