LME Sustainability Afternoon

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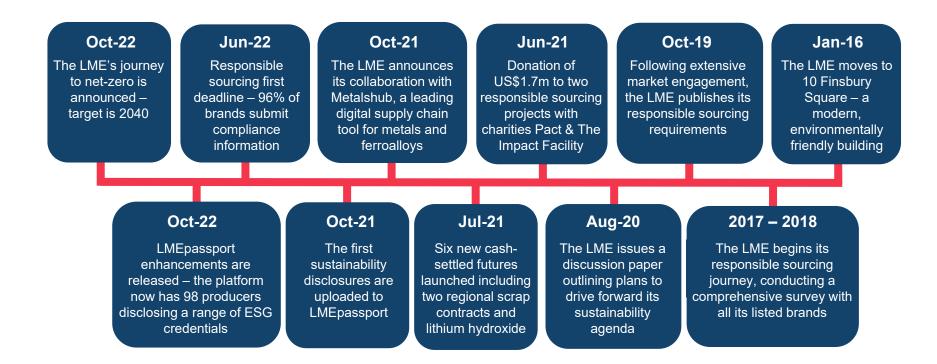
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Introduction

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The LME's sustainability journey



Overview of LME sustainability

	TRANSPARENCY								
Electric vehicles	Electric vehicle and battery materials Access to pricing and trading of core components of EV batteries via physically settled futures – LME Cobalt, LME Copper, LME Nickel – and cash-settled futures for cobalt and lithium hydroxide								
Circular economy	Recycled and scrap metal contracts Contracts available on the LME for the reliable pricing and trading of recycled and scrap metal, including aluminium, aluminium UBC (used beverage can) scrap, alloys, lead and steel scrap (India and Taiwan)								
Sustainable production	LME responsible sourcing rules Embedding of OECD Guidance on responsible supply chains across all LME-listed brands, as well as ISO 14001 (environmental management systems) and ISO 45001 (health and safety management systems). To date, 96% of LME-listed brands have submitted compliance information to meet the requirements								
	LMEpassportDigital procurement platformCentralised digital register that provides visibility of sustainability credentialsPrice discovery and trading of sustainable metal								

LMEpassport – the drive to transparency and comparability



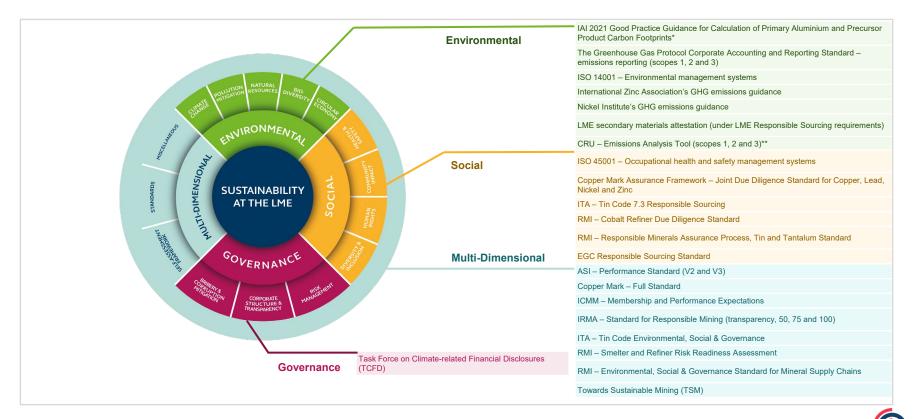
LMEpassport sustainability – who is it for?

LMEpassport sustainability data is available free of charge to all of our stakeholders on the LME website. The system is for everyone. However, more specifically:





LMEpassport approved certifications and methodologies



* In August 2021, the IAI published its "Good Practice for Calculation of Primary Aluminium and Precursor Product Carbon Footprints" (available for disclosure on LMEpassport). For future disclosures related to IAI emissions guidance, the LME encourages producers of LME aluminium brands to use this most recent guidance

⁷ ** The CRU Emissions Analysis Tool provides independently assessed smelter emission ranges for scopes 1 & 2 along with an additional scope 3 category related to purchased anodes

How can users share sustainability data with LMEpassport?

