

### Support pages

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- EurexOTC Clear Release 11.3 dedicated initiative page under the following link:
   www.eurex.com/ec-en Support > Initiatives & Releases > EurexOTC Clear Releases >
   EurexOTC Clear Release 11.3
- EurexOTC Clear Release 12.0 dedicated initiative page under the following link:
   www.eurex.com/ec-en Support > Initiatives & Releases > EurexOTC Clear Releases >
   EurexOTC Clear Release 12.0

### **Agenda**

- 1 Eurex Clearing release roadmap
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- 3 EONIA to €STR conversion
- Transition of CHF, GBP and JPY Libor references to RfR
- 5 Netting enhancements

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### **Eurex OTC Clear Roadmap 2021 and 2022 Q1-Q2**



\*For further details on key dates for OTC, please have a look at slide 32



## 2021 ISDA Definitions

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### Background: Eurex Clearing's offering for OTC transactions

- Background: At the inclusion of a bilateral OTC transaction into clearing by Eurex Clearing by way of novation, the Clearing Conditions (or FCM Regulations) apply to the cleared transaction. For cleared OTC IRD/XCCY transactions, the Clearing Conditions (and FCM Regulations) aim in principle to mirror the market standard set by ISDA to the extent feasible, in the context of cleared transactions, to align with the non-cleared OTC environment. Hence, the provisions of the Clearing Conditions (and FCM Regulations) for OTC IRD/XCCY transactions are currently broadly based on the 2006 ISDA Definitions.
- As announced in <u>circular 074/21</u>, Eurex Clearing plans to support clearing of bilateral OTC IRD/XCCY transactions that are concluded based on the 2021 ISDA Definitions as of 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021. Clearing of bilateral OTC IRD/XCCY transactions referencing the 2006 ISDA Definitions (as well as other master agreements such as the German Master Agreement) will be continued.

### 2021 ISDA Definitions: Eurex Clearing's Implementation

- Eurex Clearing plans to support clearing of bilateral OTC IRD/XCCY transactions that are concluded based on the 2021 ISDA Definitions as of 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021.
- Clearing of bilateral OTC IRD/XCCY transactions referencing the 2006 ISDA Definitions (as well as other master agreements such as the German Master Agreement) will be continued.
- Eurex Clearing will maintain fungibility of cleared transactions, irrespective of whether they are submitted based on 2000 ISDA Definitions, 2006 ISDA Definitions, 2021 ISDA Definitions, the German Master Agreement or other contractual definitions.
- The **Clearing Conditions** (and FCM Regulations) **will be updated** to account for the changes introduced by the 2021 ISDA Definitions to the extent relevant for Eurex Clearing and feasible in the context of cleared transactions.
- Floating Rate Options (FRO) labels: Eurex Clearing will support both 2006 ISDA-based FRO labels as well as 2021 ISDA-based FRO labels to facilitate the transition phase for the Clearing Members.
- Eurex Clearing will not update the FRO labels of cleared legacy transactions to 2021 ISDA Definitions-based FRO labels at this stage.
- Eurex Clearing will **not change the current FpML version/structure**, but will simply show the "new" values (ISDA2021-based + new FRO labels) for transactions that reference the ISDA 2021 Definitions in the broadcast messages and reports.
- Period End Date/Termination Date adjustments for **Unscheduled Holidays** (as used Section 2.3.6 of the 2021 ISDA Definitions) will not be supported and will be discarded if specified in a Trade Record transmitted to Eurex Clearing. It is however clarified that, if the application of the Mod Following/Preceding Business Day Convention led to a day in the past for any payment date (due to a short holiday announcement period), the respective payment obligation is instead moved to the next good business day.

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### **EONIA Transition at Eurex Clearing**

#### **Key elements of the EONIA/€STR conversion**

- ☐ **Timeline**: Friday 15 October / the following weekend (aligned across cleared markets)
- ☐ Two dress rehearsals around 17 Aug 2021 and 31 Aug 2021 already completed with indicative conversion reports already available in Production
- Economics of replacement trade: conversion to €STR flat (no added spread), preservation of fixed leg
- ☐ Legal treatment: "Trade Amendment"
- □ Operation processing: Cancel (termination) and rebook (replacement) via a post trade event "RateIndexConversion" on Saturday 16 October

- Cash compensation: booked as an upfront fee on the €STR replacement trade with settlement Tuesday 19 October 2021, net with all other EUR settlements on that day, calculated as-of Conversion Friday EOD
- □ Trades in scope: all EONIA referencing OIS or basis swaps that are live on the date of conversion
- ☐ Contractual definitions of original trade preserved
- Netting Sync with MarkitWire on Saturday 16 October
- No conversion or booking fees apply
- ☐ Clearing eligibility cut-off date: SOD Monday 18 October 2021 no EONIA-referencing trades will be accepted for clearing

