

**INFORME TRIMESTRAL DE PRECIOS DE REFERENCIA DE SUSTANCIAS MINERAS
CON PRECIOS PUBLICADOS PERIÓDICAMENTE (LEY N° 20.026 D.O. 16.06.2005)**

METALES					
PRODUCTO (Código Aduanero)		Precios Mensuales Cuarto Trimestre 2006			
Cotización	Publicación Internacional	Unidad	OCTUBRE	NOVIEMBRE	DICIEMBRE
Cobre (7403.1100)					
LME A Grade Cathode , Settlement	LME	US\$/Ton	7,500.386	7,029.182	6,675.105
High Grade, First position	COMEX	¢US\$/lb	339.400	316.560	301.413
Plomo (7801.1000)					
SHG, Settlement	LME	US\$/Ton	1,531.136	1,624.523	1,725.500
Zinc (7901.1000)					
SHG, Settlement	LME	US\$/Ton	3,822.955	4,382.227	4,405.395
Molibdeno (2825.7010)					
Dealers: Oxide (Min)	Platts Metals Week	US\$/lb	25.463	25.300	24.575
Dealers: Oxide (Mean)	Platts Metals Week	US\$/lb	25.600	25.540	24.775
Oro (7108.0000)					
London Gold Fix Initial	Platts Metals Week	US\$/oz troy	586.648	626.825	629.513
London Gold Fix Final	Platts Metals Week	US\$/oz troy	585.780	627.827	629.791
Handy & Harman NY	Platts Metals Week	US\$/oz troy	585.780	627.123	629.383
First position	COMEX	US\$/oz troy	585.814	627.545	628.045
Plata (7106.0000)					
London Silver Fix Final	Platts Metals Week	US\$/oz troy	11.55864	12.93114	13.36053
Handy & Harman NY	Platts Metals Week	US\$/oz troy	11.61545	12.98450	13.29825
First position	COMEX	US\$/oz troy	11.58700	12.96440	13.22500
Platino (7110.1000)					
London PM Fix	Platts Metals Week	US\$/oz troy	1,082.455	1,183.023	1,121.471
Paladio (7110.2000)					
London PM Fix	Platts Metals Week	US\$/oz troy	312.886	324.568	326.059
Selenio (2804.9000)					
New York Dealer	Platts Metals Week	US\$/lb	24.250	23.800	23.250
FreeMaket min 99.5% Warehouse (Low-High Av.)	Metal Bulletin	US\$/lb	24.625	24.556	23.700

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Yodo (2801.2000)					
Cristal 99,5% Pureza min	Industrial Minerals	US\$/Kg	24,0 - 25,5	25,0 - 26,5	25,0 - 26,5
Cristal 99,5% Pureza min	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/Kg	25,0 - 26,5	25,0 - 26,5	25,0 - 26,5
Cristal 99,5% Pureza min	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Kg	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Sulfato de Sodio (2833.1000)					
Gulf bulk, c.l., works, frt, equald	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
East bulk, c.l., works, frt, equald	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.

