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## Tradegate Exchange once again best exchange in equity trading for private investors in Germany

Record total order book volume of 51.1 billion Euros in 2014

Tradegate Exchange, a member of the Deutsche Börse Group, increased its order book volume in 2014 by ca. 13 percent to 51.1 billion Euros (2013: 45.3 billion). Turnover in all tradable securities rose for the fifth time in succession. Turnover in equities came to a record high 46.3 billion Euros (2013: 41.2 billion) and reached 3.3 billion Euros in funds and ETPs (2013: 2.4 billion). Turnover in bonds dropped slightly from 1.5 to 1.3 billion Euros after it had almost doubled last year.

"Tradegate Exchange has had another record year. In spite of strong competition from other exchanges and off-market platforms we have achieved an obvious increase in turnover and remain the most successful equity exchange for private investors in Germany", said Oliver Szabries, Managing Director of Tradegate Exchange.

Tradegate Exchange's order book volume amounted to 4.3 billion Euros in December (December 2013: 4.0 billion), of which 3.9 billion Euros were in equities.

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

German Stocks Top 5:

- 1) BASF SE, 140 million
- 2) Daimler AG, 139 million
- 3) Allianz SE, 131 million
- 4) Deutsche Bank AG, 114 million
- 5) Volkswagen AG, 101 million

International Stocks Top 5:

- 1) Apple Inc., 144 million
- 2) Gazprom ADR, 86 million
- 3) Airbus Group, 59 million
- 4) Gilead Sciences, 37 million
- 5) Barrick Gold Corp., 35 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 3,700 equities, 1,500 ETPs, 1,600 bonds and 1,900 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. <a href="https://www.tradegate.de">www.tradegate.de</a>

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