1. Theme / Sub-theme	2. Disclosure	3. Proof Point	4. Methodology if needed		
 High level segmentation of disclosures e.g. Environmental - Pollution 	 Specific disclosures to be made e.g. ISO 14001 - Environmental Management 	 Supporting documentation showing by whom and when the disclosure was made e.g. ISO 14001 inspection and audit report 	 Detail around the methodology adopted under the disclosure <i>e.g. ISO 14001 web-page</i> 		
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The new dynamic LMEpassport sustainability platform

LMEpassport sustainability data is underpinned by new easy-to-navigate interface and search functionality

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LME Week – LMEpassport enhancements announcements

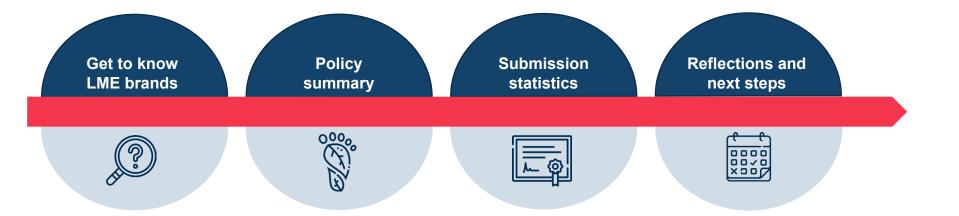




Responsible sourcing – highlights from year one

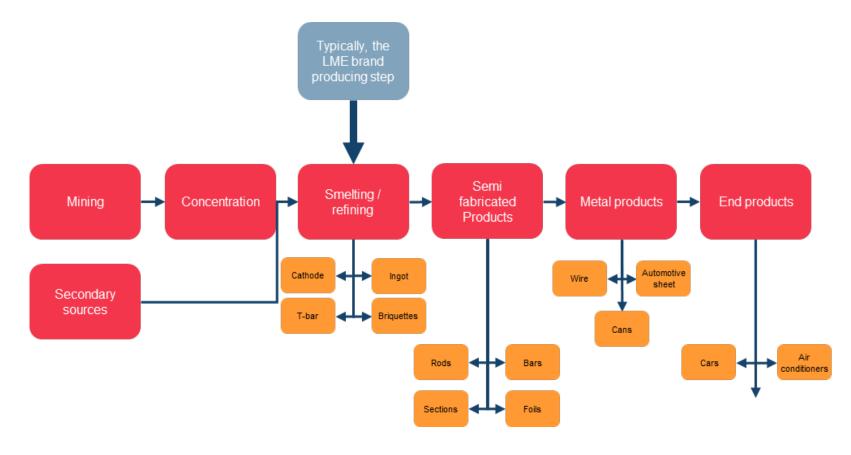








Metals value chain

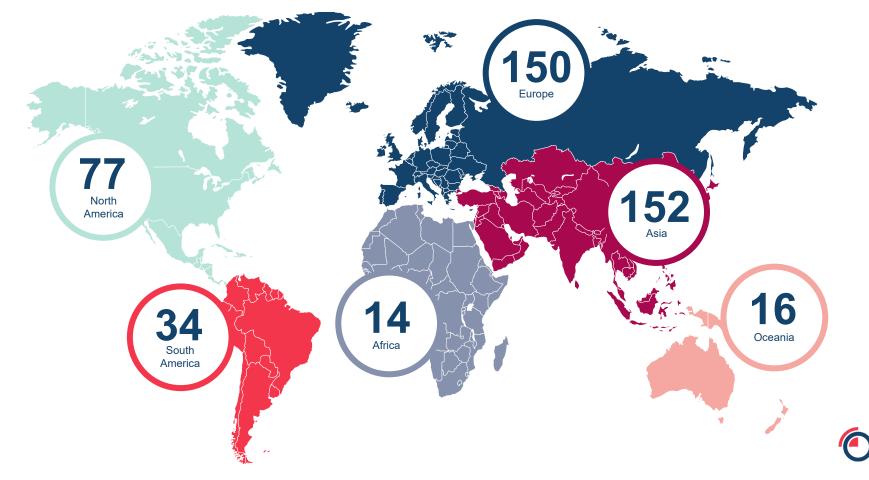


LME-listed brands breakdown by metals



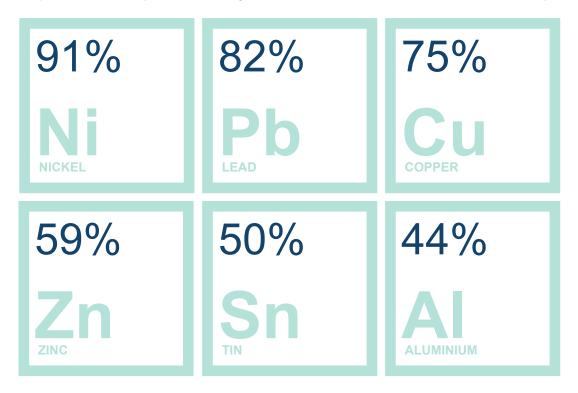


LME-listed brand producer locations



