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⚠ **Action Required** ⚠ **High Priority**

1. Distribution of Eurex Release 4.1 Simulation Update Kit

2. Availability of Multicast Configuration Utility

Related Eurex Circulars: 017/01

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- Front Office / Trading
- Middle + Back Office
- IT / System Administration

Attachments: None

1. Distribution of Eurex Release 4.1 Simulation Update Kit

From Wednesday 28 March until Friday 30 March, 2001, inclusive, Eurex will distribute an update kit for the Eurex Release 4.1 Permanent Simulation. This update kit will bring the simulation environment up to the same level as the production environment, and Eurex recommends that it is installed by all members.

The Simulation Update Kit should be installed according to the installation notes in the 'Read-me' file delivered to the appropriate directory in the simulation environment together with the kit. No update kit will be sent to User Device installations. The update kit should be installed on Workstations as well as MISSs. For new installations of the simulation environment, it is sufficient to install only this update kit (Update Kit 3) on top of the Release 4.1 software; earlier update kits can be ignored.

Target directories and required free storage space for the software transfer are as follows:

IBM AIX (MISS):	/usr/lpp/gate/transferdir/release01	20 MB + 22 MB Windows NT
SUN Solaris (MISS):	/opt/gate/transferdir/release01	38 MB + 22 MB Windows NT
Microsoft Windows NT (MISS):	<ftp-root directory>\release01	22 MB

Please forward this circular to your system administrator so that any files no longer required (e.g. old software kits, Theoretical Price Files, reports, etc.) can be removed from the directories before the update kit is transferred.

Please make sure that your simulation environment is connected to the Eurex network on Wednesday evening, 28 March, 2001 from 21.00 CET onwards.

If you have not received the kit by Friday, 30 March, 2001 please contact our Technical Help-desk.

2. Availability of Multicast Configuration Utility

The Multicast utility which was announced at the Multicast Workshops is now available together with its documentation on our web-site www.eurexchange.com under 'info for members > special > a/c/e 2.0'. This utility will automatically reconfigure a standard GATE UDP broadcast configuration to a Multicast configuration. **The utility is not suitable for automatic reconfiguration of UDP Broadcast configurations which include the Broadcast Bridge**.

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