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Action Required

Eurex Release 7.0 Simulation – Software Fix for Backwards Compatibility

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Content may be most important for:

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

Attachments:

None

We would like to inform you that a software patch, in the form of two replacement files, which overcomes a problem with backward compatibility in the current Eurex Release 7.0 software, is available on the Eurex website "www.eurexchange.com > Member Section > Software Kits > Eurex 7.0 Simulation".

Please note that users of the Eurex Release 7.0 GUIs @X-ceed and @X-tract are not required to install the software patch.

Members affected should replace the files "eurexbrt" and "eurexds" on all the MISS servers in the simulation environment with the new versions. In order to replace the files please proceed as follows:

1. Make a backup copy of the current versions of the "eurexbrt" and "eurexds" files prior to replacing them so that they can be restored in the event of unforeseen problems with the new versions.
2. Please make sure the Basic Architecture, Eurex BESS and all other applications (such as third party applications) are not running before you update the files.
3. Download the appropriate archive (eurexr70s_hf20040816.zip for Windows 2000 or eurexr70s_hf20040816.tar.Z for Solaris) from the Eurex website and decompress it.
4. To install the patch for Sun Solaris or Windows, please replace the following files with the new versions:

   <Gate_Drive:>/opt/gate/base91/EUREX/bin/eurexbrt.exe and eurexds.exe (Windows)

   \opt\gate\base91\EUREX\bin\eurexbrt and eurexds (Solaris)

For Sun systems, please make sure that the owner and file privileges match the original.

If you experience any problems installing or have any questions regarding the software patch, please contact the Technical Help Desk at +49-69-211-1 1200.