Representation of metals by LME-listed brands

Annual percentage of production represented by LME brands for LME deliverable shapes, estimates only



- 1. LME brand production figures collated from 2020 and 2018 LME brand surveys, with the most recent referred to if available.
- 2. When surveys not available, either plant capacity or WBMS refined production referred to (assuming LME brand sole national producer).
- 3. LME production by country cross referenced with WBMS refined production per country.



Responsible sourcing requirements for LME-listed brands

OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Supply Chains of Minerals from Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas

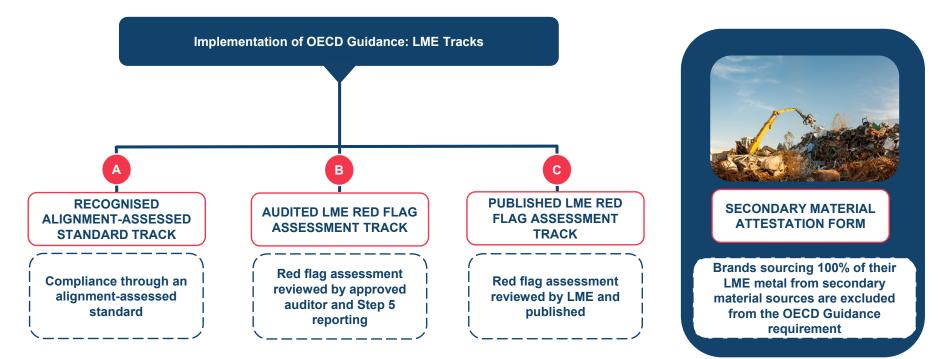
ISO 14001: Environmental Management System or equivalent ISO 45001/OHSAS 18001: Occupational Health & Safety Management System or equivalent



1. Requirements apply to all LME-listed producers of physically settled contracts. For details, please refer to the LME policy found on our website: https://www.lme.com/en/Company/Responsibility/Responsible-sourcing

