



Platinum-Group Metals in January 2026

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TRADE DATA

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'Schedule B' indicates the "Schedule B" of the United States number.

Imports refers to "imports for consumption." Import valuation is customs value, free-alongside-ship basis.

Exports refers to "domestic exports." Export valuation is on a free-alongside-ship basis.

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Table 1. U.S. salient platinum-group metals statistics.
[Data are in kilograms metal content, unless otherwise specified.]

Platinum-group metals statistics	2026	2025 ¹		
	January	November	December	January–December
Mine production²				
Palladium	551	562	562	6,860
Platinum	158	161	161	1,980
Total	709	723	723	8,840
Imports for consumption				
Palladium	2,810	3,280	5,020	79,300
Platinum	5,850	6,010	5,850	107,000
Iridium	115	69	96	1,730
Osmium	1	21	1	109
Rhodium	767	710	1,230	13,400
Ruthenium	891	1,380	750	13,400
Waste and scrap ³	6,830	4,690	18,600	133,000
Total	17,300	16,200	31,500	347,000
Exports				
Palladium	1,420	1,210	1,700	18,200
Platinum	1,400	2,820	881	17,500
Iridium, osmium, ruthenium	382	161	58	2,430
Rhodium	212	6	6	279
Waste and scrap ³	1,520	2,020	1,320	23,000
Total	4,940	6,210	3,960	61,400
Price, average (dollars per troy ounce)⁴				
Palladium	1,866.35	1,422.50	1,591.90	1,160.11
Platinum	2,446.05	1,566.06	1,871.19	1,284.94
Iridium	5,733.75	4,575.00	4,576.19	4,447.69
Rhodium	10,200.00	8,058.33	8,209.52	6,327.45
Ruthenium	1,413.25	930.00	967.62	749.22

¹May include revisions to previously published data.

²Annual data are based on publicly available annual reports. Monthly and year-to-date data are estimated based on publicly reported quarterly data.

³Includes waste and scrap for all platinum-group metals. Previously included within platinum.

⁴Source: S&P Global Platts Metals Week.

Table 2. Platinum-group metals prices.

[Quotes from Engelhard. Dollars per troy ounce. Source: S&P Global Platts Metals Week.]

Platinum-group metals prices	Palladium	Platinum	Iridium	Rhodium	Ruthenium
2025					
Low price	915.00	924.00	4,100.00	4,575.00	465.00
Low date	Apr. 9	Apr. 9	Jun. ¹	Jan. 2	Jan. 2-14
High price	1,847.00	2,320.00	4,700.00	9,350.00	1,325.00
High date	Dec. 23	Dec. 24	Aug. ¹ –Oct. ¹	Dec. 31	Dec. 30 and 31
Price, average	1,160.11	1,284.94	4,447.69	6,327.45	749.22
2026, January					
Low price	1,651.00	2,142.00	4,600.00	9,600.00	1,325.00
Low date	Jan. 2	Jan. 2	Jan. 2	Jan. 8	Jan. ¹
High price	2,116.00	2,821.00	6,700.00	11,250.00	1,430.00
High date	Jan. 29	Jan. 26	Jan. 28-30	Jan. 29	Jan. ¹
Price, average	1,866.35	2,446.05	5,733.75	10,200.00	1,413.25

¹Occurred multiple days in month(s) listed.

Table 3. U.S. imports of platinum metal, by country or locality.
[Data are in kilograms metal content, unless otherwise specified.]

Country or locality	Platinum grain and nuggets		Platinum sponge		Other unwrought platinum		Platinum, other		Platinum coins	
	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)
2025										
November	8	308	5,030	254,000	40	3,260	930	46,800	5	112
December	9	355	3,870	195,000	462	27,800	1,510	89,800	<0.5	19
January–December	2,760	114,000	68,700	2,750,000	8,790	376,000	26,000	1,170,000	334	11,200
2026, January										
Australia	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	6,060	0	0
Belgium	0	0	105	5,960	93	5,520	0	0	0	0
Canada	13	342	0	0	3	207	22	1,260	2	30
China	0	0	0	0	0	0	<0.5	10	<0.5	7
Colombia	0	0	0	0	8	577	94	7,190	0	0
Costa Rica	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	3,630	0	0
Czechia	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	414	0	0
Germany	0	0	28	2,240	4	255	229	18,000	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	<0.5	7	0	0
Italy	0	0	332	23,300	<0.5	6	11	561	0	0
Japan	0	0	0	0	5	278	40	2,540	0	0
Korea, Republic of	0	0	118	8,990	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malaysia	0	0	0	0	0	0	<0.5	4	0	0
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	<0.5	4	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	<0.5	6	0	0
Singapore	0	0	0	0	<0.5	9	228	12,700	0	0
South Africa	0	0	2,950	185,000	0	0	1,160	27,800	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	<0.5	3	0	0
Switzerland	32	836	0	0	0	0	59	4,400	0	0
Taiwan	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	154	0	0
Thailand	0	0	0	0	0	0	<0.5	8	0	0
United Kingdom	0	0	3	103	0	0	128	10,100	0	0
Total	44	1,180	3,530	226,000	113	6,850	2,160	94,700	2	38

Table 4. U.S. imports of platinum-group metals, by country or locality.

