

Extract from Monthly Statistics of Mineral Production May 2026 issue

Table 6 (b). Average Sale Price of Metals

[See rules under MCDR, 2017/ Mineral (Auction) Rules, 2015/ Minerals
(Other than Atomic and Hydro Carbons Energy Minerals) Concession Rules, 2016]

Metals	Unit	Source	May 2026
Aluminium	₹/tonne	LME	350966
Cobalt	₹/tonne	LME	5340777
Copper	₹/tonne	LME	1291607
Lead	₹/tonne	LME	190389
Nickel	₹/tonne	LME	1798094
Tin	₹/tonne	LME	5133715
Zinc	₹/tonne	LME	333574
Lithium	₹/kg	LME	12910
Molybdenum &	₹/kg	LME	6270
Gold	₹/kg	LBMA	**
Silver	₹/kg	LBMA	**
Palladium	₹/kg	LBMA	**
Platinum	₹/kg	LBMA	**

Note : In case, where a metal is traded mostly in compound form, the average sale prices are calculated on the basis of price of metal compound and metal content.

LME : London Metal Exchange

LBMA : London Bullion Market Association

& : Molybdenum price is reported by LME under the head 'Molybdenum (Platts)'.

* : Released in the issue(s) of previous month(s). ** : Refer next issue(s)