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HKFE Announces Revised Margins for 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 Tuesday, 1 December 2015, the minimum margins to be collected by an Exchange Participant from its clients in respect of their dealings in the following futures contracts will be as outlined in the table below. The adjustments are based on the clearing company's normal procedures and standard margining methodology.

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

Futures Contract	Margin Rate	Initial Margin (HK\$)	Maintenance Margin (HK\$)
Hang Seng Index	Full Rate	71,400 /lot	57,100 /lot
	Spread Rate	14,300 /spread	11,450 /spread
Mini - Hang Seng Index	Full Rate	14,280 /lot	11,420 /lot
	Spread Rate	2,860 /spread	2,290 /spread
Hang Seng China	Full Rate	33,400 /lot	26,700 /lot
Enterprises Index	Spread Rate	10,050 /spread	8,050 /spread
Mini - Hang Seng China	Full Rate	6,680 /lot	5,340 /lot
Enterprises Index	Spread Rate	2,010 /spread	1,610 /spread
CES China 120 Index	Full Rate	16,620 /lot	13,300 /lot
	Spread Rate	4,990 /spread	3,990 /spread
HSCEI Dividend Point	Full Rate	2,070 /lot	1,660 /lot
Index	Spread Rate	2,490 /spread	2,000 /spread

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HSI Dividend Point Index	Full Rate Spread Rate	4,360 5,240	/lot /spread	3,490 4,190	/lot /spread
HSI Volatility Index	Full Rate	28,970	/lot	23,180	/lot
	Spread Rate	8,700	/spread	6,960	/spread
IBOVESPA	Full Rate	18,330	/lot	14,660	/lot
	Spread Rate	5,500	/spread	4,400	/spread
S&P BSE Sensex Index	Full Rate	16,110	/lot	12,890	/lot
	Spread Rate	4,840	/spread	3,870	/spread
FTSE/JSE Top40 Index	Full Rate	29,300	/lot	23,440	/lot
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MICEX Index	Full Rate	20,680	/lot	16,550	/lot
	Spread Rate	6,210	/spread	4,970	/spread
One-Month HIBOR	Full Rate	525	/lot	420	/lot
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iShares FTSE A50 China Index ETF Aluminum Corporation of China Ltd ChinaAMC CSI 300 Index ETF	Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate	628 Pl 4,240 1,280 596 179 9,180 2,760	/lot lease refer to /lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread	503 o attached tab 3,390 1,020 477 144 7,350 2,210	/lot le /lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread
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iShares FTSE A50 China Index ETF Aluminum Corporation of China Ltd ChinaAMC CSI 300 Index ETF Bank of China Ltd	Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate	628 Pl 4,240 1,280 596 179 9,180 2,760 258 78	/lot lease refer to /lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread	503 o attached tab 3,390 1,020 477 144 7,350 2,210 207 63	/lot le /lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread
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The Bank of East Asia Ltd	Full Rate	412	/lot	329	/lot
	Spread Rate	124	/spread	99	/spread
BOC Hong Kong	Full Rate	962	/lot	770	/lot
(Holdings) Ltd	Spread Rate	289	/spread	231	/spread
China Construction Bank	Full Rate	402	/lot	321	/lot
Corporation	Spread Rate	121	/spread	97	/spread
China Communications	Full Rate	926	/lot	741	/lot
Construction Co Ltd	Spread Rate	278	/spread	223	/spread
China Mobile Ltd	Full Rate	3,420	/lot	2,740	/lot
	Spread Rate	1,030	/spread	822	/spread
China Unicom (Hong	Full Rate	1,940	/lot	1,550	/lot
Kong) Ltd	Spread Rate	582	/spread	465	/spread
CITIC Ltd	Full Rate	864	/lot	691	/lot
	Spread Rate	260	/spread	208	/spread
CK Hutchison Holdings	Full Rate	3,250	/lot	2,600	/lot
Ltd (CKH: Multiplier = 500)	Spread Rate	975	/spread	780	/spread
CK Hutchison Holdings	Full Rate	5,873	/lot	4,698	/lot
Ltd (CKG: Multiplier = 904)	Spread Rate	1,762	/spread	1,409	/spread
CK Hutchison Holdings	Full Rate	8,035	/lot	6,428	/lot
Ltd (CKK: Multiplier = 1,236)	Spread Rate	2,410	/spread	1,928	/spread
China Life Insurance Co	Full Rate	2,820	/lot	2,250	/lot
Ltd	Spread Rate	846	/spread	675	/spread