### **EONIA Transition at Eurex Clearing**

#### **Overview of conversion process**

Time	Process step
Friday SOD	Disallow any PTEs for all EUR denominated trades until Tuesday SOD
Friday EOD	Snap EOD market data (€STR OIS quotes, EURIBOR par swap quotes) to be used for curve constructions.
	Run the current EOD process for valuations, i.e. the Friday EOD batch using EONIA coupons. Use the conversion transparency
	report CC350 per Friday EOD to fix the compensation fees on a trade level
Saturday	Terminate all OTCClear trades referencing EONIA via a PTE RateIndexConversion. Create an €STR replacement trade for each
	EONIA trade. Attach an (upfront) compensation fee to each €STR trade with settlement for the fee Tuesday SOD
	Synchronize all terminated and new trades with MarkitWire via a Netting Synchronisation
	Generate one-off reports CC350, CD200, CB201 and CB202 (with a timestamp Saturday 16 October 2021)
Monday SOD	Disallow Netting
	Run margining and valuation processes using the new €STR trades
Tuesday SOD	Settle the compensation fees at the same time and via the same process all EUR based payments are handled
	Allow PTEs of EUR denominated trades and Netting

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### **EONIA Transition at Eurex Clearing**

#### Conversion transparency reports offered for EONIA to €STR conversion

ID	Report name	Publication dates	File Delivery /Format	Description
CB201	Trade Daily Summary Report	Conversion Saturday 16 October 2021	Common Report Engine / xml	Terminated & newly created from conversion only trades
CB202	Trade Inventory Report	Conversion Saturday 16 October 2021	Common Report Engine / xml	Terminated & newly created from conversion trades plus all other active trades unaffected by the conversion
CC350	Trade Conversion Transparency Report	Daily (bus) EOD, final report conversion Saturday 16 October 2021	Common Report Engine / csv	The report shows NPV change and cash compensation on a trade level. The final report on conversion Saturday will contain the TradeIDs and UTIs of the replacement trade.  The report is available Production since 23 August 2021
CD200	Cash Forecast Report for OTC IRS	Conversion Saturday 16 October 2021	Common Report Engine / xml	The report will include only the mandatory cash compensation fee
CC333	IRS Zero Rate Sensitivity Shadow Report	Daily (bus) EOD until Friday 15 October	Common Report Engine / csv	The report displays the zero-rate sensitivity of the replacement trades split into maturity buckets
				The report will be available in Production since 23 August 2021

#### FAQ on Common Report Engine (CRE):

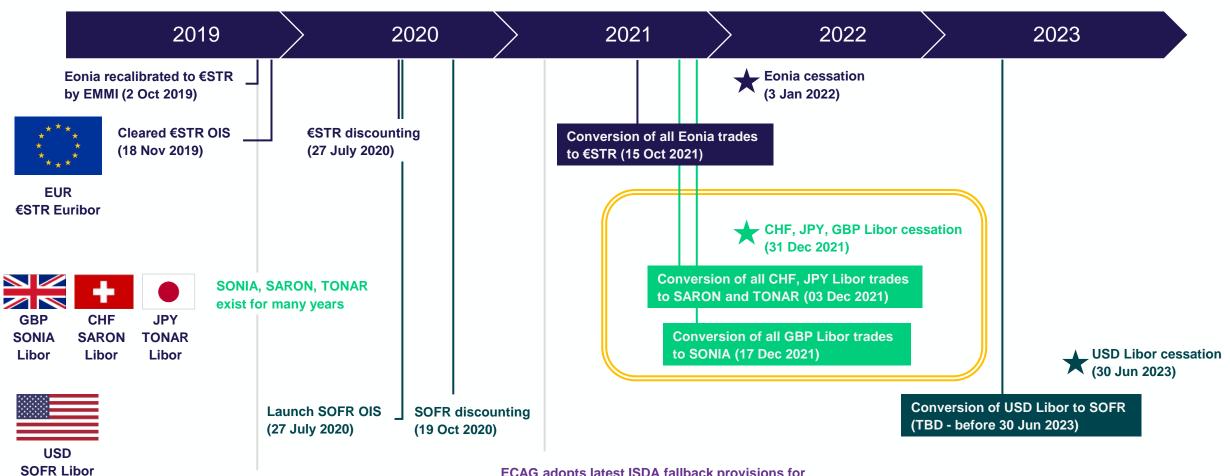
- For queries about report availability, access or report paths, members should contact <a href="mailto:cts@deutsche-boerse.com">cts@deutsche-boerse.com</a>
- CRE info on Eurex Clearing website: <a href="https://www.eurex.com/clearing-en/transaction-management/reporting">https://www.eurex.com/clearing-en/transaction-management/reporting</a>
- CRE User Guide: <a href="https://www.eurex.com/resource/blob/240008/3c18ef9b8d687f3a04696b8c6a5a7b0f/data/Common\_Report\_Engine\_User\_Guide\_V68.pdf">https://www.eurex.com/resource/blob/240008/3c18ef9b8d687f3a04696b8c6a5a7b0f/data/Common\_Report\_Engine\_User\_Guide\_V68.pdf</a>



