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U.S. PRIMARY ALUMINUM PRODUCTION

Report for April 2017

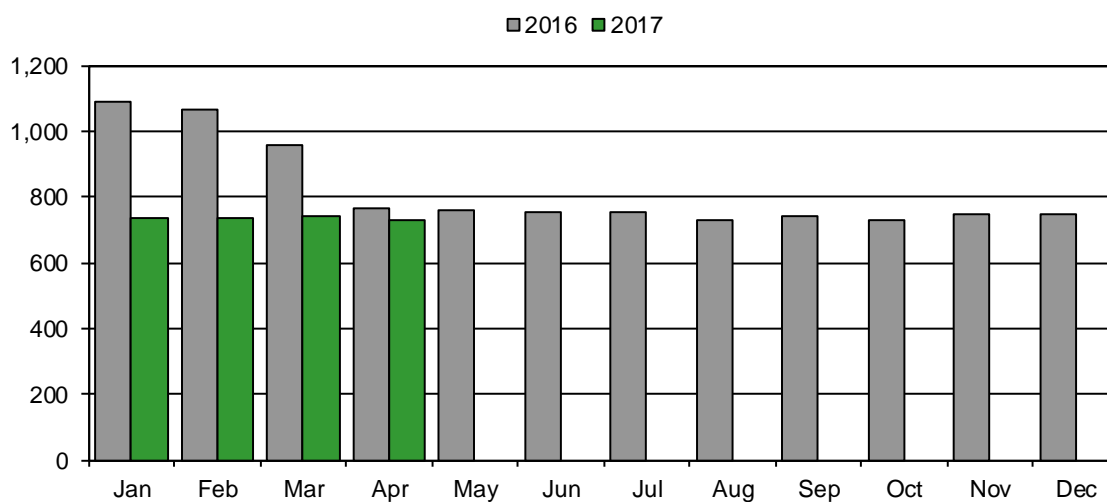
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Based on Aluminum Association surveys, the annual rate of U.S. primary aluminum production totaled 730,280 metric tons (tonnes) during April 2017, down 4.6 percent from the April 2016 annual rate of 765,611 tonnes. Compared to the previous month, the annual rate of production declined 1.3 percent from the March 2017 annual rate of 739,549 tonnes. Year-to-date production through April 2017 totaled 735,432 tonnes, off 24.0 percent from the 2016 year-to-date total of 967,864 tonnes. Actual production for the month of April 2017 totaled 60,023 tonnes.

Participating companies include Alcoa Inc. and Century Aluminum Co. These companies account for 100 percent of U.S. primary aluminum production during April 2017.

Primary Aluminum Production (Thousands of Metric Tons)	April		% Chng	Mar. 2017	% Chng	Year to Date		% Chng
	2017	2016	Apr/Apr		Apr/Mar	2017	2016	17/16
Annual Rate	730.3	765.6	-4.6	739.5	-1.3	735.4	967.9	-24.0

Annual Rate of U.S. Primary Aluminum Production



Thousands of Metric Tons

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(Metric Tons)

	<u>Production</u>		<u>Average Daily Production</u>		<u>Annual Rate of Production</u>	
	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
January	62,495	91,989	2,016	2,967	735,828	1,086,064
February	56,457	84,340	2,016	2,908	735,957	1,064,429
March	62,811	80,893	2,026	2,609	739,549	955,059
QTR Total	181,763	257,222	2,020	2,827	737,150	1,034,541
April	60,023	62,755	2,001	2,092	730,280	765,611
May		64,338		2,075		759,603
June		61,627		2,054		751,849
QTR Total		188,720		2,074		759,028
July		63,924		2,062		754,716
August		61,562		1,986		726,829
September		60,614		2,020		739,491
QTR Total		186,100		2,023		740,354
October		61,738		1,992		728,907
November		61,467		2,049		749,897
December		63,183		2,038		745,967
QTR Total		186,388		2,026		741,500
Current YTD	241,786	319,977	2,015	2,644	735,432	967,864
Total Year		818,430		2,236		818,430

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