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# **NYSE Euronext Announces Trading Volumes for November 2010**

Global Derivatives Averaged 8.2 Million Contracts per Day in November, Up 13% vs. Prior Year;

European Derivatives Up 2% vs. Prior Year, Up 23% Sequentially; U.S. Options Averaged 3.9 Million Contracts, Up 29% vs. Prior Year; European Cash Trading Volumes Up 17%, U.S. Cash Down 5% vs. Prior Year

**December 6, 2010** – NYSE Euronext (NYX) today announced trading volumes for its global derivatives and cash equities exchanges for November 2010<sup>1</sup>. Global derivatives average daily volume ("ADV") of 8.2 million contracts traded per day in November 2010 increased 12.6% versus the prior year, and increased 9.9% from October 2010 levels. The increase in global derivatives ADV versus prior year levels was driven primarily by a 28.5% increase in U.S. equity options ADV. Cash equities ADV in November 2010 was mixed, with European cash ADV increasing 16.6% and U.S. cash trading volumes decreasing 4.8% from November 2009 levels.

## **Highlights**

- NYSE Euronext global derivatives ADV in November 2010 of 8.2 million contracts increased 12.6% compared to November 2009 and increased 9.9% from October 2010 levels. Open interest for the European derivatives businesses at the end of November 2010 was 82.8 million contracts, a decrease of 9.8% compared to November 2009, but an increase of 0.9% from October 2010 levels.
- NYSE Euronext European derivatives products ADV in November 2010 of 4.4 million contracts increased 1.6% compared to November 2009 and increased 23.3% from October 2010 levels. Total European fixed income products ADV in November 2010 of 2.0 million contracts decreased 13.5% compared to November 2009 and increased 0.5% from October 2010. Total equity products ADV of 2.3 million contracts in November 2010 increased 18.4% compared to November 2009 and increased 55.9% from October 2010. Total commodities products ADV of 67,000 contracts in November 2010 increased 51.9% compared to November 2009.
- NYSE Euronext U.S. equity options (NYSE Arca and NYSE Amex) ADV of 3.9 million contracts in November 2010 increased 28.5% compared to November 2009 levels, but decreased 2.1% from October 2010. NYSE Euronext's U.S. options exchanges accounted for 24.7% of total U.S. consolidated equity options trading in November 2010, in-line with November 2009, but below the 25.9% recorded in October 2010.
- NYSE Euronext European cash products ADV of 1.5 million transactions in November 2010 increased 16.6% compared to November 2009 and increased 6.9% from October 2010.
- NYSE Euronext U.S. cash products (NYSE, NYSE Arca and NYSE Amex) handled ADV of 2.3 billion shares in November 2010 decreased 4.8% compared to November 2009 and decreased 1.1% compared to October 2010. NYSE Euronext's Tape A matched market

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All NYSE Euronext derivatives transactions count buy and sell orders together as a single transaction. NYSE Euronext European equities transactions count each buy and sell order as separate transactions, NYSE Euronext U.S. equities transactions count buy and sell orders together as a single transaction.

- share in November 2010 was 36.1%, down from 36.8% in November 2009, but up from 35.2% in October 2010.
- There were a total of 22 trading days in Europe and 21 trading days in the U.S. in November 2010, compared to 21 trading days in Europe and 20 trading days in the U.S. in November 2009.

## **Derivatives Trading**

European Derivatives

- NYSE Euronext European derivatives products ADV in November 2010 was 4.4 million futures and options contracts, an increase of 1.6% from November 2009 and an increase of 23.3% from October 2010. The 4.4 million in futures and options contracts ADV in November 2010 consisted of 3.2 million contracts executed through our full-service LIFFE CONNECT trading platform and 1.2 million contracts, or 27.0%, executed through Bclear, NYSE Liffe's trade administration and clearing service for OTC products.
- Year-to-date, European derivatives products ADV of 4.9 million contracts was 18.0% above prior year levels. The 4.9 million in futures and options contracts ADV year-to-date consisted of 3.5 million contracts executed through the LIFFE CONNECT trading platform and 1.4 million contracts, or 27.9%, executed through Bclear.
- Total fixed income products ADV of 2.0 million contracts in November 2010 decreased 13.5% from November 2009, but increased 0.5% from October 2010. Year-to-date, total fixed income products ADV of 2.4 million contracts was 15.4% above prior year levels.
- Total equity products (including Bclear) ADV of 2.3 million contracts in November 2010 increased 18.4% compared to November 2009 and increased 55.9% from October 2010. The 2.3 million contracts in equity products ADV consisted of 1.7 million contracts in individual equity products ADV and 0.6 million contracts in equity index products ADV. The 1.7 million contracts in individual equity products ADV consisted of 1.0 million in futures contracts, which represented a 61.1% increase compared to November 2009 and 0.7 million in options contracts, which represented a 4.5% increase compared to November 2009. The average rate per contract for individual equity futures contracts is significantly lower than other products traded on NYSE Liffe. Year-to-date, total equity products ADV of 2.5 million contracts was 20.1% above prior year levels.
- Total commodities products ADV of 67,000 contracts in November 2010 increased 51.9% compared to November 2009. Year-to-date, total commodities product ADV of 65,000 contracts was 35.9% above prior year levels.

