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Financial Institutes

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Within XONTRO, the following modifications will be introduced:

**As of February 20<sup>th</sup> , 2006:**

- Correct balancing of the so called exchange rate differences
- Improved time display within the order history function

**As of March 6<sup>th</sup> , 2006:**

- Brokerage fee calculation switch over to WM fields
- „Dirty price“ mark

## 1. Correct balancing of the so called exchange rate differences

If, within both sides of a trade (typically the „closing“ of two „aufgabens“ (“pending trades”) against each other), not only different exchange prices, but also different exchange rates were found, the exchange rate differences were ignored up to now in certain cases. Along with the calculation as well as with the balancing of the price differences, one of either exchange rates (in the example below: the “buy” rate) was applied for both sides, thus rendering the difference (in the example below: -80 €).

Example:

	nominal amt.	exchange price	exchange rate	market value
<b>„true“ values</b>				
buy	1.000 \$	100 %	1,25	800 €
sell	1.000 \$	110 %	1,00	1.100 €
difference				- 300 €
<b>values calculated so far</b>				
buy	1.000 \$	100 %	1,25	800 €
sell	1.000 \$	110 %	1,25	880 €
difference				- 80 €

In the future, the correct difference will be calculated and balanced, i.e. the difference between both correctly calculated market values (in the example: -300 €). In addition, in the future even those cases will be taken into account where the exchange prices are identical and only the exchange rates are different.

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## 2. Improved time display within the order history function

Until now, within the order history function „BxHI OH“, the time stamps displayed there are only given with an hours and minutes resolution. In the future, however, if you use the “F5” function key, then not only the HINWEIS (“hint”) will be displayed using the long text version, but also the time stamp of the entries using a hundredth of a second accuracy.

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TRAN: BCHI FC: OH SB: #

XONTRO ORDER / ORDERHISTORIE 1 - VOLLANZEIGE 7001/99 BHF-BANK AG

KAUF      NSU DE0006757008 AUDI AG O.N.
DWZ-ORDERNUMMER: 0602015300001

TAG      ZEIT      STCK/NOM      LIMIT ZS   GUE      HINWEIS      KURS ZS
01.02. 11:56      1000,000    BILLIGST    28.02.06 AUSFUEHRUNG  342,0000 BZ
01.02. 11:55      1000,000    BILLIGST    28.02.06 E-N-SP-DGEF
01.02. 11:55      1000,000    BILLIGST    28.02.06 E-W-SPERRE

DRUCK: .

-- ID-KZ: 7001123456 -- PW: ----- B9998140 -- 03/02/06 -- 17:13:40 --
F3 END F4 ABBR F5 HILFE F6 MENU F10 RECHTS F11 ABMELD
BC0030I KEINE WEITEREN DATEN VORHANDEN
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TRAN: BCHI FC: OH SB: #

XONTRO ORDER / ORDERHISTORIE 1 - VOLLANZEIGE (H) 7001/99 BHF-BANK AG

KAUF      NSU DE0006757008 AUDI AG O.N.
DWZ-ORDERNUMMER: 0602015300001

TAG      ZEIT      HINWEIS
01.02. 11:56:1078  AUSFUEHRUNG
01.02. 11:55:4588  EINSTELLUNG NACH SPERRE DURCHGEFUEHRT
01.02. 11:55:2611  EINGANG WAEHREND SPERRE

DRUCK: .

-- ID-KZ: 7001123456 -- PW: ----- B9998140 -- 03/02/06 -- 17:14:57 --
F3 END F4 ABBR F5 ZURUECK F6 MENU F11 ABMELD
BC0030I KEINE WEITEREN DATEN VORHANDEN
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### 3. Brokerage fee calculation switch over to WM fields

Up to now, the brokerage fee, and especially the brokerage fee "class", as well as the so called "brokerage cap" including the ZERO brokerage, are calculated using the "Securities' Type", "Securities' Group", as well as several additional secondary fields/conditions from WM ("Wertpapier-Mitteilungen") by the corresponding XONTRO program routines. In the future, the brokerage fee "class" (DAX shares, remaining shares, federal bonds, remaining bonds based on their nominal or market value) will be determined according to their WM "GD/XD697" field values; the "brokerage cap" condition is read out from the WM "XD698" field. Using this calculation method, there will be no more calculation differences possible between XONTRO and WM in the future; in addition, future modifications will be much easier to handle. Besides, the adaptation to the new securities' classification already introduced by WM need not be followed by XONTRO with respect to the brokerage fee calculation.

