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Share trading exceeded full year 2005 value already in September

The strong growth of OMX Nordic Exchange continued in September. In September, the year to date total share trading value at the Nordic Exchange exceeded the value for the full year 2005. Trading increased with 40% for the first nine months, compared to the same period last year. The average trading value for 2006 is EUR 4.0 billion per day.

The Nordic Exchange now comprises 742 companies on the main market and First North, including 62 new companies in 2006.

The ETF and Unit trust products are quickly getting very popular with trading volumes up 51%, compared to the same period last year. The average trading value for 2006 on ETF/Unit trust is EUR 80 million per day.

Trading in September on the Nordic Exchange*

- The value of average daily share trading amounted to EUR 3,962 million (during the past 12-month period: EUR 3,863 million).
- The average number of trades per business day amounted to 113,973 (during the past 12-month period: 112,730).
- The average daily trading volume in Swedish, Finnish and Danish equity and fixed-income derivative products amounted to 534,947 contracts (during the past 12-month period: 552,051).

New Companies and Members

New Companies:

Main Market:

- AarhusKarlshamn AB in Stockholm, Consumer Staples, Mid Cap
- Biovitrum AB in Stockholm, Health Care, Mid Cap
- Securitas Direct AB in Stockholm, Consumer Discretionary, Mid Cap
- Securitas Systems AB in Stockholm, Industrials, Mid Cap
- Formuepleje LimiTTellus A/S in Copenhagen, Financials, Small Cap

* This report comprises statistics from the Nordic Exchange, which includes the following six exchanges: the Stockholm Stock Exchange, Helsinki Stock Exchange, Copenhagen Stock Exchange, Tallinn Stock Exchange, Riga Stock Exchange and Vilnius Stock Exchange as well as the alternative market First North. The reported figures pertain to all the six exchanges, unless otherwise stated.

The Nordic Exchange

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EFFICIENT SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS

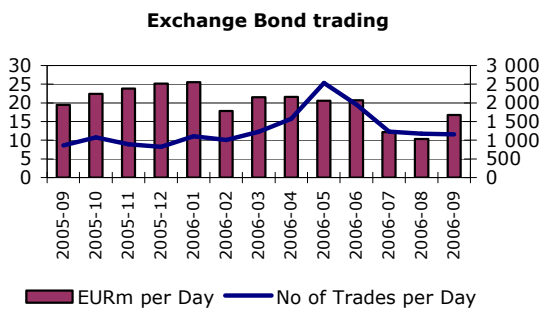
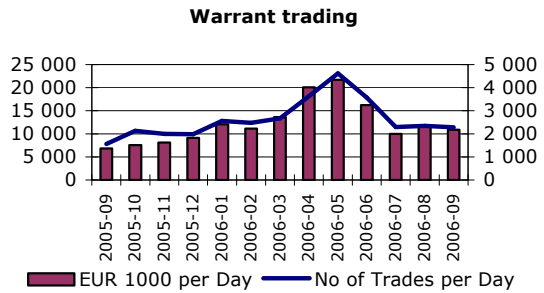
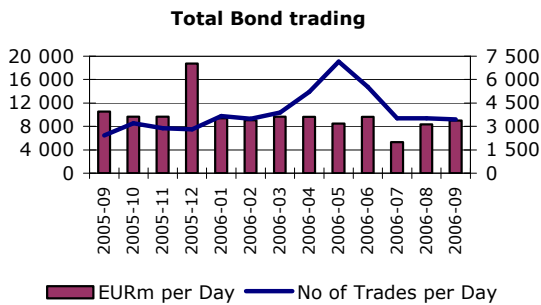
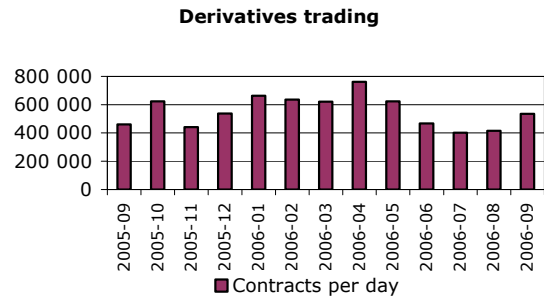
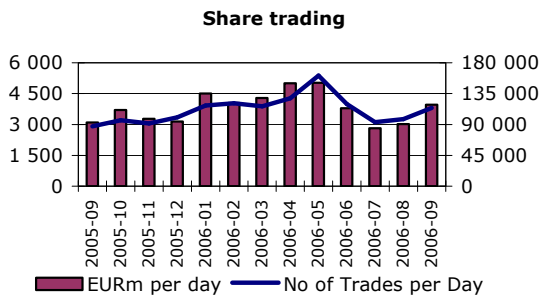
First North:

- Opus Prodox AB in Sweden, Industrials
- Melker Schörling AB in Sweden, Financials
- Genovis AB in Sweden, Health Care
- 360 Holding AB in Sweden, Consumer Discretionary
- SCF Technologies A/S in Denmark, Industrials

New members:

- Aktia Savings Bank Plc in Stockholm
- Nyenbergh Beheer B.V. in Helsinki
- AS Latvijas Krājbanka in Tallinn and Vilnius
- Baltijos vertybiniai popieriai in Riga and Tallinn
- As Parex Banka in Vilnius

Trading in shares, derivatives and bonds



September 2006	Stockholm	Helsinki	Copenhagen	Tallinn	Riga	Vilnius	Total
Companies							
Main market	271	136	180	16	40	43	677*
- New listings	4	-	1	-	-	-	5
First North	58		7				65
- New listings	4		1				5
Bonds	1 605	330	2 307	7	30	32	4 311
- New listings	45	10	9	1	-	1	66
Covered warrants	1 132	258					1 390
- New listings	159	90					249
Members**	87	54	58	23	20	29	154**
- New members	1	1	-	2	1	2	1***
* Excluding nine multiple listings							
** Excluding members that are members of more than one exchange (117 total)							
***Unique new members							

All statistics are also available at www.omxgroup.com.

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OMX, the Nordic Exchange¹⁾

Share Trading ²⁾	Sep 2006³⁾	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	Jan-Sep 2006	Jan-Sep 2005	Oct 2005- Sep 2006
Value, EUR billions, total	83.2	69.4	68.1	759.0	542.1	974.1
Stockholm Stock Exchange	49.1	39.9	36.3	436.2	291.7	549.8
Helsinki Stock Exchange	24.9	19.2	20.8	215.7	162.3	276.8
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	9.1	10.3	10.9	106.3	85.8	146.2
Tallinn Stock Exchange	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.51	1.78	0.67
Riga Stock Exchange	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.08
Vilnius Stock Exchange	0.06	0.03	0.06	0.32	0.45	0.47
Value per business day, EUR millions, total	3,962	3,020	3,094	4,028	2,863	3,863
Stockholm Stock Exchange	2,339	1,735	1,650	2,320	1,543	2,182
Helsinki Stock Exchange	1,186	834	944	1,141	854	1,098
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	432	447	494	562	454	578
Tallinn Stock Exchange	2	1	2	3	9	3
Riga Stock Exchange	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Vilnius Stock Exchange	3	1	3	2	2	2
Number of trades, total	2,393,424	2,254,611	1,922,090	22,312,911	15,232,341	28,421,418
Number of trades per business day, total	113,973	98,078	87,368	118,438	80,486	112,730
Stockholm Stock Exchange	64,858	52,772	47,291	67,076	44,854	63,055
Helsinki Stock Exchange	30,122	26,696	22,766	30,586	20,017	29,196
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	17,938	17,684	16,154	19,919	14,766	19,569
Tallinn Stock Exchange	183	208	144	183	145	191
Riga Stock Exchange	90	122	195	144	138	154
Vilnius Stock Exchange	781	596	818	529	567	564
Market value, EUR billion, total	793	767	699	793	699	793
Stockholm Stock Exchange	408	387	348	408	348	408
Helsinki Stock Exchange	213	214	193	213	193	213
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	161	156	145	161	145	161
Tallinn Stock Exchange	3	3	2	3	2	3
Riga Stock Exchange	2	2	2	2	2	2
Vilnius Stock Exchange	6	6	8	6	8	6
Turnover rate, %⁴⁾	126	101	113	130	113	128
Index Development	Sep 2006	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	Jan-Sep 2006	Jan-Sep 2005	Oct 2005- Sep 2006
OMXS30 Index	1039.3	994.2	896.3	1039.3	896.3	1039.3
Change in OMXS30 Index, %	4.5	5.1	5.5	8.3	20.8	16.7
OMXH25 Index	2,594.5	2,564.6	2,263.4	2,594.5	2,263.4	2,594.5
Change in OMXH25 Index, %	1.2	4.2	5.4	12.7	23.6	15.3
OMXC20 Index	403.4	390.6	370.6	403.4	370.6	403.4
Change in OMXC20 Index, %	3.3	5.8	1.4	2.5	29.3	8.7
OMXT Index	677.7	664.9	688.0	677.7	688.0	677.7
Change in OMXT Index, %	1.9	6.0	9.6	2.1	53.3	-0.5
OMXR Index	607.7	601.6	576.2	607.7	576.2	607.7
Change in OMXR Index, %	1.0	0.2	10.7	-10.1	39.3	5.8
OMXV Index	420.2	389.7	523.0	420.2	523.0	420.2
Change in OMXV Index, %	7.8	0.1	19.2	-6.4	78.2	-19.8

