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

Distribution of Update Kit 3 for Eurex Release 6.1 Simulation and Update Kit 2 for Production and Advanced Simulation

Related Eurex Circulars: 119/03, 124/03
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Summary:

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The Update Kits will be distributed to all participants per File Transfer Protocol (ftp) on Friday January 9, 2004 after 21:00 CET for Simulation and on Friday January 16, 2004 after 21:00 CET for Production and Advanced Simulation. Software transmission will be exclusively to the registered report nodes. The kits will also be made available for download from the "member section" of the Eurex homepage under the following links:

"www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Software Kits > Eurex 6.1 Simulation"
"www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Software Kits > Eurex 6.1 Production"
"www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Software Kits > Eurex 6.1 Advanced Simulation"

Please make sure that your simulation environment is connected to the Eurex system on Friday January 9, 2004 after 21:00 CET and that your production and Advanced Simulation environments are connected to the Eurex system on Friday January 16, 2004 after 21:00 CET. Please ensure that the following directories contain at least approximately 60 MB disc space for data transmission:

Transfer directory for data transmission of Simulation Update Kit 3:

- SUN Solaris (MISS): /opt/gate/transferdir/release01
- Windows 2000 (MISS): <ftp-root directory>\release01

Transfer directory for data transmission of Production Update Kit 2:

- SUN Solaris (MISS): /opt/gate/transferdir/release00
- Windows 2000 (MISS): <ftp-root directory>\release00

Transfer directory for data transmission of Advanced Simulation Update Kit 2:

- SUN Solaris (MISS): /opt/gate/transferdir/release03
- Windows 2000 (MISS): <ftp-root directory>\release03

The software kits should be installed according to the instructions contained in the "read-me" file that is transferred to the appropriate directory together with the updated software.

Please contact our Technical Help Desk on +49-69-211-1 12 00 if you have not received the Update Kit for Eurex Release 6.1 Simulation by Tuesday January 13, 2004 and Eurex Release 6.1 Production/Advanced Simulation Update Kits by Tuesday January 20, 2004.

Should you have difficulty accessing the internet links in the "member section", please contact Eurex Customer Support on +49-69-211-1 17 00.

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