[Data are in kilograms metal content, unless otherwise specified.]

Country or locality	Palladium ¹		Iridium ¹		Osmium ¹		Rhodium ¹		Ruthenium ¹		Waste and scrap ²	
	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)
2025												
November	3,280	141,000	69	9,950	21	267	710	171,000	1,380	39,100	4,690	115,000
December	5,020	240,000	96	14,300	1	11	1,230	311,000	750	21,600	18,600	138,000
January–December	79,300	2,780,000	1,730	242,000	109	1,110	13,400	2,530,000	13,400	294,000	133,000	1,230,000
2026, January³												
Austria	87	5,590	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belgium	78	3,910	0	0	0	0	65	15,500	0	0	0	0
Canada	249	17,700	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,540	43,600
France	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	2,950
Germany	5	193	1	106	0	0	119	36,800	337	11,500	695	28,300
Guatemala	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	1,740
India	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	1,150
Italy	67	2,600	<0.5	21	0	0	10	3,400	0	0	165	5,360
Japan	37	1,740	1	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	301	9,960
Korea, Republic of	133	7,780	0	0	0	0	12	3,030	0	0	0	0
Mexico	1	57	0	0	0	0	<0.5	9	0	0	176	4,740
Norway	31	1,830	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	1,680
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	682	41,100
South Africa	1,820	85,500	85	11,500	0	0	542	127,000	553	16,200	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	550	38,800
Switzerland	300	17,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taiwan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101	3
Thailand	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	1,760
United Kingdom	<0.5	5	29	3,460	0	0	0	0	0	0	387	12,600
Other	<0.5	34	0	0	1	14	19	4,090	0	0	54	2,380
Total	2,810	144,000	115	15,100	1	14	767	190,000	891	27,700	6,830	196,000

¹Unwrought and other forms.²Reported in platinum metal content, but material includes other platinum-group metals.³The 20 countries and (or) localities with the greatest total platinum-group metal imports are listed. All others are included in the “Other” category.

Table 5. U.S. exports of platinum-group metals, by country or locality.
[Data are in kilograms metal content, unless otherwise specified.]

Country or locality	Palladium ¹		Platinum ¹		Iridium, osmium, and ruthenium ^{1, 2}		Rhodium ¹		Waste and scrap ³	
	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)	Quantity	Value (thousand dollars)
2025										
November	1,210	54,100	2,820	145,000	161	11,500	6	1,290	2,020	132,000
December	1,700	87,100	881	54,700	58	4,580	6	1,530	1,320	79,400
January–December	18,200	697,000	17,500	782,000	2,430	129,000	279	47,100	23,000	1,110,000
2026, January⁴										
Australia	0	0	13	722	8	859	0	0	0	0
Belgium	22	1,230	24	1,490	0	0	3	666	10	645
Canada	263	15,200	7	374	0	0	<0.5	13	297	10,100
China	7	407	9	837	1	28	<0.5	37	0	0
Costa Rica	4	234	57	3,960	3	118	0	0	0	0
Czechia	3	122	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	1,800
France	8	366	3	192	0	0	0	0	0	0
Germany	146	6,560	197	13,900	323	15,100	0	0	788	50,500
Hong Kong	12	619	3	165	4	804	9	2,030	0	0
Ireland	1	50	15	965	0	0	0	0	0	0
Israel	15	677	<0.5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	323	18,100	184	12,800	0	0	0	0	199	13,900
Japan	20	1,060	148	11,400	8	1,810	0	0	154	20,200
Korea, Republic of	258	13,000	5	317	0	0	200	11,800	0	0
Malaysia	3	185	13	1,080	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mexico	3	154	15	737	0	0	0	0	0	0
Switzerland	211	10,400	0	0	0	0	<0.5	43	0	0
Taiwan	108	5,120	1	96	4	729	0	0	0	0
United Arab Emirates	0	0	1	75	0	0	0	0	36	1,410
United Kingdom	4	222	682	52,500	31	5,140	0	0	18	2,720
Other	11	489	25	1,550	0	0	0	0	2	515
Total	1,420	74,200	1,400	103,000	382	24,600	212	14,600	1,520	102,000

¹Unwrought and other forms.

²Gross weight.

³Reported in platinum content but includes waste and scrap for all platinum-group metals. Previously categorized as “Platinum waste and scrap.”

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