Changes to Argus Metal Prices effective 23 March 2018

Argus is updating description, unit and differential basis for copper scrap assessments in the Argus Metal Prices data module. This data appears in the DAMPrices module in the DAMPrices folder on ftp.argusmedia.com will be 12 February 2018.

PA code descriptions are being updated to reflect the change in units described below:

PA-code	Old description	New description
PA0018839	Copper scrap #2 del Europe cash spread	Copper scrap #2 del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official
PA0018843	Copper scrap #1 wire and tube del Europe cash spread	Copper scrap #1 wire and tube del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official
PA0018844	Copper scrap bare bright del Europe cash spread	Copper scrap bare bright del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official

Units on the following codes were incorrectly configured as USD/t. The correct units as are follows:

PA-code	Description	Old unit	New unit
PA0018839	Copper scrap #2 del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official	USD/t	No Unit
PA0018843	Copper scrap #1 wire and tube del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official	USD/t	No Unit
PA0018844	Copper scrap bare bright del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official	USD/t	No Unit
PA0022946	Copper scrap #2 del Europe transaction	USD/t	USD/lb

The differential basis is being updated to reflect the changes above:

PA-code	Description	Old differential basis	New differential basis
PA0018839	Copper scrap #2 del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official	LME Official cash	-
PA0018843	Copper scrap #1 wire and tube del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official	LME Official cash	-
PA0018844	Copper scrap bare bright del Europe cash spread percentage of LME Official	LME Official cash	-