# U.S. Derivatives

- NYSE Euronext U.S. equity options (NYSE Arca and NYSE Amex) ADV of 3.9 million contracts in November 2010 increased 28.5% compared to November 2009, but decreased 2.1% compared to October 2010. Year-to-date, U.S. equity options ADV of 3.7 million contracts was 42.3% above prior year levels.
- Total U.S. consolidated equity options ADV increased 28.9% to 15.7 million contracts in November 2010 compared to November 2009 and increased 3.0% compared to October 2010. Year-to-date, U.S. consolidated equity options ADV of 14.3 million contracts was 6.3% above prior year levels.
- NYSE Euronext's U.S. options exchanges accounted for 24.7% of the total U.S. consolidated equity options trading in November 2010 in-line with November 2009, but down from 25.9% in October 2010.
- NYSE Euronext U.S. futures and futures options (NYSE Liffe U.S.) ADV in November 2010 was approximately 19,000 contracts, compared to 22,200 contracts in November 2009. Year-to-date U.S. futures and futures options ADV was 16,500 contracts, a decrease of 6.2% compared to the prior year period.

### **Cash Trading**

European Cash

• NYSE Euronext European cash products ADV of 1.5 million transactions in November 2010 increased 16.6% compared to November 2009 and increased 6.9% compared to October 2010.

• Year-to-date, European cash products ADV of 1.5 million transactions was 6.4% above prior year levels.

# U.S. Cash

- NYSE Euronext U.S. cash products handled ADV in November 2010 decreased 4.8% to 2.3 billion shares compared to November 2009 and decreased 1.1% from October 2010.
- Year-to-date, U.S. cash products handled ADV was 2.7 billion shares, down 21.4% from prior year levels.
- NYSE Euronext's Tape A matched market share in November 2010 was 36.1%, down from 36.8% in November 2009, but up from 35.2% in October 2010.
- Designated Market Maker participation in NYSE-listed stocks in November 2010 was 9.1%, compared to 9.6% in October 2010 and 9.4% in September 2010. Supplemental Liquidity Provider participation in NYSE-listed stocks in November 2010 was 14.6%, compared to 15.4% in October 2010 and 12.4% in September 2010.

# Exchange Traded Products

 NYSE Euronext U.S. matched exchange-traded products ADV (included in volumes for Tape B and Tape C) of 315 million shares in November 2010 increased 1.3% compared to November 2009 and increased 4.3% compared to October 2010. Year-to-date, NYSE Euronext U.S. matched exchange-traded products ADV of 344 million shares was 25.0% below prior year levels.

Please <u>click here</u> for the Monthly Transaction Activity Data Table.

#### **About NYSE Euronext**

NYSE Euronext (NYX) is a leading global operator of financial markets and provider of innovative trading technologies. The company's exchanges in Europe and the United States trade equities, futures, options, fixed-income and exchange-traded products. With approximately 8,000 listed issues (excluding European Structured Products), NYSE Euronext's equities markets – the New York Stock Exchange, NYSE Euronext, NYSE Amex, NYSE Alternext and NYSE Arca – represent one-third of the world's equities trading, the most liquidity of any global exchange group. NYSE Euronext also operates NYSE Liffe, one of the leading European derivatives businesses and the world's second-largest derivatives business by value of trading. The company offers comprehensive commercial technology, connectivity and market data products and services through NYSE Technologies. NYSE Euronext is in the S&P 500 index, and is the only exchange operator in the S&P 100 index and Fortune 500. For more information, please visit: <a href="http://www.nyx.com">http://www.nyx.com</a>.