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Corporation Ltd Spread Rate 205 /spread 164 /s	pread
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FIH Mobile Ltd Full Rate 301 /lot 241 /lo	ot
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and Clearing Ltd Spread Rate 489 /spread 390 /s	pread
HSBC Holdings Plc Full Rate 1,600 /lot 1,280 /lo	ot
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The Hong Kong and China Gas Co Ltd (HKG: Multiplier = 1,000)	Full Rate Spread Rate	994 299	/lot /spread	795 239	/lot /spread
The Hong Kong and China Gas Co Ltd (HKH: Multiplier = 1,100)	Full Rate Spread Rate	1,093 329	/lot /spread	874 263	/lot /spread
Henderson Land Development Co Ltd (HLD: Multiplier = 1,000)	Full Rate Spread Rate	3,830 1,150	/lot /spread	3,070 921	/lot /spread
Henderson Land Development Co Ltd (HLE: Multiplier = 1,100)	Full Rate Spread Rate	4,213 1,265	/lot /spread	3,377 1,013	/lot /spread
Huaneng Power	Full Rate	1,750	/lot	1,400	/lot
International Inc	Spread Rate	525	/spread	420	/spread
Hang Seng Bank Ltd	Full Rate	899	/lot	719	/lot
	Spread Rate	270	/spread	216	/spread
Industrial and Commercial	Full Rate	326	/lot	261	/lot
Bank of China Ltd	Spread Rate	98	/spread	79	/spread
Li & Fung Ltd	Full Rate	1,150	/lot	915	/lot
	Spread Rate	345	/spread	275	/spread
MTR Corporation Ltd	Full Rate	1,180	/lot	942	/lot
	Spread Rate	354	/spread	283	/spread
New World Development	Full Rate	571	/lot	457	/lot
Co Ltd	Spread Rate	172	/spread	138	/spread
Ping An Insurance (Group) Co of China Ltd (PAI: Multiplier = 500)	Full Rate Spread Rate	1,550 465	/lot /spread	1,240 372	/lot /spread
Ping An Insurance (Group) Co of China Ltd (PAA: Multiplier = 1,000)	Full Rate Spread Rate	3,100 930	/lot /spread	2,480 744	/lot /spread

PetroChina Co Ltd	Full Rate Spread Rate	1,320 396	/lot /spread	1,050 315	/lot /spread
PICC Property and Casualty	Full Rate	2,640	/lot	2,110	/lot
Company Ltd	Spread Rate	792	/spread	633	/spread
Sun Hung Kai Properties Ltd	Full Rate	7,430	/lot	5,940	/lot
	Spread Rate	2,230	/spread	1,790	/spread
Swire Pacific Ltd 'A'	Full Rate	2,780	/lot	2,220	/lot
	Spread Rate	834	/spread	666	/spread
The Wharf (Holdings) Ltd	Full Rate	3,900	/lot	3,120	/lot
	Spread Rate	1,170	/spread	936	/spread
Futures Contract	Margin Rate	<u>Initial I</u> (RN		Maintenan (RM	
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London Aluminium Mini	Full Rate	(RN 3,500	/lot	(RN) 2,800	/lot
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London Aluminium Mini Futures London Copper Mini	Full Rate	(RN 3,500	/lot	(RN) 2,800	/lot
London Aluminium Mini Futures	Full Rate Spread Rate	3,500 1,050	/lot /spread	2,800 840	/lot /spread
London Aluminium Mini Futures London Copper Mini	Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate	3,500 1,050 9,740	/lot /spread	2,800 840 7,790	/lot /spread /lot
London Aluminium Mini Futures London Copper Mini Futures	Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate	3,500 1,050 9,740 2,930	/lot /spread /lot /spread	2,800 840 7,790 2,340	/lot /spread /lot /spread
London Aluminium Mini Futures London Copper Mini Futures London Zinc Mini Futures RMB Currency Futures	Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate	3,500 1,050 9,740 2,930 5,300	/lot /spread /lot /spread /lot	2,800 840 7,790 2,340 4,240	/lot /spread /lot /spread /lot
London Aluminium Mini Futures London Copper Mini Futures London Zinc Mini Futures	Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate Full Rate Spread Rate	3,500 1,050 9,740 2,930 5,300 1,590	/lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread	2,800 840 7,790 2,340 4,240 1,280	/lot /spread /lot /spread /lot /spread

^{*} Spot Month Charge will be imposed on the spot month contract during the last four business days before the business day immediately preceding the final settlement day.

USD = US dollar; CNH = RMB traded in Hong Kong

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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Spread Margin Rates for Three-Month HIBOR Futures

Spread Combination	Initial Margin (HK\$)	Maintenance Margin (HK\$)
1st month vs 3rd month 1st month vs 4th month 1st month vs 5th month 2nd month vs 3rd month 2nd month vs 4th month 2nd month vs 5th month	1,250 per spread	1,000 per spread
1st month vs 6th month 1st month vs 7th month 1st month vs 8th month 1st month vs 9th month 1st month vs 10th month 2nd month vs 6th month 2nd month vs 7th month 2nd month vs 8th month 2nd month vs 9th month 2nd month vs 10th month	1,250 per spread	1,000 per spread
3rd month vs 4th month 3rd month vs 5th month 4th month vs 5th month	1,250 per spread	1,000 per spread
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1st month vs 2nd month	949 per spread	759 per spread
6th month vs 7th month 6th month vs 8th month 6th month vs 9th month 6th month vs 10th month 7th month vs 8th month 7th month vs 9th month 7th month vs 10th month 8th month vs 9th month 8th month vs 10th month 9th month vs 10th month	188 per spread	150 per spread

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Spread Margin Rates for One-Month HIBOR Futures

Spread Combination	Initial Margin (HK\$)	Maintenance Margin (HK\$)
1st month vs 3rd month 2nd month vs 3rd month	633 per spread	507 per spread
1st month vs 4th month 1st month vs 5th month 1st month vs 6th month 2nd month vs 4th month 2nd month vs 5th month 2nd month vs 6th month	616 per spread	493 per spread
1st month vs 2nd month	439 per spread	351 per spread
3rd month vs 4th month 3rd month vs 5th month 3rd month vs 6th month	157 per spread	126 per spread
4th month vs 5th month 4th month vs 6th month 5th month vs 6th month	157 per spread	126 per spread