

## NOTICE TO MEMBERS

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# MARGIN PARAMETERS FOR THE MONTRÉAL EXCHANGE DERIVATIVES INSTRUMENTS

Pursuant to Rule A-7, CDCC updates on a regular basis its margin parameters:

- margin intervals;
- margin rates for inter-month spread for all futures contracts;
- margin rates for consecutive and non-consecutive butterfly spreads for BAX futures contracts.

Updated parameters will be implemented with processing of trades on September 11, 2006.

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# **Margin Intervals**

Underlying Symbol	Name	CURRENT Margin Intervals	UPDATED Margin Intervals
<b>A</b>	Abitibi Consolidated Inc.	12.85%	11.53%
A ABX	Barrick Gold Corporation	9.04%	8.22%
ABZ	Aber Diamond Corporation	11.42%	10.23%
ACE.A	ACE Aviation Holdings Inc.	9.26%	10.25 %
ACM.A	Astral Media Inc.	9.76%	6.49%
AEM	Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited	14.14%	13.95%
AGU	Agrium Inc.	9.11%	8.85%
AL	Alcan Inc.	10.51%	10.51%
ALX	Alcan Inc. (Adjusted)	9.97%	9.90%
ATA	ATS Automation Tooling Systems Inc.	13.98%	14.41%
ATY	ATI Technologies Inc.	19.80%	14.34%
AXP	Axcan Pharma Inc.	10.86%	9.79%
BAM.A	Brookfield Asset Management Inc. Cl. A	6.76%	7.16%
BAu	Bell Aliant Regional Comm. Income Fund	5.37%	2.76%
BAX	Three-month Canadian Bankers' Acceptance Futures	0.16%	0.14%
BBD.B	Bombardier Inc. Class B	15.83%	13.72%
BCB	Cott Corporation	10.61%	10.84%
BCE	BCE Inc.	5.00%	5.02%
BCQ	BCE Inc. (Adjusted)	4.33%	3.86%
BLD	Ballard Power Systems Inc.	21.91%	16.72%
BMO	Bank of Montreal	3.92%	3.82%
BNS	Bank of Nova Scotia (The)	4.17%	4.73%
BVF	Biovail Corporation	12.03%	14.16%
CAE	CAE Inc.	8.09%	7.24%
CCO	Cameco Corporation	11.52%	10.79%
CGB	Ten-year Government of Canada Bond Futures	1.11%	1.07%
CGV	Two-year Government of Canada Bond Futures	0.32%	0.31%
CGZ	Two-year Government of Canada Bond Futures	0.32%	0.31%
CIXu	CI Financial Income Fund (CI Trust)	7.96%	7.82%
CLS	Celestica Inc.	22.64%	12.71%
CM	Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	4.49%	4.32%
CMT	Compton Petroleum Corporation	11.77%	11.71%
CNQ	Canadian Natural Resources Limited	10.82%	10.39%
CNR	Canadian National Railway Company	7.18%	6.11%
COSu	Canadian Oil Sands Trust Units	11.75%	11.93%
CP	Canadian Pacific Railway Company	11.16%	7.67%
CSN	Cognos Incorporated	10.63%	11.34%

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CTC.A	Canadian Tire Corporation Limited	5.26%	6.94%
CUX	Centurion Energy International Inc.	17.61%	18.32%
$\mathbf{DDV}$	Duvernay Oil Corporation	8.96%	8.62%
DFQ	Dofasco Inc.	11.24%	11.08%
DTC	Domtar Inc.	11.19%	11.29%
ECA	EnCana Corporation	10.24%	10.04%
<b>EMA</b>	Emera Incorporated	4.32%	4.43%
ENB	Enbridge Inc.	5.20%	5.14%
ERFu	Enerplus Resources Fund	7.16%	7.02%
ESI	Ensign Energy Services Inc.	14.92%	10.88%
FAL	Falconbridge Limited	7.53%	7.02%
FDGu	Fording Canadian Coal Trust	10.58%	9.46%
FFH	Fairfax Financial Holdings Limited	12.12%	9.37%
FTT	Finning International Inc.	7.32%	6.46%
G	Goldcorp Inc.	12.74%	13.07%
GIB.A	CGI Group Inc.	8.72%	7.26%
GLG	Glamis Gold Ltd	14.35%	18.94%
GWO	Great West Lifeco Inc.	4.51%	4.42%
HSE	Husky Energy Inc.	8.39%	8.27%
IAG	Industrial alliance Insurance & Financial Services Inc.	7.21%	4.97%
IGM	IGM Financial Inc.	6.33%	5.55%
IMG	IAMGold Corporation	10.68%	9.59%
IMO	Imperial Oil Limited	8.55%	8.38%
IPS	Ipsco Inc.	10.88%	9.75%
K	Kinross Gold Corporation	13.04%	12.71%
KFS	Kingsway Financial Services Inc.	7.37%	7.95%
L	Loblaw Companies Limited	5.72%	4.86%
MBT	Manitoba Telecom Services Inc.	5.25%	5.19%
MDS	MDS Inc.	6.12%	5.26%
MFC	Manulife Financial Corporation	6.37%	4.97%
MG.A	Magna International Inc. Class A	6.42%	7.33%
MNG	Meridian Gold Inc.	14.64%	14.24%
MRU.A	Metro Inc.	5.90%	5.69%
MX	Methanex Corporation	9.72%	8.39%
N	Inco Limited	11.60%	11.21%
NA	National Bank of Canada	4.94%	5.71%
NBD	Norbord Inc.	8.12%	7.74%
NCX	NOVA Chemicals Corporation	10.49%	9.77%
NKO	Niko Resources Ltd	9.65%	9.46%
NT	Nortel Networks Corporation	15.48%	12.33%