### **Benchmark and IBOR milestones**

ECAG includes general fallback provisions for

all benchmarks (Oct 2019) - BMR compliant



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ECAG adopts latest ISDA fallback provisions for IBOR trades (25 Jan 2021) – BMR compliant

ISDA IBOR fallbacks included in bilateral documentation (new trades) (25 Jan 2021)

#### **Key elements of the Libor conversion**

- ☐ Timeline (aligned across cleared markets):
  - ✓ CHF and JPY Libor: 3 December / the following weekend
  - ✓ GBP Libor: 17 December / following weekend
- Two dress rehearsals around 19 October 2021 and 09 November 2021 for all three currencies planned
- Trades in scope: all Libor referencing IRS or basis swaps in CHF, JPY and GBP trades requiring a reset after index cessation effective date
- ☐ Out of scope trades:
  - ✓ Libor referencing trades in CHF, JPY and GBP with final reset before index cessation
  - ✓ FRAs: Eurex Clearing ceased clearing FRAs in May 2021
  - ✓ OTC trades in other currencies

- Economics of the replacement RfR swap
  - ✓ Spread adjustment: ISDA fixed spread adjustment on floating leg (no rounding)
  - ✓ Observation period: No shift (vs. observation period shift for ISDA fallbacks)
  - ✓ Payment date offset: Payment lag on floating leg where applicable (2D for CHF/JPY, 0D for GBP), no payment lag on fixed leg
  - ✓ Libor fixing: wherever necessary, Eurex Clearing will book up to two overlay swaps additional to the RfR replacement swap (3 swaps in total) in order to preserve Libor fixings ahead of index cessation
- □ Pricing in line with ISDA fallbacks introduced with Release12.0 and used for calculating compensation fees
- ☐ Contractual definitions of original trade preserved

#### **Key elements of the Libor conversion (cont'd)**

- ☐ Legal treatment: "Trade Amendment"
- □ Operation processing: Cancel (termination) and rebook (replacement) via post trade event "LiborConversion" on Conversion Saturday
- □ Cash compensation for a PV difference to today mitigated by adding a compensation fee attached as an upfront fee (or termination fee if no replacement trade) to the full maturity RfR OIS replacement swap / shorten maturity basis swap with settlement:
  - ✓ CHF: Tuesday 7 December
  - ✓ JPY: Wednesday 8 December
  - ✓ GBP: Tuesday 21 December
- Value Transfer and compensation fees: calculated asof Conversion Friday EOD

- Netting Sync with MarkitWire on Saturday
- ☐ Clearing eligibility cut-off dates:
  - ✓ SOD Monday 06 December 2021: CHF and JPY Liborreferencing trades
  - ✓ SOD Monday 20 December 2021: GBP Libor-referencing trades
- ☐ Indicative **conversion reports** available in Production daily from 18 October (in Simulation from 01 September)
- No forced pre-compression, conversion or booking fees apply

#### **Trade Scenarios**

Forward start IRS Swap (first reset after index	Single replacement trade: Full maturity replacement RfR OIS with cash compensation attached as upfront fee,
cessation effective date)	no overlay swaps
Fixed Float IRS	Three replacement trades:
(Non-compounded)	Full maturity RfR OIS, with cash compensation attached as upfront fee
	2. Shortened maturity* RfR OIS with mirrored fixed leg to the shortened maturity Libor IRS (trade 3) 3. Shortened maturity* Libor IRS
	*For trades 2 and 3, the swap Maturity Date will be the end of the last Libor floating coupon that fixes before index cessation effective date and both trades will have 0% fixed coupon
2: Fixed Float IRS	Three replacement trades:
(Compounded, Zero coupon)	Full maturity RfR OIS, with cash compensation attached as upfront fee
	Shortened maturity* RfR OIS with mirrored fixed leg to the shortened maturity Libor IRS (trade 3)     Shortened maturity* Libor IRS
	*For trades 2 and 3, the swap Maturity Date will be the end of the last Libor floating coupon that fixes before index cessation effective date and both trades will have 0% fixed coupon
	If a compounding period requires Libor fixing post index cessation effective date, this entire period will be replaced in the full maturity RfR OIS trade with compounded RfR + spread adjustment. For compounding with a zero coupon pay frequency, the replacement trade compounds over the whole calculation period. Currently, Eurex Clearing has no open interest in such type of trades.
3: Basis Swap	Single replacement trade: Shortened maturity Libor basis swap, with cash compensation attached as upfront
Non-compounded	fee. Each floating leg will have its final cash flow at the end of the last respective Libor floating coupon that fixes before index cessation effective date.
4: Basis Swap comp. / having stubs / Forward start	Terminate with termination fee and no replacement trade
with first reset after index cessation effective date	
5: FRA	N\A

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#### Conversion transparency reports offered for Libor to RfR conversions

