

Changes to Argus Crude data and report effective 2nd June 2008

Effective 2nd June 2008, Argus will publish Oman crude oil futures data from the Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME). Daily highs, lows, and settlement prices will be published for the front four months traded on the exchange, as well as an estimated total daily volume of trade.

Correction, the data codes in red below will not begin on 2 June 08, the description above is correct but there are no open prices being introduced. Please disregard these series.

The codes are as follows:

PA codes (CSV format):

G-code	PA-code	Time stamp	Price type	Continuous forward	Description	Start date	End date
GC5206A0M	PA0005206	8	29	0	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman volume	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A1L	PA0005207	8	1	1	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A1H	PA0005207	8	2	1	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A1S	PA0005207	8	5	1	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A1O	PA0005207	8	10	1	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008
GC5207A2L	PA0005207	8	1	2	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A2H	PA0005207	8	2	2	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A2S	PA0005207	8	5	2	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A2O	PA0005207	8	10	2	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008
GC5207A3L	PA0005207	8	1	3	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A3H	PA0005207	8	2	3	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A3S	PA0005207	8	5	3	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A3O	PA0005207	8	10	3	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008
GC5207A4L	PA0005207	8	1	4	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A4H	PA0005207	8	2	4	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A4S	PA0005207	8	5	4	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A4O	PA0005207	8	10	4	Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME) Oman Futures	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008

Legacy (G-code) format:

G-code	Time stamp	Description	Price type	Start date	End date
GC5206A0M	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN VOLUME	Volume	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A1O	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 1	Open	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008
GC5207A1S	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 1	Settle	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A1H	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 1	High	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A1L	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 1	Low	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A2O	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 2	Open	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008
GC5207A2S	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 2	Settle	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A2H	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 2	High	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A2L	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 2	Low	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A3O	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 3	Open	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008
GC5207A3S	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 3	Settle	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A3H	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 3	High	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A3L	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 3	Low	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A4O	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 4	Open	02-Jun-2008	02-Jun-2008
GC5207A4S	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 4	Settle	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A4H	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 4	High	02-Jun-2008	
GC5207A4L	16.30HRS	ARGUS, DUBAI MERCANTILE EXCHANGE (DME) OMAN FUTURES, MONTH 4	Low	02-Jun-2008	

Argus is also introducing Japanese Crude Cocktail Official price to the Argus Crude report and data feed effective 2nd June 2008.

PA codes (CSV format):

PA-code	Description	Time stamp	Price type	Continuous forward	Differential basis	Start date	End date
PA0005169	Japanese Crude Cocktail Official price	0	8	0	-	01/01/2000	

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