

PARIS NOTICE NO. 14/009

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LAUNCH OF THE BLOCK TRADE FACILITY FOR THE CAC40 INDEX FUTURES

ERRATUM: NOTICE NO. 14/008:

Tick size specified on p3 has been corrected to 0.5 index point (€5 per contract)
PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS NOTICE REPLACES NOTICE NO. 14/008 SENT 15 JULY 2014

Executive Summary

This Notice informs Members about the launch of the Block Trade Facility for the CAC40® Index Future Contracts, enabling market participants to trade large block sizes above 750 lots within the High/Low price range of the trading day

- 1. In response to market feedback, Euronext Paris will launch the Block Facility for the CAC40® Index Future Contracts, with effect as from Monday, 28 July 2014.
- 2. The launch will provide market participants a wholesale facility to trade large-in-scale transactions with the CAC40® Index Future under the rules of the Exchange.
- 3. Block trades are available only in Exchange Contracts as described under Euronext Trading Procedure 4.5. The minimum volume threshold of 750 lots applies to each leg of a strategy trade.
- 4. The Block Trade Facility trading hours (CET) and minimum volume threshold will be as follows:

Contract	Futures/ Options	Wholesale Facility	Normal day	Expiring Month	Minimum Volume Threshold
CAC40® Index	Futures	Block ("BLK")	08:00-22:00	08:00-16:00	750 lots

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For the complete contract specifications of the CAC 40 index future please refer to the Attachment to this Notice.

- 5. Please refer to Euronext Trading Procedure 4.5 for the complete rules of the Block Trade facility.
- 6. Annexe 3 of the Euronext Trading Procedures will be updated accordingly.
- 7. The minimum threshold for Guaranteed Cross Trades is unchanged at 500 lots.

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CAC 40® INDEX FUTURE CONTRACT

EXCHANGE	FCE
CONTRACT CODE	
CONTRACT SIZE	Contract valued at € 10 per index point (e.g. value € 41,000 at 4,100.0)
UNIT OF	10
TRADING	
PRICING UNIT/	Index points (e.g. 3,100.0)
QUOTATION	
MINIMUM PRICE	0.5 index point (€ 5 per contract)
MOVEMENT(TICK	
SIZE AND VALUE)	
EXPIRY MONTHS	1, 2, 3 monthly; 6 months quarterly (of the March, June, September, December cycle)
INTRODUCTION	New delivery months are available for trading on the first business day after the expiry of a
OF NEW	maturity
DELIVERIES	
WHOLESALE	Basis Trading; Block trade
SERVICE	
TRADING HOURS	Block Trade Facility: 08:00 – 22:00 CET (08:00 – 16:00 CET on the Last Trading Day)
	Central Order Book: 08:00 – 22:00 CET
	- Day session: 08:00 - 18:30: all trades will be cleared on the same day (T)
	- Evening session: 18:30 - 22:00¹: all trades will be cleared on the following business day
	(T+1)
MARKET	Paris
TRADING	UTP
PLATFORM	
ALGORITHM	Central order book applies a price-time trading algorithm with priority given to the first order
	at the best price
LAST TRADING	Trading ceases at 16:00 CET on the third Friday of the delivery month. In the event that the
DAY	third Friday is not a business day, the Last Trading Day shall normally be the last business day
	preceding the third Friday
SETTLEMENT	Cash Settlement based on the EDSP
SETTLEMENT	First business day after the Last Trading Day
DAY	
EXCHANGE	Price determined on the Last Trading Day. NYSE Euronext calculates the settlement index as
DELIVERY	the arithmetic mean of all index values calculated and disseminated between 15:40 and

 $^{^{1}}$ A client who does not wish his order to be executed in the evening session must stipulate this condition when placing the order with the intermediary

SETTLEMENT	16:00 CET, rounded to two decimal places. Such settlement index is taken, and rounded to
PRICE (EDSP)	one decimal place, to produce the closing settlement price ²
CLEARING	LCH.Clearnet S.A.
ORGANIZATION	

² Please refer to Paris Notice No. 2012–11 issued on 26 July 2012 which provides details of the procedures to be followed when determining the closing settlement price in case of special market circumstances.