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CB201	Trade Daily Summary Report	Conversion Saturday (4 Dec. / resp. 18 Dec.)	Common Report Engine / xml	Terminated & newly created from conversion only trades
CB202	Trade Inventory Report	Conversion Saturday (4 Dec. / resp. 18 Dec.)	Common Report Engine / xml	Terminated & newly created from conversion trades plus all other active trades unaffected by the conversion
CC350	Trade Conversion Transparency Report	Daily (bus) EOD and one- off versions on Conversion Saturdays	Common Report Engine / csv	The report shows NPV change and cash compensation on a trade level. A one-off version on a conversion Saturday will contain the TradeIDs and UTIs of the replacement trade(s).  The report will be available from 18 October 2021.
CB301	Trade Daily Summary Shadow Report	Daily (bus) EOD	Common Report Engine / xml	Contains all trades that have been created as replacement trades of original LIBOR trades as if the date of the creation of the report is the conversion date.  The report will be available from 18 October 2021.
CD200	Cash Forecast Report for OTC IRS	Conversion Saturday (4 Dec. / resp. 18 Dec.)	Common Report Engine / xml	Includes only the mandatory cash compensation fees.
CC333	IRS Zero Rate Sensitivity Shadow Report	Daily (bus) EOD	Common Report Engine / csv	Displays the zero-rate sensitivity of the replacement trades split into maturity buckets
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### **Netting Enhancements: Summary**

#### Enhancement I (Rate Blending)

- Current
  - Only possible to blend two different fixed rate trades per netting run
  - Longer time required for compressing the portfolio
- Enhancement
  - Remove restriction of two fixed rates per cycle
  - All nettable trades are blended together in one cycle
  - Blending run only breaks in case of exceptions

#### Enhancement II (Reporting)

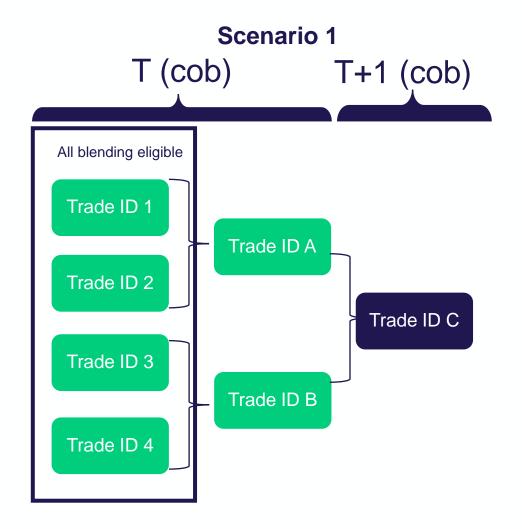
- New simplified CSV Netting Portfolio Forecast Report
- Netting Reports will be made available multiple times intraday – 10:00, 14:00 and 18:00 in addition to existing 21:00 report
- Introduction of preNettingID which will also be available in the OTC Clear GUI on trade level

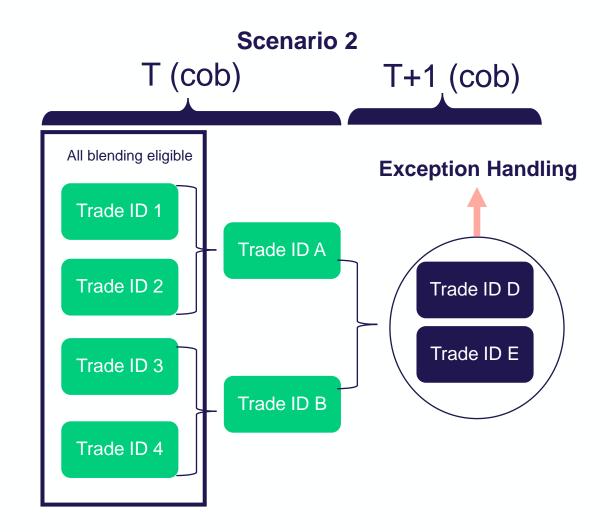
#### Enhancement III (OTC Clear GUI)

- Members can run adhoc check on their cleared trades
- Realtime outcome of results
- Upfront analysis as to why a set of trades do not net
- Netting results downloadable
- Netting string assignment enhanced
- Apply strings to multiple trades at once
- Assign system generated netting strings