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Cloruro de Potasio (3104.2000)					
Chemical grade 99.95% KCl, bulk, c.l. Fob works	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Standard bulk Fob Saskatchewan	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	139	139	139
Standard bulk Fob Saskatchewan	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	139	139	139
Coarse bulk Fob Saskatchewan	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	143	143	143
Coarse bulk Fob Saskatchewan	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	143	143	143
Granular bulk Fob Saskatchewan	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	146	146	146
Granular bulk Fob Saskatchewan	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	146	146	146
Sulfato de Potasio (3104.3000)					
Agri. Min 50% K ₂ O std, bulk, c.l. Fob works	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Ácido Bórico (2810.0000)					
Granular technical 25 lb bgs del UK	Industrial Minerals	£/Ton	350 - 400	350 - 400	350 - 400
Granular technical 25 lb bgs del UK	Mineral Price Watch	£/Ton	350 - 400	350 - 400	350 - 400
Anhyd. Tech., gran, bgs, c.l. Fob	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Granular 50 lb bgs. t.l. Fob works	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Granular technical bulk Fob California	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/Ton	900 - 925	900 - 925	900 - 925
Ulexita (2528.0000)					
40% B ₂ O ₃ Fob Lima	Industrial Minerals	US\$/Ton	250 - 300	250 - 300	250 - 300
40% B ₂ O ₃ Fob Lima	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/Ton	250 - 300	250 - 300	250 - 300
Cloruro de Sodio (2501.0000)					
Australian solar salt, bulk Fob	Industrial Minerals	US\$/Ton	15 - 18	15 - 18	15 - 18
Australian solar salt, bulk Fob	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/Ton	15 - 18	15 - 18	20
Ground rocksalt, 15 - 20 ton lots del UK	Industrial Minerals	£/Ton	20- 30	20- 30	20- 30
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Carbonato de calcio (2509.0000 / 2521.000 / 2836.5000)					
Ground chalk, uncoated ex works UK	Industrial Minerals	£/ton	30 - 52	30 - 52	30 - 52
Ground chalk, uncoated ex works UK	Mineral Price Watch	£/ton	30 - 52	30 - 52	30 - 52
Ground,dry, coarse (9 µ - 17 µ) bulk, t.l.	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Ground,dry, medium (4 µ - 9 µ) bgs, t.l.	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Ground (5 µ - 7 µ) Fob USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/Ton	110 - 160	110 - 160	110 - 160
Ground (5 µ - 7 µ) Fob USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/Ton	110 - 160	110 - 160	110 - 160
Ground chalk, coated. fine grade, ex works UK	Industrial Minerals	£/ton	80 - 103	80 - 103	80 - 103
Ground chalk, coated. fine grade, ex works UK	Mineral Price Watch	£/ton	80 - 103	80 - 103	80 - 103
Ground (0,5 µ - 2 µ) Fob USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/Ton	140 - 290	140 - 290	140 - 290
Ground (0,5 µ - 2 µ) Fob USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/Ton	140 - 290	140 - 290	140 - 290
High brightness (1,5 µ) for paper Fob USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/Ton	170 - 180	170 - 180	170 - 180
High brightness (1,5 µ) for paper Fob USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/Ton	170 - 180	170 - 180	170 - 180
Ground,dry, fine (0,5 µ) bgs, t.l. Fob works	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Caolín (2507.0000)					
NF powder colloidal 20 lb ctns	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Sanitaryware bgs ex plant Georgia USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	65 - 75	65 - 75	65 - 75
Sanitaryware bgs ex plant Georgia USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	65 - 75	65 - 75	65 - 75
Filler bulk ex plant Georgia USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	80 - 100	80 - 100	80 - 100
Filler bulk ex plant Georgia USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	80 - 100	80 - 100	80 - 100
Paper coating grade ex plant Georgia USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	85 - 185	85 - 185	85 - 185
Paper coating grade ex plant Georgia USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	85 - 185	85 - 185	85 - 185
Ceramic grade refined bulk, ex works France	Industrial Minerals	€/ton	65 - 168	65 - 168	65 - 168
Ceramic grade refined bulk, ex works France	Mineral Price Watch	€/ton	65 - 168	65 - 168	65 - 168
Ceramic grade refined bulk, Fob Rotterdam	Industrial Minerals	£/ton	60 - 100	60 - 100	60 - 100
Ceramic grade refined bulk, Fob Rotterdam	Mineral Price Watch	£/ton	60 - 100	60 - 100	60 - 100
Tableware bgs ex plant Georgia USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	125	125	125
Tableware bgs ex plant Georgia USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	125	125	125
Hydrous, paper grade bgs t.l.	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Calcined, paper grade bgs t.l.	Chemical Market Reporter	US\$/Ton	n. d.	n. d.	n. d.
Calcined bulk ex plant Georgia USA	Industrial Minerals	US\$/ston	320 - 375	320 - 375	320 - 375
Calcined bulk ex plant Georgia USA	Mineral Price Watch	US\$/ston	320 - 375	320 - 375	320 - 375
Diatomita (2512.0000 / 3802.9010)					
US calcined filter-aids del UK	Industrial Minerals	£/ton	370 - 410	370 - 410	370 - 410
US calcined filter-aids del UK	Mineral Price Watch	£/ton	370 - 410	370 - 410	370 - 410
US flux-calcined filter-aids del UK	Industrial Minerals	£/ton	380 - 420	380 - 420	380 - 420
US flux-calcined filter-aids del UK	Mineral Price Watch	£/ton	380 - 420	380 - 420	380 - 420

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