

Market Rehearsal 1 for Upgrade of HKEX Backbone Network for Securities Market Systems on 11 April 2026

System: HKEX Orion Market Data Platform – Securities Market (OMD-C)

Time (HKT)	Activity	Action – for participating OMD-C Clients
Date: 11 April 2026 (Saturday)		
Market Rehearsal 1 for Upgrade of HKEX Backbone Network for Securities Market Systems		
After 9:00	OMD-C is ready for connection in Primary Data Center - The internal components of backbone network in Primary Data Center has been upgraded	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - OMD-C Clients to connect to OMD-C and receive messages or heartbeats in Primary Data Center - All of the 4 OMD-C retransmission servers are available for OMD-C Clients to connect - In case of any connectivity issue or abnormality encountered, Clients should immediately call our Connectivity Project & Support Hotline at (852) 2211 6558
9:00 – 9:30	Pre-Opening Session	
9:30 – 12:00	Continuous Trading Session	
12:00 – 12:10	Closing Auction Session	
Upon completion of matching	Day Close	
13:15	End of Market Rehearsal 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - OMD-C Clients to take appropriate actions to clean all test messages disseminated during Market Rehearsal 1 - Test Result Submission is NOT required

System: HKEX Orion Market Data Platform – China Connect (OMD-CC)

Time (HKT)	Activity	Action – for participating OMD-CC Clients
Date: 11 April 2026 (Saturday)		
Market Rehearsal 1 for Upgrade of HKEX Backbone Network for Securities Market Systems		
After 9:00	OMD-CC is ready for connection in Primary Data Center - The internal components of backbone network in Primary Data Center has been upgraded	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - OMD-CC Clients to connect to OMD-CC and receive OMD-CC messages or heartbeats in Primary Data Center - Two OMD-CC retransmission servers at the primary site are available for OMD-CC Clients to connect - In case of any connectivity issue or abnormality encountered, Clients should immediately call our Connectivity Project & Support Hotline at (852) 2211 6558
9:15 – 9:25	Opening Call Auction	
9:30 – 10:30	Morning Continuous Auction Session	
10:31	Exchange Intervention	
10:32	Close	
10:35 – 11:30	Afternoon Continuous Auction Session	
11:31	Exchange Intervention	
11:35	Day Close	
13:15	End of Market Rehearsal 1	

Important Notes to Clients:

1. For fault reporting, please call our Connectivity Project & Support Hotline at (852) 2211 6558 during the Market Rehearsal 1.
2. For any network connectivity issues of SDNet/2 connections, please contact SDNet/2 accredited vendors as below.

	Telephone Number	Email Address
For HKBN network connectivity issues	121 388 and press "2"	cc@hkbn.com.hk
For HKT network connectivity issues	2888 8808	Sdnet_support@pccw.com

3. All messages disseminated during the testing period should be treated as non-production data and should be cleaned after the Market Rehearsal 1.
4. In any case, all participating Clients should complete the appropriate day-end works including file / database backup, system restoration / fallback and etc. before, during and / or after the Market Rehearsal 1.
5. Contingency Arrangements on Typhoon, Extreme Conditions and Rainstorm Warning on the day of the Market Rehearsal 1:
 - a. In case Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above or Extreme Conditions or Black Rainstorm Warning is issued/ announced or continues to be in force anytime from 7:00 to before 9:00 on the day of Market Rehearsal 1, the Market Rehearsal 1 will be cancelled and will not be resumed for the rest of the day.
 - b. In case Typhoon Signal No. 8 or above or Extreme Conditions is issued after the start of the Market Rehearsal 1, the Market Rehearsal 1 will be terminated 15 minutes thereafter.
 - c. In case Black Rainstorm Warning is issued during the Market Rehearsal 1, the Market Rehearsal 1 will continue until completion.
 - d. In any case, all participating Clients should complete the appropriate day-end works including file / database backup, system restoration / fallback and etc. before, during and / or after the Market Rehearsal 1.