Bond Trading	Sep 2006	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	Jan-Sep 2006	Jan-Sep 2005	Oct 2005- Sep 2006
Value, EUR millions, total						
Exchange traded	352	233	428	3,473	4,620	4,991
Reported	188,403	191,812	231,435	1,634,774	1,777,838	2,442,182
Value per business day, EUR millions, total						
Exchange traded	17	10	19	18	24	20
Reported	8,972	8,340	10,520	8,680	9,407	9,676
Value per business day, EUR millions, per exchange						
Stockholm Stock Exchange						
Exchange traded	4	1	3	3	1	3
Reported	5,947	6,063	6,981	5,821	5,592	5,883
Helsinki Stock Exchange						
Reported	0.07	0.01	0.12	0.09	0.08	0.16
Copenhagen Stock Exchange						
Exchange traded	11	7	16	14	23	15
Reported	3,024	2,277	3,539	2,859	3,813	3,793
Baltic markets						
Exchange traded	1.27	1.94	0.72	2.03	0.34	1.91
Reported	0.00	0.01	0.19	0.01	2.23	0.02
Derivative Trading⁵⁾	Sep 2006	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	Jan-Sep 2006	Jan-Sep 2005	Oct 2005- Sep 2006
Volume in number of contracts						
Equity and fixed-income products, total	11,233,891	9,558,901	10,127,561	104,718,022	86,271,743	139,116,959
Share options and futures, total per business day	323,744	239,141	283,622	355,873	301,594	351,712
Stockholm, Copenhagen and Helsinki Stock Exchange	227,642	167,003	195,219	248,821	201,651	248,154
Swedish products at EDX	35,914	30,005	32,503	41,296	34,664	38,837
Finnish products at Eurex	60,188	42,132	55,900	65,756	65,280	64,722
Index options and futures, total per business day	142,371	109,454	125,028	145,934	122,056	145,970
Stockholm and Copenhagen Stock Exchange	83,578	64,721	86,986	89,245	84,069	92,140
Swedish products at EDX	58,793	44,734	38,043	56,689	37,987	53,830
Equity products, total per business day	466,116	348,595	408,650	501,807	423,650	497,683
Fixed-income products, total per business day⁶⁾	68,832	67,009	51,693	55,204	32,814	54,369
Short-term interest products	46,310	50,788	25,523	38,039	22,322	37,161
Long-term interest products	22,522	16,222	26,171	17,165	10,492	17,207
Equity and fixed-income products, total per business day	534,947	415,604	460,344	557,011	456,464	552,051
Average Premium Value per business day, Stock Options, EUR million⁶⁾	6.5	6.6	5.1	8.3	5.0	7.7

