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May 21, 2008
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Discussion of Forward-Looking Statements

NOTE:

Unless otherwise noted, all references to CME Group volume, open interest and rate per contract information in the text of this document exclude CME Group's non-traditional TRAKRSSM products, for which CME Group receives

significantly
lower
clearing
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Statements in this news release that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements. These statements are not guaranteed
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difficult
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predict.
Therefore,
actual
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any
forward-looking
statements.

Among
the factors that might affect our performance are: our ability to obtain the required approvals and to satisfy the closing conditions

and
our
ability
to
realize
the
benefits
and
control
the
costs
of
the
proposed
transaction;
our
ability
to
successfully
integrate
the
businesses
of
CME
Holdings
and
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Holdings,
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the
fact
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integration
may
be
more
difficult,
time
consuming
or
costly
than
expected
and
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the
merger
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be
lower
than
expected;
increasing
competition
by
foreign
and
domestic
entities,
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increased
competition
from
new
entrants
into
our
markets
and
consolidation
of
existing
entities;
our
ability
to
keep
pace
with
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developments,
including
our
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to
complete
the
development
and
implementation
of
the
enhanced
functionality
required
by
our
customers;
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to
continue
introducing
competitive
new
products
and
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timely,
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through
our
electronic
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capabilities,
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our
ability
to
maintain
the
competitiveness
of
our
existing
products

and
services;
our
ability
to
adjust
our
fixed
costs
and
expenses
if
our
revenues
decline;
our
ability
to
continue
to
generate
revenues
from
our
processing
services;
our
ability
to
maintain
existing
customers
and
attract
new
ones;
our
ability
to
expand
and
offer
our
products
in
foreign
jurisdictions;
changes
in
domestic

and
foreign
regulations;
changes
in
government
policy,
including
policies
relating
to
common
or
directed
clearing
or
as
a
result
of
a
combination
with
the
Securities
and
Exchange
Commission and
the
Commodity
Futures
Trading
Commission;
the
costs
associated
with
protecting
our
intellectual
property
rights
and
our
ability
to
operate
our
business
without

violating
the
intellectual
property
rights
of
others;
our
ability
to
generate
revenue
from
our
market
data
that
may
be
reduced
or
eliminated
by
decreased
demand
or
the
growth
of
electronic
trading;
changes
in
our
rate
per
contract
due
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shifts
in
the
mix
of
the
products
traded,
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venue

and
the
mix
of
customers
(whether
the
customer
receives
member
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participates
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one
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our
various
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programs)
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the
impact
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our
tiered
pricing
structure;
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ability
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management
methods
to
effectively
monitor
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our
risks;
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the
derivatives
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foreign
exchange
and
commodities
markets;
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and
market
conditions;
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disasters
and
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catastrophes,
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ability
to
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to
continue
to
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industry
and
customer
consolidation;
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in
trading
and
clearing
activity;
the
imposition
of
a
transaction
tax
on
futures
and
options
on
futures
transactions;
and
the
seasonality
of
the
futures
business.
More
detailed

information about factors that may affect our performance may be found in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K, which is available in the Investor Relations section of the CME Group Web site. We undertake no obligation to publicly update

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statements,
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information, future events or otherwise.

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holders
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Group's
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and
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Group's
proxy
statement,
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meeting
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Near-Term M&A Value Creation

CME Group/NYMEX -

Strategic Rationale

Increased Scale

Combines complementary product lines and
shared technologies

Full economics on Globex technology
agreement; existing agreement helps alleviate
execution risk

Accelerate NYMEX Growth

Expands NYMEX product growth opportunities by leveraging CME Group's global capabilities (marketing, sales, distribution, relationships)

Enhances over-the-counter (OTC) capabilities (ClearPort)

Financial Impact

Approximately \$60 million in estimated expense synergies

Potential growth opportunities

Expected to be accretive on a GAAP basis within 12-18 months post close

Expected Q4 2008 close

6-Year CAGR (2001-2007)

Global Energy Futures: 19%

CME Group CAGR: 27%

Individual Equities

Equity Indexes

FX/Index

Metals

Energy

Ag Commodities

Interest Rates

9%

44%

24%

4%

10%

9%

Global Futures Volume

Note: Futures volume only, not including options on futures

Goldman Sachs Commodity Index

Weightings

Energy

72%

Metals

10%

Ag Commodities

18%