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Termination of Support for UDP Broadcast with GATE Release 3.0

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The introduction of a/c/e Release 2.0 (Eurex Release 5.0), scheduled for the fourth quarter of 2001, will be based on the middleware application GATE version 3.0, which will only support IP/Multicast.

Support for the UDP Broadcast protocol will not be continued in GATE Release 3.0. Consequently, the Broadcast Bridge software will become obsolete.

For Eurex members, this means that all MISS/Workstation LANs must be configured to support IP/Multicast before the introduction of a/c/e Release 2.0 (Eurex Release 5.0). As IP Multicast is already supported in the current GATE 2.1 release, members may make the change at any time.

Members running a combined Eurex/Xetra MISS should also refer to Xetra Circular 014/01.

Members running an a/c/e platform for joint CBOT/Eurex access will be informed about the update procedure at a later date since CBOT have not yet finalized their plans for migration to a/c/e Release 2.0.

Information relating to IP/Multicast can be found in the documents 'GATE Release 2.0 – IP Multicast' and 'Front End Operations Guide – GATE' available on our web-site "www.eurexchange.com" under the path 'Info for Members / Manuals / Release 4.1 / Production Manuals Release 4.1 – MISS'.

In order to assist members with the transition, a technical workshop is currently being planned. Full details will be published at a later date.

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