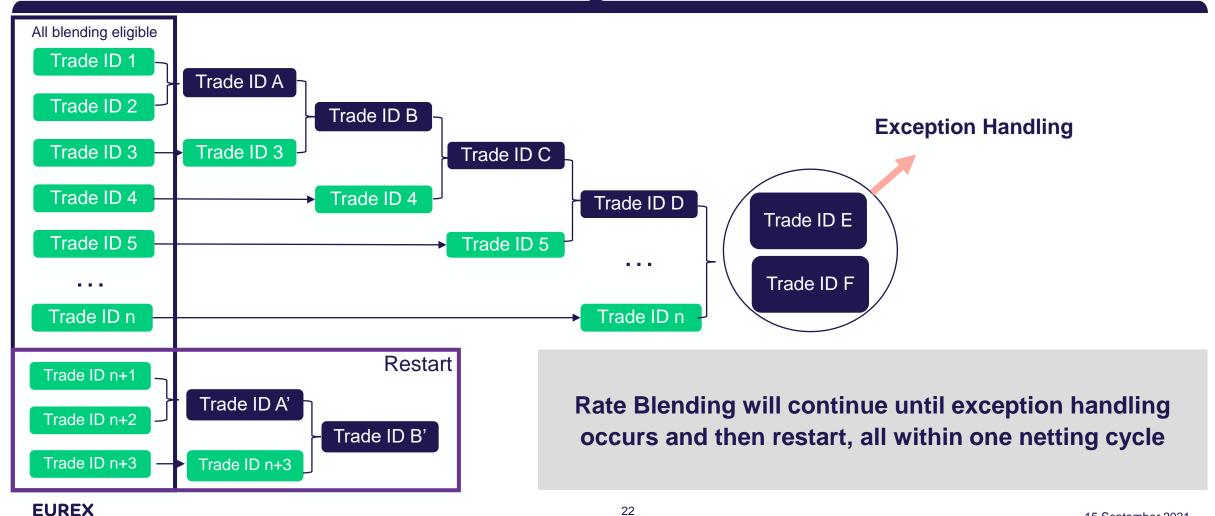
### Netting Enhancements: Rate Blending – Status Quo





### Netting Enhancement: Rate Blending - Envisaged

One Cycle



### Netting Enhancement: Rate Blending – Exception Handling

If two blending eligible trades cannot be blended into one trade. Overall notional will still be reduced, but number of line items stays the same.

Min Notional: 100 (excl. JPY)

Min Fixed Rate: +/- 20%

Allowed Cash Flow Deviation: 1

#### Case 2: Fixed Rate too high

- Blended Swap has higher coupon than admissible
- **→** Exception Handling Algorithm

Туре	Notional	Rate
Fixed Payer	15 Mio.	4%
Fixed Receiver	14 Mio.	1%
Fixed Payer	1 Mio.	46 %

#### Case 1: Inadmissible Fixed Rate

- Blended Fixed Rate has too many fractional digits
- → Rate Split Algorithm

Туре	Notional	Rate
Fixed Payer	11 Mio.	3 %
Fixed Receiver	2 Mio.	1 %
Fixed Payer	9 Mio.	3.444444 %

#### Case 3: Notional too small

- Notional of blended swap is too small
- **→** Exception Handling Algorithm

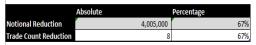
Туре	Notional	Rate
Fixed Payer	11 Mio.	3%
Fixed Receiver	10,97 Mio.	2.97%
Fixed Payer	30,000	13.97 %



### **Netting Enhancement – New Simplified Netting Forecast** Report in CSV (Processed)

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Trades 1315280 and 1315283 are accumulated at level 2. Result is intermediate trade id -10 Trades 1315272 and 1315276 are netted at level 1. Result is intermediate trade id -5 Trades -5 and -10 are blended at level 3. Final Result is Remnant trade id -11



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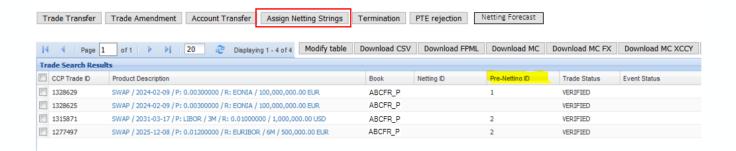
### **Netting Enhancement: Netting String Assignment**

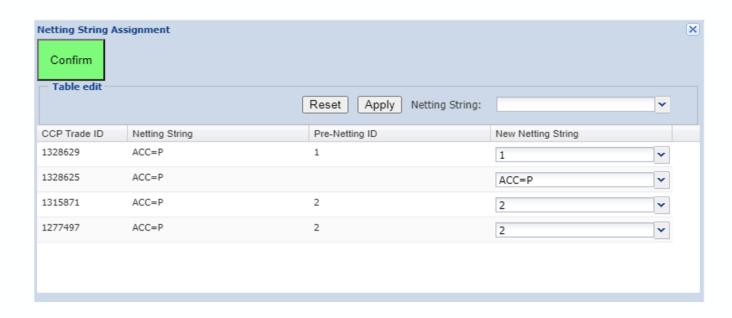
Possibility to select one or multiple trades with or without pre-netting IDs in the Trade Search Results table for netting string assignment

Netting String field is modifiable. It is prefilled with the Pre-Netting ID from the most recent forecast run or, if available, with the current netting string

In the table edit section, a new netting string can be entered or selected from the drop-down list

