

Tradegate Exchange increases turnover fourth year running

Commerzbank shares remain private investors' favourite in December

In 2013 a total of 7.7 million trades were made on Tradegate Exchange (2012: 5.7 million); the order book volume in all securities increased by ca. 34 per cent to 45.3 billion Euros (2012: 33.9 billion). Turnover in equities reached a record 41.2 billion Euros (2012: 31.5 billion); in funds and ETPs turnover climbed to 2.4 billion Euros (2012: 1.7 billion). Revenue in bonds more than doubled from 0.7 billion in 2012 to 1.5 billion Euros.

"Although the DAX reached new heights last year exchange trading in general did not see an increase in turnover. That is why we are all the more pleased that Tradegate Exchange achieved another record year in 2013 and showed a sales increase in all asset categories" said Christian Schürlein, Managing Director of Tradegate Exchange.

Tradegate Exchange's order book volume amounted to 4.0 billion Euros in December (December 2012: 2.4 billion). Turnover in equities reached 3.6 billion Euros.

The following stocks were particularly popular with private investors in December (turnover in Euros):

German Stocks Top 5:

- 1) Commerzbank AG, 152 million
- 2) Daimler AG, 137 million
- 3) Allianz AG, 130 million
- 4) Siemens AG, 128 million
- 5) BASF SE, 127 million

International Stocks Top 5:

- 1) Apple Inc., 87 million
- 2) Airbus Group, 50 million
- 3) Facebook Inc., 32 million
- 4) Twitter, 30 million
- 5) Tesla Motors Inc., 29 million

About Tradegate Exchange

Tradegate Exchange is a stock exchange specialising in executing private investors' orders. Over 30 trading participants from Germany, Austria, France and Switzerland are currently connected and offer access to their customers from their own country and abroad. Around 4,500 equities, 1,500 ETPs, 1,500 bonds and 1,600 investment funds can be traded. Orders are usually executed in full. Tradegate Exchange does not charge any transaction fees. Tradegate provides investors with a continuous overview of what is happening on the market: real-time prices are available for the DAX, MDAX, SDAX and TecDAX indices and can also be accessed by smartphone using the Tradegate app. The app is free and has been downloaded more than 50,000 times. In January 2010 Tradegate Exchange was set up as a

regulated market as defined in the MiFID. Managing directors are Thorsten Commichau and Christian Schürlein. Deutsche Börse AG has a 75 percent interest plus 1 share in Tradegate Exchange GmbH, the stock exchange operator of Tradegate Exchange. www.tradegate.de

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