

Program Schedule

Day 1 | 10. 01. 2024

08:00 - 12:00 | Registrations

9:30 to 10:00 | Inauguration ceremony & conference commencement

Nikunj Turakhia, President, Steel Users Federation of India

Ashwini Kumar, Ministry of Steel, Government of India

Arun Misra, CEO, Hindustan Zinc Ltd

10:00 to 11:15 | Which way will the Indian steel supply-demand balance tilt by 2030? - Focus on Flats

Moderator - Sachin Shetty, Managing Partner, Quesrow Research & Consulting

Rajesh Goyal, Sr Vice President Strategic Sourcing, ReNew Power

Raveesh Sabharwal, Asst. Vice President Procurement, Kirby Building Systems

Vivek Gosain, Head-Manufacturing Engineering, Passenger Vehicles Business Unit, Tata Motors Ltd

Praveen Shrivastava, Chief of Marketing & Sales (Branded Products & Retail), Tata Steel Ltd.

11:15 to 12:30 | Which way will the Indian steel supply-demand balance tilt by 2030? - Focus on Longs

Moderator - Rajib Maitra, Partner, Consulting Deloitte, India

VS Chakravarthy, Director Commercial, SAIL

GL Gupta, President & CPO, Kalpataru Projects International Ltd

Sushil Kumar Pradhan, Chief Marketing Officer, Jindal Steel & Power Ltd

Santimoy Chattopadhyay, Vice President & Head, SCM, G R Infraprojects Limited

Sanjay Agrawal, EVP & Business Head, Sales & Marketing, Long Products, JSW Steel Ltd.

12:30 to 13:15 | Scope of organised service centres

Moderator - Sachin Shetty, Managing Partner, Quesrow Research & Consulting

Vijay Sharma, Director, Jindal Stainless Ltd.

Ashirwad Agarwal, Managing Director, Triveni Enterprises

Aditya Khandelwal, Director, Delhi Trading Corporation

Venkat Pampatwar, Sr. GM - West (Sales & Operations), Tata Steel Downstream Products Ltd



13:15 - 14:15 | Networking Lunch



14:15 to 15:30 | Evolving sourcing strategies: Growing e-commerce penetration & digital transformation

Moderator - Abhijeet Sinha, National Program Director, Ease of Doing Business

Co-Moderator - Igor Karelin, Founder & CEO, Metal Market

Shatrughan Singh, Chief Commercial Officer, Birla Pivot

Rupchand Lohana, Head - Central Digital SCM, L&T Energy – Hydrocarbon

Tushar Kamat, Chief Business Officer, Bizongo

Saurabh Natu, Head of Strategy, Central Sourcing, Market Research & Consumer Insights, L&T-SuFin

15:30 to 16:30 | Hedging in times of steel market volatility An in-depth assessment

Moderator - Thomas Hiemstra, Head of Steel Derivatives , MCS Group, Singapore

Kapil Dev, Chief Business Officer, NCDEX

Dr. Manish Lunker, Sr. Vice President – Procurement, Welspun Corp Limited, India



Pinakin Dave, Additional General Manager Products & Business Development, BSE Ltd

Deepa Aggarwal Gracias, Chief Representative, SGX India Liaison Officer

Chittaranjan Rege, Head, Base Metals, MCX

 **16:30 - 18:00 | Networking Tea Break** 

18:00 - 20:00 | Steel Awards Show and Sponsors Felicitation

 **20:00 - 22:00 | Cocktail and Networking Dinner** 

Day 2 | 11. 01. 2024

08:00 - 12:00 | Registrations

9:30 to 11:00 | Non-ferrous metals markets – Outlook to 2030

Moderator - Viral Shah, Head Brokerage, 360 ONE Wealth

Sanjay Mehta, President, MRAI

Santosh Kumar, Chief Marketing Officer-Copper Business, Vedanta Ltd.

Mayur Karmarkar, Managing Director, International Copper Association India

Unnikrishnan Prabhakaran, VP & Head Price Risk Management, Hindalco Industries Ltd

11:00 to 12:00 | Evolving trade dynamics in a fast-changing global steel market

Moderator - Nishtha Mukerjee, GM Operations, SteelMint

Nikunj Turakhia, CEO, Standard Group

Satyajit Maity, Chief of Marketing & Sales Global Wires , Tata Steel Ltd.

Prinson Paul, GM (Iron and Steel Products Division), Mitsui & Co. India Pvt Ltd.

Gorkem Bolaca, CEO, Galex Steel International

12:00 to 13:00 | Factors that will drive Indian steel prices in short to medium term

Moderator - Nishtha Mukerjee, GM-Operations, SteelMint

Sehul Bhatt, Associate Director, CRISIL Research

Amit Agrawal, Chief- Business Excellence & New Projects, Tata Steel

Prateek Bindal, CEO, SMW Ispat Pvt. Ltd

 **13:00 - 14:00 | Networking Lunch** 

14:00 to 17:00



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To deal with the volatility in steel value chains, companies should focus on



Addressing changing demand patterns



Optimizing product mix



Improving sourcing and



Adopting new technologies