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Distribution of Update Kit 2 for Eurex 7.0 Simulation and Update Kit 1 for Production and Advanced Simulation

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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 14, 2005 after 21:00 CET for simulation and on Friday, January 21, 2005 after 21:00 CET for production and Advanced Simulation. The software will only be sent 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 7.0 Simulation

www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Software Kits > Eurex 7.0 Production

www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Software Kits > Eurex 7.0 Advanced Simulation.

Please make sure that your simulation environment is connected to the Eurex system on Friday, January 14, 2005 after 21:00 CET and that your production and Advanced Simulation environments are connected to the Eurex system on Friday, January 21, 2005 after 21:00 CET. Please ensure that the following directories contain at least approximately 30 MB disc space for data transmission:

Transfer directory for data transmission of Simulation Update Kit 2:

- SUN Solaris (MISS): /opt/gate/transferdir/release01

- Windows 2000 (MISS): <ftp-root directory>\release01

Transfer directory for data transmission of Production Update Kit 1:

- SUN Solaris (MISS): /opt/gate/transferdir/release00

- Windows 2000 (MISS): <ftp-root directory>\release00

Transfer directory for data transmission of Advanced Simulation Update Kit 1:

- 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 *readme* file that is transferred to the appropriate directory together with the updated software.

Please contact our Technical Helpdesk on +49-69-211-1 12 00 if you have not received the update kit for Eurex Release 7.0 simulation by Tuesday, January 18, 2005 and Eurex Release 7.0 production/Advanced Simulation update kits by Tuesday, January 25, 2005.

Should you have difficulty accessing the internet links in the *Member Section*, please contact the Customer Support on +49-69-211-1 17 00.

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