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HKFE Announces Margin Rates for Adjusted Hong Kong & China Gas Futures Contracts

Hong Kong Futures Exchange Limited (HKFE), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEx), has announced that with effect from the commencement of trading on Wednesday, 3 June 2015, the minimum margins to be collected by an Exchange Participant from its clients in respect of their dealings in The Hong Kong and China Gas Company Limited (HKG) futures contracts will be as outlined in the table below. The margins are based on the clearing company's normal procedures and standard margining methodology.

Please see the 20 March 2015 HKEx news release for details of the adjustment of Hong Kong & China Gas futures contracts (<u>http://www.hkex.com.hk/eng/newsconsul/hkexnews/2015/1503204news.htm</u>).

For the current margins, please refer to the margin information on the HKEx website at the following link (<u>http://www.hkex.com.hk/eng/market/rm/rm_dcrm/riskdata/margin_hkcc/fomargin.htm</u>).

Futures Contract	Margin Rate	Initial Margin <u>(HK\$)</u>	Maintenance Margin <u>(HK\$)</u>
The Hong Kong and China Gas Company Limited (HKG: Multiplier = 1,000)	Full Rate Spread Rate	1,073 /lot 322 /spread	852 /lot 256 /spread
The Hong Kong and China Gas Company Limited (HKH: Multiplier = 1,100)	Full Rate Spread Rate	1,180 /lot 354 /spread	937 /lot 282 /spread

HKFE emphasises that the above are minimum rates and Exchange Participants should set their margin requirements according to their clients' individual circumstances.

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