#### **NOTICE TO MEMBERS**

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## AMENDMENT TO THE LIST OF FEES OF CANADIAN DERIVATIVES CLEARING CORPORATION (EFFECTIVE JUNE 2, 2025)

Canadian Derivatives Clearing Corporation ("CDCC") hereby announces the following amendments to its List of Fees effective on June 2, 2025:

#### Access to Collateral Management API, and Repo Fee Increase:

- Addition of a fixed monthly fee of \$2,500 CAD for Clearing Members to Access to CDCC's Collateral Management API;
- An increase to repo clearing and fixed income transactions by approximately 15% for direct clearing members.

The new List of Fees in blackline and clean version is attached for your information.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact CDCC Business Operations department or direct your email inquiries to <a href="mailto:CDCC-OPS@tmx.com">CDCC-OPS@tmx.com</a>.

Jean-François Bertrand Chief Operating Officer

## **Canadian Derivatives Clearing Corporation**

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Effective as of <del>May 1, 2025</del> June 2, 2025

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Fee formula: Multiplier x (Maturity date - trade date) / 365 x trade price x trading unit

Multiplier for Share futures	0.00008
Multiplier for Sector Index Future	0.00004

Maturity date:	Maturity date of the contract	
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Trade price:	Price at which the contract is traded	
Trading unit:	Number of shares underlying one contract	

For share-futures transactions under 100 contracts, the fee is \$0.20 for clients and \$0.10 for Clearing Member.

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## **Example computation of the fee**

For a hypothetical share-futures trade of XYZ for 10,000 contracts, supposing the price is \$50, the trade date is 1 June 2024, and the maturity date is 16 June 2024, the transaction fee per contract would be:

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(0.00008 x (Jun16-Jun01)/365 x Trade Price x Trading unit)

(0.00008 x 15 days/365 x (50\$ per share x 100 shares))

The fee, rounded to two decimals, is \$0.02

The total amount owing would be \$0.02 x 10,000 contracts = \$200

ADDITIONAL FEES FOR CLEARING EXCHANGE-TRADED DERIVATIVES TRANSACTIONS

## Fees and fee caps for clearing services

	Fee	Fee cap
Position transfer, per contract, per side	\$0.05	-
Position change via Position Change Submission (PCS), per contract *	\$0.10	\$10,000/month

## Fees and fee caps for tender fees on futures per contract

	Client		Clearing Member	Clearing Member fee cap	PTP <sup>1</sup>
Share futures	\$0.37	\$92.50/tender operation	\$0.37	\$92.50/tender operation	1
Other futures	\$0.37	-	\$0.37	-	\$0.37

## Fee and fee caps for exercise fees per contract

	Client	Clearing Member	PTP <sup>1</sup>	Market Maker	Fee cap
Exercise**	\$0.37	\$0.37	\$0.37	\$0.37	\$370/trade

#### CLEARING FEES FOR REPURCHASE-AGREEMENT (REPO) TRANSACTIONS

## Tenor of original trade submitted

	Direct Clearing Member	Limited Clearing Member
Tenor of 1−3 days	0.93 bps	0.20 bps
Tenor of 4-7 days	0.53 bps	0.12 bps
Tenor of 8+ days	0.40 bps	0.09 bps

## Fees for processing of fixed income transactions

Repurchase Transactions	<b>\$3.50</b>
Cash Transactions	\$1.7 <b>5</b>

CDCC will be charging the processing fees for every record received from CDS for every fixed income position created from a future's tender process into a physical bond delivery/receive. Physical deliveries/receives stemming from a tendered future will be considered as cash transaction(s) for the purpose of the processing fees.

## Revenue-sharing arrangement for repos for funding CMs

Band 1: Less than \$5M in fixed-income revenues	0%

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Band 3: From \$7M to less than \$12.5M in fixed-income revenues	30%
Band 4: Greater than \$12.5M in fixed-income revenues	50%

Revenues include repo clearing fees and processing fees less CDS settlement costs, less costs associated with Daylight Credit Arrangements (DCA).

## Clearing fees for off-exchange derivatives clearing for "Converge"

	Client	Clearing Member
Clearing, per contract per side	\$0.70	\$0.30
Exercise, per contract	\$0.37	\$0.37
Clearing Fee cap	\$7000/leg	\$3000/leg
Exercise Fee cap	\$370/trade	\$370/trade

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Converge® provides central counterparty clearing services for transactions that originate off-exchange. It allows market participants to submit their customized derivatives transactions

for clearing at the Canadian Derivatives Clearing Corporation (CDCC). Converge is currently available to clear customized equity options.

**SOFTWARE AND DATA SERVICE FEES** 

## Software service fees

VPN access	\$30
Online Sub Account Inquiry terminal of a member - monthly	
9 users and less	<u>\$129</u>
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## Monthly data service fees

Trade Reconciliation file*	\$500
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## \*Monthly volume discount per file

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No additional fee after the third file.

# Miscellaneous Fees related to Physical Settlement of Securities and Standby facilities

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The fee is charged quarterly based on previous quarter's activity.

More specifically, the following formula is used:

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