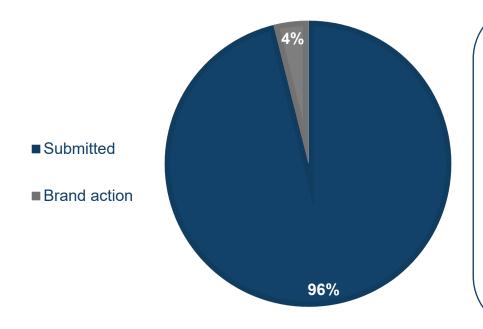


Summary of tracks to OECD Guidance implementation



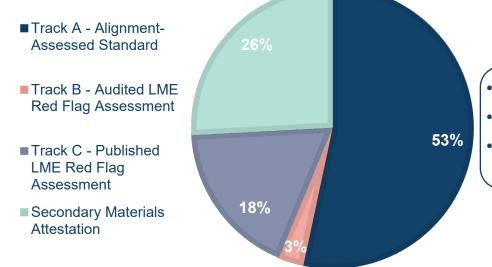


Key LME responsible sourcing programme update



- 96% of the LME brands submitted information in order to comply with the first responsible sourcing deadline, an outstanding result for a new initiative that spans 9 metal categories and 54 countries
- Lead, aluminium alloy, primary aluminium, copper, NASAAC and zinc have all seen brands de-list / suspend since the 30 June 2022 deadline
- Similarly, de-listings have happened with brands from China, UK, Japan, Canada, Lao PDR, Austria, Malaysia, Ukraine and Italy

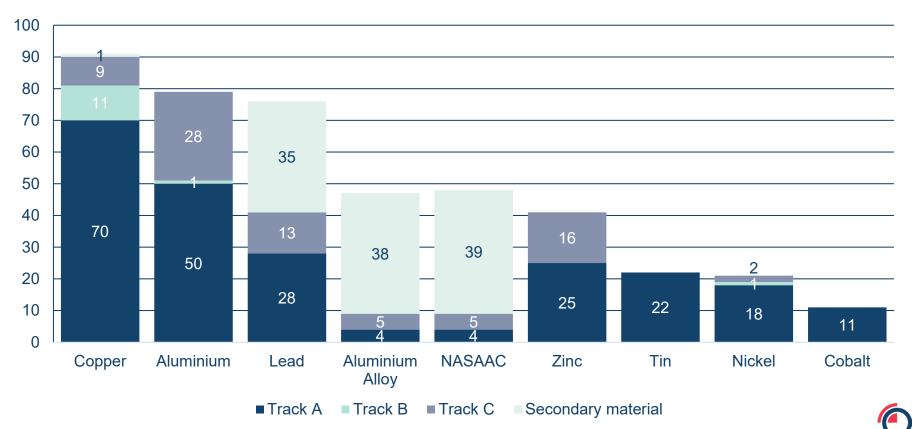
Track breakdown



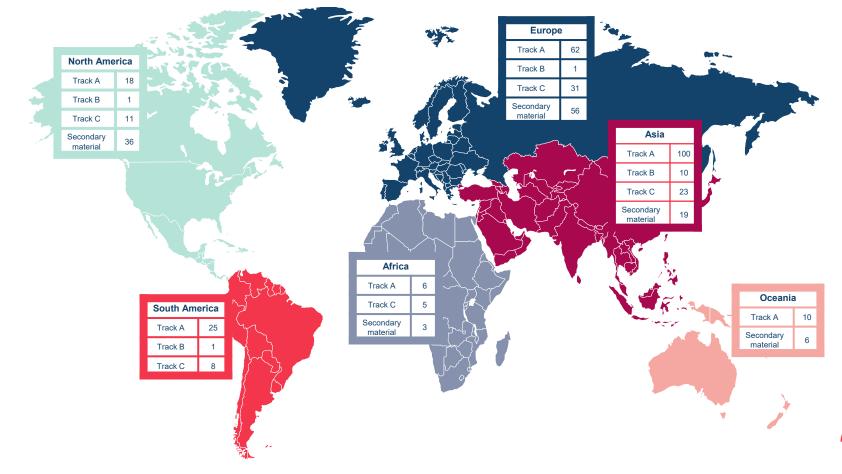
- Track A was the most selected
- Track B was the least selected
- ¹⁄₄ of LME listed brands are produced with 100% secondary material

Tracks selected by metal

443 brands are listed on the LME as of October 2022



LME-listed brand producer locations



Progress and opportunities

Positive developments

- LME brand producers are committed to implementing the OECD Guidance
- The OECD Guidance works as a framework for responsible sourcing, even for non-3TG metals
- Recognition of existing industry initiatives fit into the LME's process, enabling the LME to build on existing work in the sector

Areas for improvement

- CAHRA identification, especially in non-3TG sectors, is still developing
- OECD Guidance interpretation questions for non-3TG metals remain, including supplier red flags and relevance of certain criteria
- Implementation of the principles of EITI along the value chain is a challenge, especially beyond EITI implementing countries and beyond the mining stage
- Governance and assurance requirements
 vary between Track A standards
- Monitoring and evaluation of the OECD Guidance is not yet standardised





3. CAHRA: Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Area

4. EITI: Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative

Are we meeting our goals?

