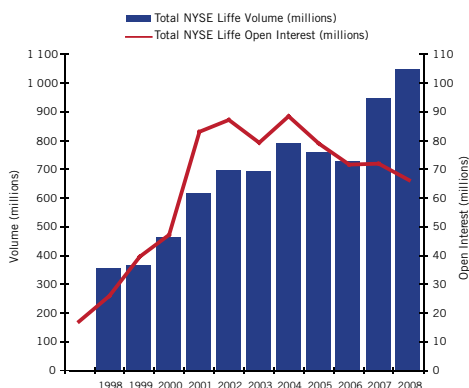


Futures and Options Markets

NYSE Euronext's leading futures and options markets offer trading in an unrivalled range of derivative products to customers worldwide

NYSE Liffe total volume & open interest (1998-2008)



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NYSE Euronext is home to some of the world's leading futures and options trading venues. In Europe, NYSE Liffe is considered one of the world's top marketplaces for derivatives trading. NYSE Arca is one of the fastest growing options markets and has recently joined with NYSE Amex (formerly the American Stock Exchange) to create the third largest options market by volume. The NYSE Euronext US options market now offers traders both customer priority via NYSE Amex and price-time priority via NYSE Arca, backed by leading-edge technology providing greater speed, transparency and capacity.

Europe

NYSE Liffe is leading the way in making derivatives available to a large and ever-increasing number of investors. Customers of the NYSE Liffe futures and options markets in Amsterdam, Brussels, Lisbon, London and Paris trade approximately two trillion euros worth of global derivatives daily, using NYSE Liffe's unparalleled technology.

Delivering a broad choice of products and services

To meet the differing needs of a diverse group of private investors, institutional investors and proprietary traders, NYSE Liffe offers a broad choice of products and services.

- **An unrivalled range of products**

NYSE Liffe offers one of the most extensive ranges of equity, commodity and interest rate derivative products of any exchange in the world. This includes some of the world's most heavily traded benchmark futures and options as well as derivatives on short-term interest rates, single stocks, indices, ETFs, swaps, government bonds, commodities and currencies.

- **Providing the benchmark for excellence**

NYSE Liffe provides an established central order book for each of its exchange-traded futures and options contracts. This helps to concentrate liquidity from a wide range of buyers and sellers from around the world into one central marketplace. Futures and options contracts are traded on LIFFE CONNECT®, widely recognized as the world's most advanced trading platform, which offers market participants superior functionality, speed of execution and the liquidity that stems from broad levels of international participation. Contract prices and depth of market are communicated to all market participants via LIFFE CONNECT® and independent quote vendors.

Market participants that trade using NYSE Liffe's central order book enjoy the benefits of risk management and security that come from trading on a regulated exchange, supported by clearing through a recognized central counterparty.

- **A clearer, safer route for OTC derivatives**

For customers who prefer to trade over the counter (OTC), NYSE Liffe offers the award-winning Bclear service.

Bclear was developed for customers who trade OTC derivatives but want to be able to better manage their risk. While trades are still negotiated away from the central market, once they are submitted and accepted by NYSE Liffe they effectively become exchange contracts and are cleared by the clearing house. This provides customers with the potential to reduce counterparty, credit and legal and operational risks associated with OTC transactions. Since it was launched, Bclear has been used extensively by leading investment banks and buy-side firms to process OTC derivatives business. Bclear now offers equity derivatives, Credit Default Swaps (CDS) and commodity contracts as well.

US

With the acquisition of the American Stock Exchange, NYSE Euronext's dual US options exchanges, NYSE Arca Options and NYSE Amex Options, combine to make the third-largest US equity options marketplace by number of contracts traded. Having two US options exchanges enables NYSE Euronext to operate a compelling dual market structure that provides all customers with the choice of price-time priority on NYSE Arca Options or the traditional market-maker model and expanded array of services on NYSE Amex Options, giving customers superior choice and flexibility.

NYSE Arca Options

NYSE Arca Options offers immediate, cost-effective electronic order executions. In 2008, approximately 1.6 million contracts were traded each day on more than 2,200 underlying stocks.

NYSE Arca Options operates a marketplace for trading and listing options on exchange-listed securities (including structured products) and indices. Underlying securities are listed and traded on NYSE Arca, NYSE, NYSE Amex and Nasdaq. The NYSE Arca Options platform includes the trading facilities, technology and systems for trading options as well as regulatory, surveillance and compliance services.

As the US options industry's first exchange to offer the post/take market model, it is a low-cost venue blending speed and price-time priority with Lead Market Maker (LMM) participation and offering innovative order types, greater functionality, and superior performance. NYSE Arca's price-time priority trading model and hybrid trading platform combines a state-of-the-art electronic trading system, together with a traditional open-outcry trading floor. The technology platform and market structure is designed to enhance the speed and quality of trade execution for customers and to attract additional sources of liquidity.

NYSE Amex Options

NYSE Amex Options provides customers with a separate, customer-driven marketplace that offers exceptional technology combined with a proven open-outcry trading environment. It gives NYSE Euronext customers another valuable platform to trade US options with reliability, transparency and enhanced efficiency.

The NYSE Amex hybrid trading platform combines an electronic trading system, supported by NYSE Arca technology, with a traditional open-outcry trading floor.

NYSE Liffe US

NYSE Liffe US is NYSE Euronext's new US futures exchange. NYSE Liffe US leverages NYSE Liffe's global distribution network, leading-edge technology and broad range of risk management products for the benefit of its diverse customer base. Building on the base of our precious metals complex, NYSE Liffe US will bring to the marketplace a world-class, multi-asset class futures exchange offering global customers significant value and enhanced trading opportunities. The addition of a US futures exchange complements the existing derivatives business of NYSE Euronext, which includes a broad range of equity, financial and commodity products.

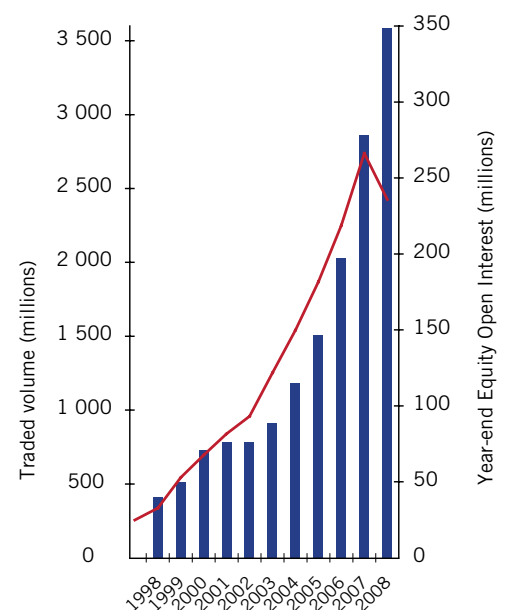
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