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## U.S. PRIMARY ALUMINUM PRODUCTION

Report for August 2017

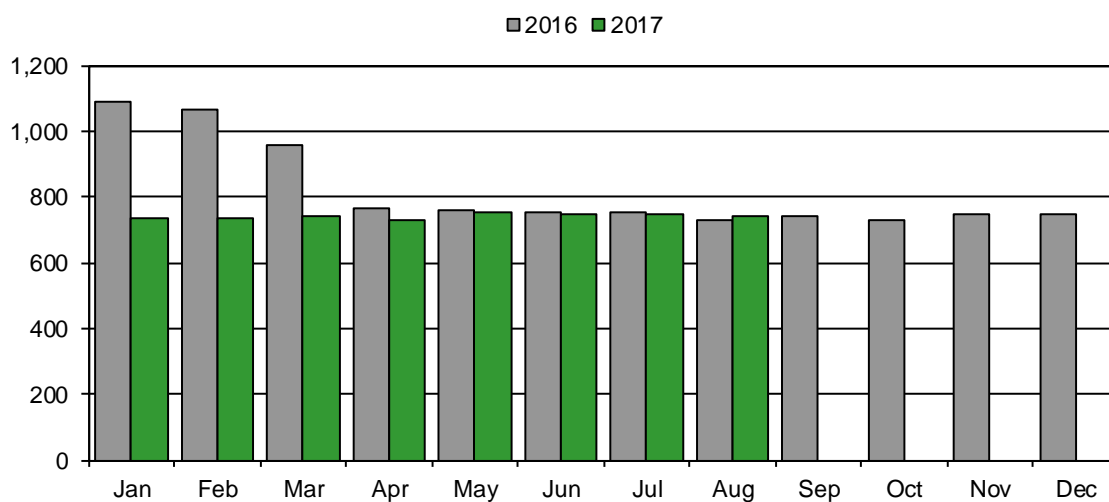
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Based on Aluminum Association surveys, the annual rate of U.S. primary aluminum production totaled 741,268 metric tons (tonnes) during August 2017, up 2.0 percent over the August 2016 annual rate of 726,829 tonnes. Compared to the previous month, the annual rate of production was off seven-tenths of one percent from the July 2017 annual rate of 746,190 tonnes. The year-to-date production rate through August 2017 totaled 740,912 tonnes, a decrease of 13.6 percent from the 2016 year-to-date rate of 857,142 tonnes. Actual production for the month of August 2017 totaled 62,957 tonnes.

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

Primary Aluminum Production (Thousands of Metric Tons)	August		% Chng	July 2017	% Chng	Year to Date		% Chng
	2017	2016	Aug/Aug		Aug/Jul	2017	2016	17/16
Annual Rate	741.3	726.8	2.0	746.2	-0.7	740.9	857.1	-13.6

### 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	<u>181,763</u>	<u>257,222</u>	<u>2,020</u>	<u>2,827</u>	<u>737,150</u>	<u>1,034,541</u>
April	60,022	62,755	2,001	2,092	730,268	765,611
May	63,825	64,338	2,059	2,075	751,488	759,603
June	61,323	61,627	2,044	2,054	746,097	751,849
QTR Total	<u>185,170</u>	<u>188,720</u>	<u>2,035</u>	<u>2,074</u>	<u>742,715</u>	<u>759,028</u>
July	63,375	63,924	2,044	2,062	746,190	754,716
August	62,957	61,562	2,031	1,986	741,268	726,829
September		60,614		2,020		739,491
QTR Total		<u>186,100</u>		<u>2,023</u>		<u>740,354</u>
October		61,738		1,992		728,907
November		61,467		2,049		749,897
December		63,183		2,038		745,967
QTR Total		<u>186,388</u>		<u>2,026</u>		<u>741,500</u>
Current YTD	<u>493,265</u>	<u>571,428</u>	<u>2,030</u>	<u>2,342</u>	<u>740,912</u>	<u>857,142</u>
Total Year		<u>818,430</u>		<u>2,236</u>		<u>818,430</u>

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