

## Our list of scrap metals for smelters



### **Aluminium**

Aluminium belongs to the group of light metals and is the most commonly found metal in the Earth's crust. Pure aluminium is a light silvery metal. It melts at 660°C, boils at 2,467°C and has a relative density of 2.7. Products made of aluminium are corrosion resistant.



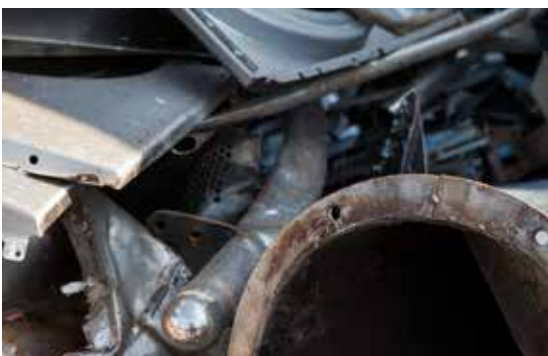
### **Lead**

A bluish grey metallic element. Metallic lead is soft, very ductile and is a poor electrical conductor. A newly cut lead surface has a light, silvery shine, which quickly changes into the characteristic bluish grey colour. This heavy metal melts at 328°C and boils at 1,740°C.



### **Chromium**

Chromium is primarily used for refining steel. It is a silvery white, brightly shining metal that is tough, ductile and malleable. It has a melting point of 1,857°C. Chromium is resistant to corrosion.



### **Cr-Ni scrap**

V2A, Cr-Ni scrap steel (grade: 18Cr/8Ni) is resistant to heat and rust. It is mainly generated by the cutlery, food and household appliances industries.



#### **Cr-Ni-Mo scrap**

V4A, Cr-Ni-Mo scrap steel (grade: 18Cr/10Ni/2Mo) is resistant to rust and acid. It is generated by the chemicals industry.



#### **Electric motors**

All kinds of old motors which no longer work. They generally consist of copper coils and have a ferrous core.



#### **Cables**

Copper and aluminium cables from demolition sites, manufacturing processes and recycling e-waste.



#### **Copper**

Copper belongs to the group of non-ferrous metals. In nature, it is not only found as a compound (e.g. in sulphide ores) but also in its pure form (native). The pure metal melts at approx. 1,083°C and boils at approx. 2,567°C. The relative density of copper is around 8.9. Copper is a good electrical conductor and is suitable as a heat exchanger.



#### **Brass**

An alloy of copper (Cu) and zinc (Zn); a metal that is both hard and ductile.



### **Red brass**

An alloy of copper (Cu), tin (Sn), zinc (Zn) and lead (Pb). It is mainly used in mechanical engineering and the plumbing sector.



### **Zinc**

An extremely shiny metallic element with a bluish white lustre. Zinc plays an important role in many areas of technology. Brass, a zinc-copper alloy, and various zinc pigments, used to prevent corrosion, are just a few examples. Pure zinc melts at approx. 420°C and boils at approx. 907°C.