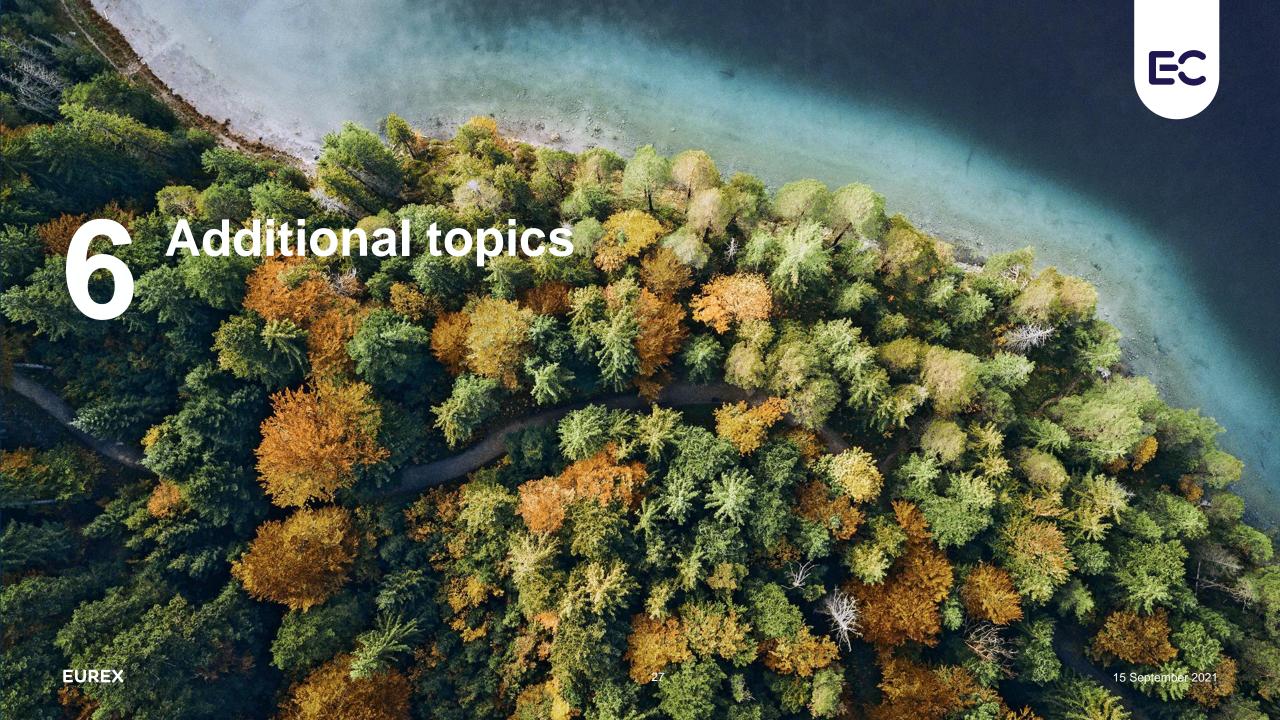
Netting string can be assigned to all trades at once





### **Netting Enhancement: Netting Forecast Functionality**

The new Netting Forecast window allows Bilateral Trades Cleared Trades Netting File Upload Portfolio Transfer Overview the user to simulate netting runs for the selected trades. Netting Forecast Netting Parameters CSV File Upload Trades can be submitted via Cleared Browse... Trades tab or via CSV File Upload C:\fakepath\NettingStrings\_20210226.csv,116 bytes Create Netting Forecast Template There is no limit to the number of trades. Filter Netting Results Forecast View which can be processed with the netting Trade ID: Comparison View ABCFR P forecast requests Clear Netting Result: Nettable Filter Download View Download Full Results Compare Selection Assign Netting Strings Forecast view displays the most relevant Page 1 100 Displaying 1 - 100 of 996 columns of the forecast results. Netting Forecast Results CCP Trade ID Book Forecast Netting ID Netting String Netting Result Netting Type Max Netting Level Description Nettable Full ABCFR P 8 ABCFR P 1 Nettable Full Comparison view shows all trades with 1 Nettable Full ABCFR P different netting parameter columns. 10 Nettable Full ABCFR P **11** Nettable Full ABCFR P 1



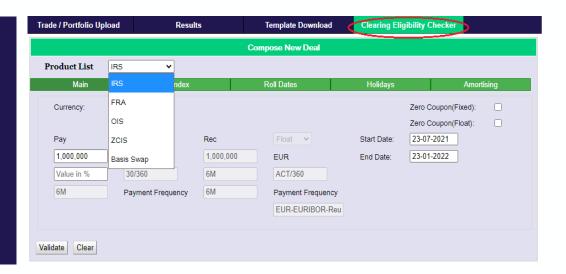
### Clearing Eligibility Checker



The Clearing Eligibility Checker is a GUI tool to allow members to validate the trade economics according to the trade loading eligibility criteria defined by Eurex OTC Clear Service for the OTC products.

