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Eurex Release 10.0: Distribution of Update Kit 1 for Simulation and Additional Information concerning the Introduction of New Functionality

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1. Distribution of Eurex Release 10.0 Update Kit 1 for Simulation

After close of trading on October 5, 2007, Eurex will distribute update kit 1 for the Eurex Release 10.0 simulation and highly recommends the installation of the update kit on all MISSes and workstations.

The update kit contains several functional and technical improvements as well as BESS and VALUES changes and can be used in simulation from October 8, 2007 onwards. It also includes enhancements regarding the new Pre-Trade Risk and Stop-Button Functionality, which are planned to be activated on October 9, 2007 in the simulation environment. Although the update kit is not mandatory, its installation is highly recommended to profit from the improvements during the Eurex Release 10.0 member simulation. Please note that support can only be provided on the basis of the most recent software version.

The update kit will be transmitted to Eurex participants via File Transfer Protocol (ftp) on Friday, October 5, 2007, after 21:00 CET. The software will only be sent to the registered report nodes. In parallel, the kit will be made available for download from the Eurex website under the following path:

www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Releases > Eurex 10.0 > Software Kits > Simulation Kits

Please ensure that the simulation environment is connected to the Eurex® network on Friday October 5, 2007 from 21:00 CET onwards and that the following target directories have a total space capacity of approximately 50 MB for the data transmission:

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

The simulation kit should be installed according to the instructions contained in the “readme” file, which will be sent together with the kit to the target transfer directory.

If you have not received the update kit for the simulation of Eurex Release 10.0 by Tuesday, October 9, 2007, please contact the Eurex Customer Technical Support on tel. +49-69-211-1 12 00.

Should you experience difficulties logging in to the “Member Section”, please contact the Member Services & Admission team on telephone +49-69-211-1 17 00.

2. Additional Information concerning the New Functionality Pre-Trade Risk Protection and Stop-Button Facility

The new functionality Pre-Trade Risk Protection and Stop-Button Facility will be introduced in Eurex 10.0 Simulation on October 9, 2007 as also announced in the document “Member Simulation Guide Eurex Release 10.0” published on August 31, 2007 on the Eurex website in the Member Section under the path:

www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Releases > Eurex 10.0

Please Note: There will be a new valid value entry “L” for legal message for the field **evntTypCod** in the Private Member Messages Broadcast (new Broadcast stream “G”). The field will enable members to receive the new legal message which will be generated in the event of using the Pre-Trade Risk Functionality or the Stop-Button Facility.

For more details regarding this change please refer to the document VALUES API Member Front End Development Guide / Volume 2 - Eurex Application Requests / Programming Version also available on the Eurex website under the path:

www.eurexchange.com > Section > Releases > Eurex 10.0

An updated version of this document will be published on October 12, 2007 on the Eurex website.

3. Indication to modify the Eurex Default Password

As announced before, please take into account that Eurex Release 10.0 no longer supports the permanent use of the default password by members. Members still using the default password will have to change it during their first login to the Eurex® system.

Members using their own applications or planning to use the Eurex® system in backward compatibility mode and have not changed their default passwords should have modified it before the introduction of Eurex Release 10.0. Members which have not performed this change will not be able to login to the Eurex® system after the introduction of Eurex Release 10.0.

All members are strongly recommended to participate in the Eurex Release 10.0 simulation to get familiar with all new functions of this release. Please note that this release is not fully backward compatible due to the changes in Order- and Trade IDs.

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