1. Ethical responsibilities



- The LME believes the industry has an ethical imperative to embrace principles of responsible sourcing
- The LME is a seller's option market, which means that a buyer of metal on the LME may be delivered metal of any LME brand. The LME cannot accept a situation where consumers are required to take delivery of metal which is not responsibly sourced

2. Commercial



- The fundamental service of the LME is to price metals and the LME price will generally be the price of the least valuable brand in its brand lists
- The LME must act to ensure its price reflects the value of responsibly sourced metal, and is not artificially depressed by metal which is not sourced in such a manner

3. Providing leadership



- The LME has listened to calls to take a leading role. These calls arose because the LME can
 most efficiently promote a centralised process
- The LME will provide leadership in a way that leverages its knowledge of the market, respects logistical challenges, builds on existing work, and provides appropriate support to producers

Are we meeting our goals?

Are we facilitating the embrace of the principles of responsible sourcing in the metals industry?



Yes, as demonstrated by the high response rate of producers and full-time staff dedicated to supporting producers in the process.

Does the LME price reflect the value of responsibly sourced metal?



Not yet, though 2022 marks a significant moment in LME's responsible sourcing policy implementation. There are milestones still to come before we can be confident that price is reflective of responsibly sourced metal.

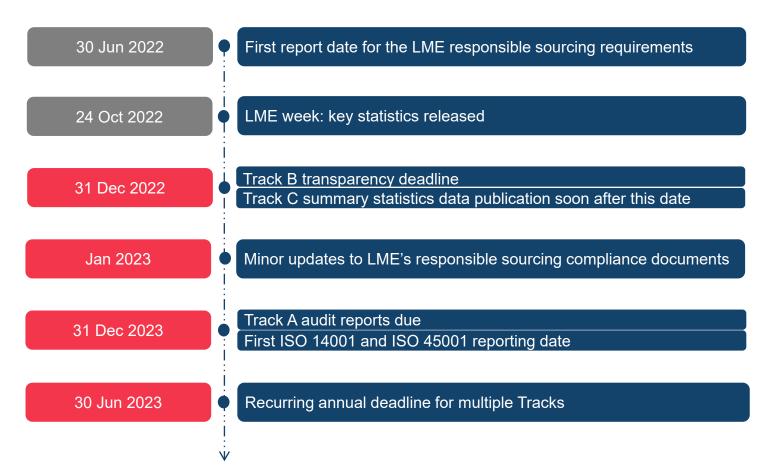
Are we leading well with a centralised and efficient process?



• The number of brands complying and the expansion of alignment assessment across standards encourages the LME that we are leading well.



Key dates for the responsible sourcing programme



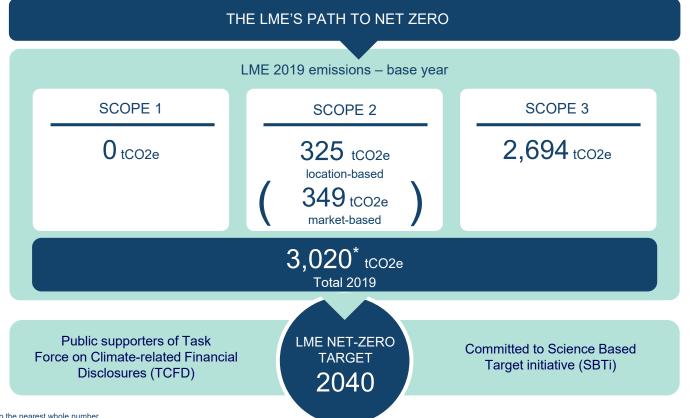
The producer view – independent assessment of progress



Walking the walk: net zero plans



LME net-zero plans







The ESG debate

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