#### Following subproducts are supported:

- IRS (Interest Rate Swap)
- FRA (Forward Rate Agreement)
- OIS (Overnight Index Swap)
- ZCIS (Zero Coupon Inflation Swap)
- Basis Swap



### **Functional Changes relevant for OTC IRS**

#### **TriOptima - Client Compression**



Multilateral Risk-constrained Client Compression including of end clients into existing compression cycles for EurexOTC Clear Members will be introduced. This enhancement will allow Clearing Member to include client accounts alongside with house accounts. With OTC Release 12.0, technical readiness of TriOptima client compression will be achieved. Service go-live of the functionality will be announced before the relevant TriOptima compression cycle.

#### **Changes in the Product Scope**

Starting from Monday 6 December 2021 and respectively Monday 20 December 2021, OTCClear trades referencing Floating Rate Options as mentioned in the table below, will no longer be eligible for clearing.



Floating Rate Options	No longer clearing eligible starting from
CHF-LIBOR-BBA	6 December 2021
JPY-LIBOR-BBA	6 December 2021
GBP-LIBOR-BBA	20 December 2021



### Other GUI Changes





#### **Download Buttons are replaced by a Download Window**

In the Cleared and Bilateral Trades windows the existing download buttons will be replaced by a single download button which gives access to the new Download window. The existing download functions are displayed in a list from which the user may select an option for download. Further a new option to download FpML information in CSV format will be introduced.



#### **Enhancement of the PTE Authorization Process**

The PTE authorization process on the Cleared Trades window will be enhanced. Up to 100 trades can be selected and displayed in the corresponding PTE authorization window. The selected trades can be authorized in one go.

### Report Changes\*



### Additional Cl201 report for portfolio transfer trades

 New tag "Portfoliold" is visible in the Cl201 Intraday Trade Daily Summary Report which is generated after a successful portfolio transfer.



#### **TriOptima – Client Compression**

- Changes in the CB204
   Compression Fee Breakdown
   Report will be implemented.
- "PTE" field will have new value
  "Compression" in reports: CB200,
  CB201, CB202, CI280, CI205,
  CC205, CI206, CI207,
  CC207,CI203, CC203, CD200

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#### **Bunched Order Identifier**

- The new element bunched order identifier will be visible in the following member reports: Trade Novation Reports (CI200/CB200), Trade Daily Summary Reports
- CI201/CB201 and Full Inventory reports CB202/CB207. The element will be displayed with the xml tag "bunchedOrderId".

<sup>\*</sup>For further details please refer to the **EurexOTC Report Manual for OTC Release 12.0**, which has been published in the Member Section.

### **Summary: Upcoming Key OTC dates in 2021**

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Starting to accept For transactions CHF and JPY LIBOR Production switch of transactions for clearing referencing CHF, GBP executed over 3 December OTC Release 12.0 EONIA/€STR (OTC with ISDA 2021 and JPY LIBOR to risk- GBP LIBOR executed over Release 11.3) **Definitions** free rates (RfR) 17 December 1. 19 - 21 Oct **22 Nov** 4 Oct **18 Oct** 3 Dec and 17 Dec 2. 9 - 11 Nov **Dress-rehearsal of** Single-Step Conversion CHF, JPY and GBP Implementation of Service go-live date of with Cash Compensation OTC Release 12.0 LIBORs conversion **CHF, JPY and GBP ISDA 2021** to €STR-flat LIBORs conversion **Definitions** 

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# 7 Q & A





### **FAQs**

#### **Access to referred reports and Simulation environment**

How can a client access the OTC GUI (Simu)?

- Members should request access via their dedicated Key Account Manager or address <u>client.services@eurex.com</u>.
- The key account manager can also provide an overview of which persons within the member entity already have access.
- OTC GUI password reset queries should be addressed to <u>clearingdata@eurex.com</u>

How can a member access the reports addressed in the EONIA, and CHF, JPY and GBP LIBORs conversion operational manual?

- Reports are available on the Common Report Engine
- For queries about report availability, access or report paths, members should contact <a href="mailto:cts@deutsche-boerse.com">cts@deutsche-boerse.com</a>

How can a member upload trades to the UAT environment?

- Eurex Clearing cannot upload trades on behalf of a member into the UAT environment or mirror the production trades.
- Members can submit trades as usual using any of the approved trade sources e.g. MarkitWire, Bloomberg or Tradeweb.
- MarkitWire has a bulk upload functionality where multiple trades can be sent for clearing. Members are encouraged to contact MarkitWire directly about how to use this functionality.

Do members need to provide the open positions that will be used for the dress rehearsal?

Yes, all open CHF, JPY and GBP positions referencing CHF, JPY and GBP LIBORs at the time of the switch in the UAT environment will be considered.

How to register for Member section and find relevant booklets for the conversion?

Members can register for access to the member section on <a href="https://membersection.deutsche-boerse.com/">https://membersection.deutsche-boerse.com/</a>. The most recent versions of our manuals and other documents can be found here.