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# NYSE Euronext Monthly Volume Summary

	Average Daily Volume			Total Volume			Average Daily Volume		Total Volume	
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(Unaudited; contracts in thousands)	Nov-10	Nov-09	% Chg	Nov-10	Nov-09	% Chg	YTD 2010	YTD 2009	YTD 2010	YTD 2009
Number of Trading Days - European Markets Number of Trading Days - U.S. Markets	22 21	21 20		22 21	21 20		235 230		235 230	
European Derivatives Products of which Bclear	<b>4,373</b> 1,180	<b>4,306</b> 898	<b>1.6%</b> 31.4%	<b>96,199</b> 25,956	<b>90,419</b> 18,849	<b>6.4%</b> 37.7%	<b>4,879</b> 1,362	<b>18.0%</b> 34.7%	<b>1,146,599</b> 320,081	<b>18.5%</b> 35.2%
Total Fixed Income Products	2,006	2,319	-13.5%	44,137	48,696	-9.4%	2,356	15.4%	553,775	15.9%
Short Term Interest Rate Products	1,834	2,195	-16.4%	40,355	46,085	-12.4%	2,235	15.3%	525,222	15.8%
Medium and Long Term Interest Rate Products <sup>1</sup>	172	124	38.2%	3,781	2,612	44.8%	122	18.6%	28,553	19.1%
Total Equity Products <sup>2</sup>	2,299	1,942	18.4%	50,578	40,790	24.0%	2,458	20.1%	577,610	20.6%
Individual Equity Products Futures	1,747 1,015	1,331 630	31.3% 61.1%	38,437 22,338	27,951 13,238	37.5% 68.7%	1,850 1,159	29.5% 51.0%	434,838 272,451	30.0% 51.7%
Options	732	701	4.5%	16,099	14,713	9.4%	691	4.5%	162,388	4.9%
Equity Index Products	552	611	-9.7%	12,140	12,839	-5.4%	608	-1.6%	142,771	-1.2%
of which Bclear	1,180	898	31.4%	25,956	18,849	37.7%	1,362	34.7%	320,081	35.2%
Individual Equity Products Futures	1,100 1,008	751 630	46.4% 60.0%	24,199 22,173	15,780 13,226	53.3% 67.7%	1,268 1,155	44.3% 51.5%	297,925 271,340	44.9% 52.1%
Options	92	122	-24.3%	2,025	2,555	-20.7%	1,133	-2.9%	26,585	-2.5%
Equity Index Products	80	146	-45.3%	1,757	3,068	-42.7%	94	-29.0%	22,156	-28.7%
Commodity Products	67	44	51.9%	1,484	933	59.1%	65	35.9%	15,215	36.5%
U.S. Derivatives Products										
Equity Options <sup>3</sup>										
NYSE Euronext Options Contracts Total Consolidated Options Contracts	3,860 15,657	3,003 12,145	28.5% 28.9%	81,057 328,798	60,058 242,892	35.0% 35.4%	3,698 14,294	42.3% 6.3%	850,453 3,287,515	42.3% 6.3%
NYSE Group Share of Total	24.7%	24.7%	20.070	24.7%	24.7%	00.170	25.9%	6.6%	25.9%	6.6%
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Futures and Futures Options Volume	19.0	22.2	-14.6%	399	445	-10.3%	16.5	-6.2%	3,793.0	-6.2%
European Cash Products (trades in thousands)	1,541	1,321	16.6%	33,903	27,748	22.2%	1,485	6.4%	348,887	6.9%
Equities	1,473	1,262	16.7%	32,416	26,507	22.3%	1,425	6.7%	334,791	7.1%
Exchange-Traded Funds Structured Products	19 42	16 37	19.4% 14.0%	423 934	338 782	25.1% 19.5%	18 36	22.9% -6.8%	4,207 8,539	23.4% -6.4%
Bonds	6	6	2.1%	129	121	7.0%	6	1.1%	1,351	1.6%
U.S. Cash Products (shares in millions) <sup>5</sup>	2,339	2,458	-4.8%	49,129	49,165	-0.1%	2,652	-21.4%	610,000	-21.4%
NYSE Listed (Tape A) Issues <sup>4</sup>										
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup>	1,671	1,782	-6.2%	35,101	35,643	-1.5%	1,920	-21.9%	441,631	-21.9%
Matched Volume <sup>6</sup> Total NYSE Listed Consolidated Volume	1,583 4,391	1,641 4,463	-3.5% -1.6%	33,244 92,209	32,823 89,264	1.3% 3.3%	1,802 4,949	-19.4% -14.7%	414,476 1,138,298	-19.4% -14.7%
