

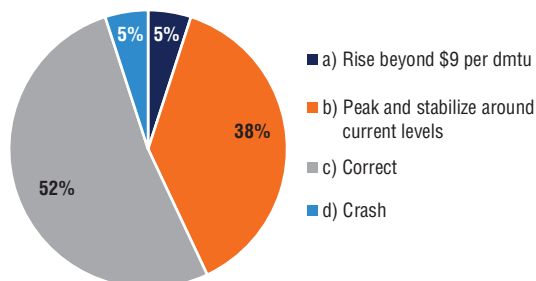
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ASIAN FERRO-ALLOYS CONF - POLL: WHAT ARE THE KEY MANGANESE, CHROME AND VANADIUM PRICE DRIVERS AND MARKET DIRECTION?

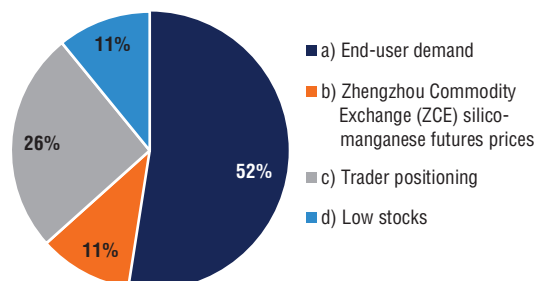
At Metal Bulletin's 19th Asian Ferro-alloys conference in Hong Kong on March 20-22, Asia editor Shivani Singh asked delegates questions about the three Ps: products, prices and places.

The poll results from respondents are as follows:

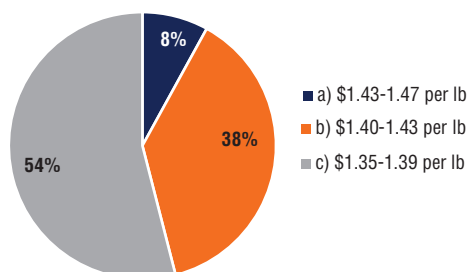
1. Where will manganese ore prices go from here?



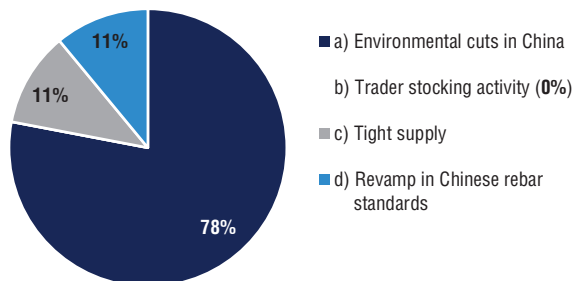
2. What are the main drivers for manganese ore prices?



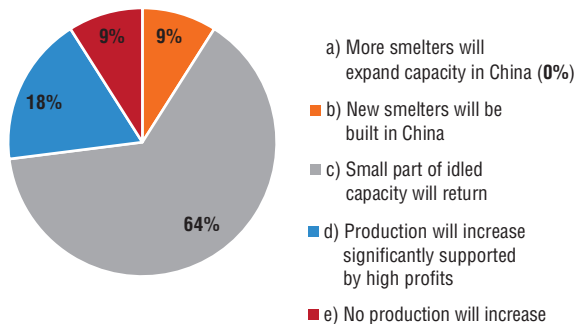
3. Where will the European second-quarter ferro-chrome benchmark settle?



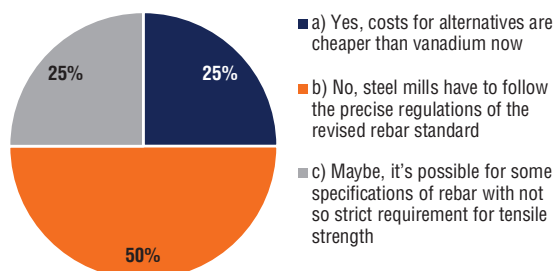
4. What are the key drivers for vanadium prices?



5. Vanadium prices are at new highs since June 2008. Does this mean:



6. If China's vanadium market swings to a deficit in 2018, will alternatives like ferro-niobium be a solution?



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