

World Primary Aluminum Smelter Update



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What was the effect of the 2008 economic crash on the primary aluminum industry? As a result of the unprecedented economic downturn, the industry experienced major primary production curtailments after a drop in demand caused aluminum prices to plummet. Since then, aluminum smelters worldwide have continued initiatives to reduce operating costs, ultimately resulting in further primary aluminum production capacity curtailments and smelter shutdowns.

Jacobs Consultancy's analysis on the aluminum industry focuses on primary aluminum production cutbacks which began fall 2008 and continued through fall 2009. The 2009 ***World Primary Aluminum Smelter Update*** provides an outlook by region, and a snapshot of where the industry is today.

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World Smelters by Region

- North America
 - U.S.
 - Canada
- Latin America
- Western Europe
- C.I.S, incl. Russia
- Middle East
- Africa
- Other Asia ex. China
- China

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