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Underlying		Margin	Margin
Symbol	Name	Intervals	Intervals
NVL	Novelis Inc.	11.85%	10.68%
NXY	Nexen Inc.	11.09%	10.66%
OCX	Onex Corporation	5.30%	6.12%
ONX	30 day Overnight Repo Rate	0.15%	0.14%
OPC	OPTI Canada Inc.	11.00%	10.74%
OTC	Open Text Corporation	11.15%	11.75%
PAA	Pan American Silver Corp.	12.27%	12.57%
PCA	Petro-Canada	8.28%	8.08%
PD u	Precision Drilling Trust Units	7.76%	7.63%
PGQ	Placer Dome Inc. (Adjusted)	8.95%	8.14%
PJC.A	The Jean Coutu Group (PJC) Inc.	9.49%	18.13%
POT	Potash Corporation of Saskatchewan Inc.	9.29%	8.85%
POU	Paramount Resources Ltd.	12.75%	12.47%
POW	Power Corporation Canada	6.85%	5.70%
<b>PWF</b>	Power Financial Corporation	5.15%	5.31%
PWTu	Penn West Energy Trust	7.51%	7.41%
QLT	QLT Inc.	14.27%	10.53%
RCI.B	Rogers Communications Inc. Class B	5.80%	6.04%
RIM	Research In Motion Limited	11.38%	11.55%
RON	Rona Inc.	8.47%	7.41%
RY	Royal Bank of Canada	5.25%	4.93%
SBY	Sobeys Inc.	4.77%	4.73%
SC	Shoppers Drug Mart Corporation	5.45%	4.53%
SHC	Shell Canada Limited	8.80%	8.33%
SJR.B	Shaw Communications Inc. (Class B)	5.15%	5.02%
SLF	Sun Life Financial Inc.	6.17%	5.48%
SNC	SNC-Lavalin Group Inc.	8.09%	8.16%
SU	Suncor Energy Inc.	9.76%	9.44%
SW	Sierra Wireless, Inc.	23.78%	17.48%
SXA	S&P/TSX Capped Gold Index Futures	10.97%	10.50%
SXB	S&P/TSX Capped Financials Index Futures	4.20%	3.54%
SXF	S&P Canada 60 Index Futures	4.84%	4.08%
SXH	S&P/TSX Capped Information Technology Index Futures	7.19%	5.91%
SXO	S&P Canada 60 Index Options	4.48%	4.03%
SXY	S&P/TSX Capped Energy Index Futures	7.73%	7.52%
T	TELUS Corporation	5.82%	5.70%
TA	TransAlta Corporation	6.96%	6.45%
TCK.B	Teck Cominco Limited Class B	11.18%	11.17%
TCW	Trican Well Services Ltd	13.92%	11.48%
TD	The Toronto-Dominion Bank	5.02%	4.97%

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TLM	Talisman Energy Inc.	11.94%	11.00%
TOC	The Thomson Corporation	5.59%	4.47%
TRP	TransCanada Corporation	5.39%	5.40%
USX	US Dollar	2.27%	2.19%
WJA	WestJet Airlines Ltd.	8.59%	8.29%
WN	George Weston Limited	6.16%	5.65%
WTO	Western Oil Sands Inc.	14.26%	12.28%
X	TSX Group Inc.	9.04%	9.06%
XEG	iShares CDN Energy Sector Index Fund	7.88%	7.66%
XFN	iShares CDN Financial Sector Index Fund	3.93%	3.45%
XGD	iShares CDN Gold Sector Index Fund	10.97%	10.34%
XIT	iShares CDN Tech Sector Index Fund	6.85%	5.82%
XIU	iShares CDN LargeCap 60 Index Fund	4.34%	4.07%
YLOu	Yellow Pages Income Fund	6.26%	6.21%

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# Margin rates for « spread » transactions

Futures Symbol	CURRENT Inter-month Spread Charges	UPDATED Inter-month Spread Charges
BAX	\$85	\$85
CGB	\$200	\$200
CGZ	\$200	\$200
ONX	\$132	\$132
SXA	\$100	\$100
SXB	\$100	\$100
SXF	\$350	\$350
SXH	\$100	<b>\$100</b>
SXY	\$100	<b>\$100</b>

# Margin rates for « Butterfly » spread transactions

Futures Symbol	CURRENT Consecutive « Butterfly » Spread Charge	UPDATED Consecutive « Butterfly » Spread Charge
BAX	\$76	<b>\$76</b>

Futures Symbol	CURRENT Non-Consecutive « Butterfly » Spread Charge	UPDATED Non-Consecutive « Butterfly » Spread Charge
BAX	\$123	<b>\$123</b>

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