Share of Total Consolidated Volume	4,391	4,403	-1.076	92,209	09,204	3.370	4,949	-14.7 /0	1,130,290	-14.7 /0
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup>	38.1%	39.9%	-1.8%	38.1%	39.9%	-1.8%	38.8%	-3.6%	38.8%	-3.6%
Matched Volume <sup>6</sup>	36.1%	36.8%	-0.7%	36.1%	36.8%	-0.7%	36.4%	-2.1%	36.4%	-2.1%
NYSE Arca & Amex (Tape B) Listed Issues										
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup>	366	369	-0.8%	7,694	7,387	4.2%	397	-25.6%	91,214	-25.6%
Matched Volume <sup>6</sup> Total NYSE Arca & Amex Listed Consolidated Volume	332 1,357	325 1,481	1.9% -8.4%	6,963 28,496	6,506 29,620	7.0% -3.8%	356 1,494	-23.6% -23.6%	81,979 343,530	-23.6% -23.6%
Share of Total Consolidated Volume	,	,		,	,		•		•	
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup>	27.0%	24.9%	2.1%	27.0%	24.9%	2.1%	26.6%	-0.7%	26.6%	-0.7%
Matched Volume <sup>6</sup>	24.4%	22.0%	2.4%	24.4%	22.0%	2.4%	23.9%	0.0%	23.9%	0.0%
Nasdaq Listed (Tape C) Issues	200	007	4.70/	0.004	0.404	2.22/	225	44.00/	77.455	44.00/
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup> Matched Volume <sup>6</sup>	302 257	307 249	-1.7% 3.1%	6,334 5,394	6,134 4,984	3.3% 8.2%	335 283	-11.6% -8.5%	77,155 65,119	-11.6% -8.5%
Total Nasdaq Listed Consolidated Volume	1,984	1,982	0.1%	41,665	39,646	5.1%	2,240	-1.5%	515,282	-1.5%
Share of Total Consolidated Volume										
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup> Matched Volume <sup>6</sup>	15.2% 12.9%	15.5% 12.6%	-0.3% 0.3%	15.2% 12.9%	15.5% 12.6%	-0.3% 0.3%	15.0% 12.6%	-1.7% -1.0%	15.0% 12.6%	-1.7% -1.0%
Exchange-Traded Funds <sup>5,7</sup>	12.070	12.070	0.070	12.070	12.070	0.070	12.070	1.070	12.070	1.070
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup>	348	352	-0.9%	7,312	7 024	4.0%	382	-26.9%	87,900	-26.9%
Matched Volume  Matched Volume  6	348		-0.9% 1.3%	6,624	7,031 6,226	4.0% 6.4%	382 344	-26.9% -25.0%	79,144	-26.9% -25.0%
Total ETF Consolidated Volume	1,303		-10.6%	27,361	29,136	-6.1%	1,472	-25.3%	338,606	-25.3%
Share of Total Consolidated Volume	_		_	_		_	_		_	
Handled Volume <sup>5</sup> Matched Volume <sup>6</sup>	26.7% 24.2%		2.6% 2.8%	26.7% 24.2%	24.1% 21.4%	2.6% 2.8%	26.0% 23.4%	-0.6% 0.1%	26.0% 23.4%	-0.6% 0.1%
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<sup>1</sup> Data includes currency products.

 $<sup>{\</sup>small 2} \\ {\small Includes \ all \ trading \ activities \ for \ Bclear, \ NYSE \ Liffe's \ clearing \ service \ for \ wholesale \ derivatives.}$ 

<sup>3</sup> Includes trading in U.S. equity options contracts, not equity-index options.

<sup>4</sup> Includes all volume executed in NYSE Group crossing sessions.

<sup>5</sup> Represents the total number of shares of equity securities and ETFs internally matched on the NYSE Group's exchanges or routed to and executed at an external market center. NYSE Arca routing includes odd-lots.

 $<sup>^{6}</sup>$  Represents the total number of shares of equity securities and ETFs executed on the NYSE Group's exchanges.

 $<sup>^{7}\,</sup>$  Data included in previously identified categories.

Source: NYSE Euronext, Options Clearing Corporation and Consolidated Tape as reported for equity securities.

All trading activity is single-counted, except European cash trading which is double counted to include both buys and sells.