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- The document "Eurex Clearing Libor Trade Conversion Booklet" is available <u>here</u>.
- The document "Eurex Clearing EONIA Trade Conversion Booklet" is available here.

### Implementation Details of 2021 ISDA Definitions 1/3

**Clearing of new Trades** 

Pre-Novated Trade	Novated Trade
ISDA 2006 + Legacy FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters"	ISDA2006-based and Legacy FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters"
ISDA 2006 + New FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR"	ISDA2021-based and New FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR"
ISDA 2021 + New FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR"	ISDA2021-based and New FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR"
ISDA 2021 + Legacy FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters"	ISDA2021-based and New FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR"

Treatment of
Master Agreements &
Contractual Definitions
for novated
trades

- The FRO label is based on the value of the Contractual Definitions of the novated trade.
- If the Contractual Definitions are "ISDA2021-based", then the new FRO label (e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR") will be used.
- If the Contractual Definitions are "ISDA2006-based", then the old FRO label (e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters") will be used.

"Contractual Definitions" of prenovated trade	"Master Agreement" of prenovated trade	"Contractual Definitions" of novated trade	"Master Agreement" of novated trade
ISDA2021 or ISDA2000	any value other than DRV or DERV	ISDA2021-based	
ISDA2000, ISDA2006 or ISDA2021	DRV or DERV	DRV-based	ECAG_CC*
ISDA2006, ISDA2006Inflation or ISDA2008Inflation	any value other than DRV or DERV	ISDA2006-based	

<sup>\*</sup> Once bilateral trades are novated, the Master Agreement of the cleared trade is always populated with the term "ECAG\_CC" to reflect the validity of the Eurex Clearing Conditions regardless of the value in field "Master Agreement" of the bilateral (prenovated) trade.

### Implementation Details of 2021 ISDA Definitions 2/3

#### **Portfolio Compression**

#### **Post Trade Events**

e.g. Trade Transfer, Account Transfer, Portfolio Transfer Remnant/new trade will have the Contractual Definitions and FRO of the original trade.

Original Trade	Remnant/New Trade
ISDA2006-based + Legacy FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters"	ISDA2006-based and Legacy FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters"
ISDA2021-based + New FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR"	ISDA2021-based and New FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR"

#### **Reports**

- FRO label is populated in the FpML tag "floatingRateIndex" of broadcast messages and reports\*.
- No changes to field names or report structure.
- FRO label is based on the value of the Contractual Definitions of the novated trade.

**Broadcast Messages** 

Contractual Definitions	FRO label
If Contractual Definitions are "ISDA2021-based"	new FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR" will be populated
If Contractual Definitions are "ISDA2006-based"	old FRO e.g. "EUR-EURIBOR-Reuters" will continue to be populated

<sup>\*</sup> Reports including FpML trade details: CB202/CB207, CD202, CD203, CD204, CI200/CB200, CI201/CB201, CI205/CC205, CI206, CI207/CC207. Please see Appendix for more details.

### Implementation Details of 2021 ISDA Definitions 3/3

Netting and Accumulation

- FRO label is based on the value of the Contractual Definitions of the new/remnant trade.
- New trade will have the Contractual Definitions based on the following logic:

#### Netting Level 1 (Basic) & 2 (Fee)

#### Scenario 1: 2 gross trades are netted

- The field "Contractual Definitions" of the new trade is always populated with the value of the field "Contractual Definitions" of the gross trade with the bigger notional.
- However, if one of the gross trades has "ISDA2021-based" as "Contractual Definitions", then the field "Contractual Definitions" of the new trade is always filled with "ISDA2021-based".

#### Scenario 2: More than 2 gross trades are netted

- If all gross trades have the same value in field "Contractual Definitions", then the new trade will have this value as well (e.g. "ISDA2021-based", "ISDA2006-based" or "DRV-based").
- If one of the gross trades has "ISDA2021-based" as "Contractual Definitions", then the field "Contractual Definitions" of the new trade is always filled with "ISDA2021-based".
- If the gross trades only reference to "ISDA2006-based and "DRV-based" in the "Contractual Definitions", then the field "Contractual Definitions" of the new trade is always filled with "ISDA2006-based".

#### Netting Level 3 (Rate Blending) and Accumulation Level 1-3\*

- If all gross trades have the same value in field "Contractual Definitions", then the new trade will have this value as well (e.g. "ISDA2021-based", "ISDA2006-based" or "DRV-based").
- If one of the gross trades has "ISDA2021-based" as "Contractual Definitions", then the field "Contractual Definitions" of the new trade is always filled with "ISDA2021-based.
- If the gross trades only reference to "ISDA2006-based and "DRV-based", then the field "Contractual Definitions" of the new trade is always filled with "ISDA2006-based".

\* Unlike Netting Level 1 & 2, the value of the field "Contractual Definition" of the accumulated or netted (Level 3) trade(s) are independent on the number of gross trades.

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