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Summary:

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Distribution of Production Kits

On **Friday evening, May 27, 2005**, we will distribute the following software kits for production:

- GATE Release 3.3 Production
- CCP Release 3.0 Production
- CCP Release 2.0 Production Update 1.

To ensure a smooth distribution of the kits, please note the following points:

- The production kits will be delivered via file transfer (FTP) over the CCP network to the production-specific environment of each participant
- Each Member will receive both Windows and SUN kits
- The target transfer directories are:
  SUN: /opt/gate/transferdir/release20
  Windows: <ftp-root directory>\release20
- At least 130 MB disk space must be available in the transfer directory on each of your production MISSes
- Ensure that the MISSes of your CCP production environment are connected to the CCP system without interruption from the **evening of May 27, 2005** until the **morning of May 30, 2005** to enable the file transfer.
- The necessary read and write permissions for files and folders have to be set correctly.

Deutsche Börse will monitor the successful distribution of the kits. Should transmission problems occur, an additional distribution will be initiated on May 30, 2005 or May 31, 2005. The software will additionally be posted on the Eurex website **www.eurexchange.com** on May 27, 2005 for downloading. For this purpose, please follow the links:

Member Section > Software Kits > CCP Release 2.0 Production

or, respectively,

Member Section > Software Kits > CCP Release 3.0 Production.

Please use your member-specific access data to enter the Member Section on **www.eurexchange.com**.

Installation of Production Kits

Please note the following general instructions for installing the production kit, which should take place on Saturday, June 4, 2005:

- Upgrading to GATE 3.3 is mandatory before installing of the CCP software
- Future Fixed Income CCP Clearers must install CCP Release 3.0 Production Update Kit in order to have all necessary functions available
- Equity Clearers can choose between installing the CCP Release 3.0 Production Kit or the CCP 2.0 Production Update Kit 1. The first option provides access to the new GUI windows, updated according to CCP Release 3.0. The second option does not result in any GUI change.

For details regarding installation, please refer to the "Installation Notes (readme file)" for CCP 2.0 Update 1, CCP 3.0 and GATE 3.3, which will be sent together with the kits, and the document "CCP Release 3.0 Front-End Installation Guide", which is available on the Eurex website.

Connectivity Test

On **Saturday afternoon, June 4, 2005**, the backend will be available for connectivity tests **between 04:00 p.m. and 06:00 p.m. CET**. To avoid any risks and delays in connection with CCP processing on the first production day, we strongly recommend reserving this time for the connection test, also if you merely wish to install CCP 2.0 Update 1.

Please bear in mind that the connection test can only be deemed successful after you successfully logged in to the CCP backend through your web browser.

For questions or for support needed regarding installation and connectivity, kindly contact the Technical Helpdesk (telephone: +49-69-211-1 28 00, fax +49-69-211-1 84 01).

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