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

Eurex Release 7.0 and GATE Release 3.3 Advanced Simulation Kits Distribution

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➲ Front Office / Trading ➲ Middle + Back Office ➲ IT / System Administration	None

Summary:

The Advanced Simulation will be upgraded from Eurex Release 6.1 to Eurex Release 7.0 between November 19, 2004 and November 26, 2004. The Eurex 6.1 Advanced Simulation will be available until Thursday, November 18, 2004 and the Eurex 7.0 Advanced Simulation will be available from Monday, November 29, 2004.

The Advanced Simulation kits for GATE Release 3.3 and Eurex Release 7.0 will be distributed via File Transfer Protocol (ftp) on Friday, **November 19, 2004** from 21:00 CET. Software distribution will only be performed to the registered report nodes.

Please forward this circular to your system administrator to ensure that the MISSes in the appropriate environment are connected to the Eurex network on the date and at the time stated and that enough disk space is available, in the directories stipulated, to receive the data transfer.

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. We recommend that you follow the instructions contained in the *Eurex Release 7.0 Front End Installation Guide* and *Front End Installation Guide GATE Release 3.3* carefully.

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Please note that you will no longer be able to access the Advanced Simulation using Eurex Release 6.1 after Monday, November 29, 2004. The Advanced Simulation Kits for GATE Release 3.3 and Eurex Release 7.0 will be distributed via File Transfer Protocol (ftp) on Friday, **November 19, 2004** from 21:00 CET. The software kits will only be distributed to the registered report nodes. In addition the software kits will be available in the *Member Section* of the website under the following link:

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

Please ensure that the MISSes in Advanced Simulation are connected to the Eurex network on Friday, November 19, 2004 from 21:00 CET onwards and that at least 110 MB disk space is available for data transfer in the following target directories:

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

The Advanced Simulation Kits should be installed according to the instructions contained in the *readme* file that accompanies the data transfer. We recommend that you follow the instructions contained in the *Eurex Release 7.0 Front End Installation Guide* and *Front End Installation Guide GATE 3.3* carefully. Please remember that GATE Release 3.3 Advanced Simulation Kit must be installed before the Eurex Release 7.0 Advanced Simulation Kit. To activate the new settings, restart the MISS or workstation after installing the GATE Release 3.3 software.

Please contact our technical help desk on telephone number +49-69-211-1 12 00, if you have not received the Advanced Simulation Kit for Eurex Release 7.0 by Tuesday, November 23, 2004.

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

Frankfurt, November 17, 2004