The WM fields for listed values in XONTRO are displayed on the "WSS" dialog screens as follows:

TRAN: WSIS FC: BO SB: B#NSU##									
W S S ----- ANZEIGE STAMMDATEN BÖRSE ----- SEITE: 2 ---									
DE0006757008 NSU AUDI AG O.N. GS ST									
WKN 675700	BER	NAS	DUS	FRA	HAM	HAN	MUN		
MARKT	AMT.M		AMT.M	AM GS	AMT.M	FV	AMT.M	AMT.M	STU
-ZUSATZ									
EINH.NOT.	N	N	N	J	N	N	N	N	
-BETRAG				1					
-INKREMENT				VF					
VAR. NOT.	J	N	J	N	J	J	J	J	
-BETRAG	1		1		1	1	1	1	
-INKREMENT	VF		VF		VF	VF	VF	VF	
MAKLER	1188		4192	7826	3808	8877	2270	6183	
MAKLERGEB.	1A		1A	1A	1A		1A	1A	
COU.CAP					8			12	
STOP-LOSS/BUY	J	N	J	J	J	J	J	J	
BEG. Z.									
ENDE Z.									
L.H-TAG						30.12.04			
-- ID-KZ:	7999123456	-- PW:			GUELITIG AB 13.01.2006 BIS 9999999999				
					----- B9998141 -- 23/01/06 -- 15:17:39 --				
WS1100I WEITERE DATEN VORHANDEN: PF8									

The „brokerage class“ is given in the WSS field „MAKLERGEB.“ using the following keys:

Brokerage fee calculation		
Key	Brokerage percentage / „graduation class“	Calculation basis
1A	0.8 per mille	Market value
1B	0.4 per mille	Market value

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<b>Brokerage fee calculation</b>		
<b>Key</b>	<b>Brokerage percentage / „graduation class”</b>	<b>Calculation basis</b>
2B	Graduation class for bonds	Nominal value
2C	Graduation class for bonds	Market value
2D	Graduation class for federal bonds etc.	Nominal value
9	No brokerage calculation (“Franco Courtage”, “ZERO brokerage cap”)	

The numeric brokerage cap value (if > ZERO) is contained in the field „COU.CAP“.

For instruments not listed on any of the XONTRO exchanges, the entries given on the previous WSS screen (“SEITE: 1”) are valid:

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TRAN: WSIS FC: BO SB: B#NSU##

W S S ----- ANZEIGE STAMMDATEN BÖRSE ----- SEITE: 1 ---
DE0006757008 NSU AUDI AG O.N. GS ST
WKN 675700
VERWAHRMÖGL./ART GIROSAMMELVERW. COURTAGE-KLASSE Aktien o.DAX-30-Wert
EINHEIT NOTIZ ST INDEX-KENNZEICHEN
DEPOTWÄHRUNG EO ZULASSUNG/STATUS DATUM
ABRECHNUNGS-WRG EUR BER TAG 1. NOTIERUNG 16.08.1993
BÖGA-ABRECHNUNGS-WRG EUR NAS
ERSATZPARITÄT DUS TAG 1. NOTIERUNG 03.05.1993
KL.ÜBERTR.EINHEIT 1 FRA TAG 1. NOTIERUNG 02.11.1992
NENN.W.ZUM STÜCK HAM TAG 1. NOTIERUNG 01.07.1993
NENNWERTLOSE STÜCKAKTIEN HAN EINST.NOT/ZUL.ERLOSC
-KENNZEICHEN OHNE NENNWERT MUN TAG 1. NOTIERUNG 19.07.1993
-RECHN. NENNWERT 2,56 STU TAG 1. NOTIERUNG 02.08.1993
-EMITT. STÜCKZAHL 17400000 XETRA TAG 1. NOTIERUNG 12.10.1998
CCP AB/BIS 10.04.2003 /
SEGMENTIERUNG HEIMAT-/AUSLANDSBÖRSE EDS
WARRANT-CATEGORY BÖGA FREIGEGEBEN AB 04.12.1992
INH/NAMENSPAPIER INHABERPAPIER GÜLTIG AB 13.01.2006 BIS 9999999999
-- ID-KZ: 7999123456 -- PW: ----- B9998141 -- 23/01/06 -- 15:24:03 --
WS1100I WEITERE DATEN VORHANDEN: PF8
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With the exception of the value „9“, the brokerage class is identical on Page 1 and Page 2 of the WSS screens and for all exchange locations. Deviations from this rule are technically possible, albeit not foreseen at present.

This switch will only result in one functional modification: Up to now, the “brokerage cap” was ignored in connection with so called “bank direct (OTC) trades”. In the future, the brokerage cap will be applied in these cases, too.

#### **4. „Dirty price“ mark**

As of January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2006, WM („Wertpapier-Mitteilungen“) has introduced the following new keys for field „GD311“ (Specialties along with interest resp. divident payments):

- V      interest rate variable and x-flat
- W      x-flat, additional interests possible
- X      x-flat

Along with these marks, not only will the accrued interest calculation be suspended in XONTRO, but beyond that any correction of the market value based on indexed coefficients, pool factors, or any other factors will not be performed (“dirty price”). The mark may be set along with insufficient base data delivery by the instrument issuer, or, if the instrument demands calculations that are not available for XONTRO. This last instance is true for the so called “Argentina Bonds”, i.e. for bonds with “cash paid interest” and “capitalization interest”.

The mark will be introduced beginning March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2006. In a first step, the instruments identified by their WKNs: A0DUDE, A0DUDF, A0DUDG, A0DUDH, and A0D27J will be affected.