Covered Warrant Trading	Sep 2006	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	Jan-Sep 2006	Jan-Sep 2005	Oct 2005-Sep 2006
Value, EUR millions, total	228.8	269.0	150.2	2,649.9	938.7	3,172.8
Value per business day, EUR thousand, total	10,897	11,697	6,828	14,047	4,956	12,590
Stockholm Stock Exchange	4,755	4,554	3,271	5,071	2,917	4,590
Helsinki Stock Exchange	6,141	7,143	3,557	8,977	2,039	8,001
Number of trades, total	48,036	53,897	34,344	549,634	267,281	678,655
Number of trades per business day, total	2,287	2,343	1,561	2,916	1,412	2,693
Stockholm Stock Exchange	1,156	1,171	864	1,432	909	1,305
Helsinki Stock Exchange	1,132	1,172	697	1,484	503	1,388

ETF Trading/Investment funds⁷⁾	Sep 2006	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	Jan-Aug 2006	Jan-Sep 2005	Oct 2005-Sep 2006
Value, EUR millions, total	1,481.7	999.0	1,616.1	15,078.9	10,090.1	20,827.0
Value per business day, EUR millions, total	71	43	73	80	53	82
Stockholm Stock Exchange	20.2	8.6	13.0	16.2	18.1	18.5
Helsinki Stock Exchange	1.6	5.6	0.1	2.5	0.3	2.3
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	48.8	29.2	60.4	61.1	34.9	61.6
Number of trades, total	65,262	50,967	63,587	731,293	419,215	1,015,500
Number of trades per business day, total	3,108	2,216	2,890	3,870	2,218	4,015
Stockholm Stock Exchange	307	224	44	211	31	169
Helsinki Stock Exchange	4	5	6	8	4	8
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	2,797	1,986	2,841	3,652	2,183	3,837

Trading days	Sep 2006	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	Jan-Sep 2006	Jan-Sep 2005	Oct 2005-Sep 2006
Stockholm Stock Exchange	21	23	22	188	189	252
Helsinki Stock Exchange	21	23	22	189	190	252
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	21	23	22	189	189	253
Tallinn Stock Exchange	21	23	22	189	191	253
Riga Stock Exchange	21	23	22	189	191	252
Vilnius Stock Exchange	21	23	22	180	189	241
EDX London	21	23	22	188	189	252
Eurex	21	21	22	191	190	254

1) The reported figures pertain to OMX, the Nordic Exchange in total, unless otherwise stated. Stockholm Stock Exchange figures include A, O and Xternal list. Helsinki Stock Exchange figures include Main list, I List, NM List, Prelist, BL Market and Swedish shares list. Copenhagen Stock Exchange figures include total share trading. Tallinn Stock Exchange figures include Baltic Main list, Baltic I-list and Baltic Free list. Riga Stock Exchange figures include Baltic Main list, Baltic I-list and Baltic Free list. Vilnius Stock Exchange figures include the Baltic Main list and Baltic I-list.

2) Share trading is influenced by extraordinary trading activity in TDC A/S on January 27 in connection with the result of a takeover bid for the company. The high trading activity in TDC has no impact on OMX's result. (TDC turnover by January, 27: EUR 7 698 million) Affects ytd -and last 12 months figures

3) Exchange rate Sep SEK/EUR: 9.27 DKK/EUR: 7.46

4) The turnover velocity is estimated as total turnover during the period divided by the number of business days during the period multiplied by 250 and divided by the average market value during the period.

5) The reported figures pertain to OMX in total, unless otherwise stated.

6) Only Stockholm Stock Exchange and EDX London figures.

7) Stockholm Stock Exchange and Helsinki Stock Exchange only trading in ETF:s. Copenhagen Stock Exchange only trading in Investment funds.