

## Tradegate Exchange: Daimler AG is private investors' favourite stock in May

The order book volume of Tradegate Exchange came to 4.3 billion Euros in May (May 2012: 2.3 billion). With a turnover in equities of 3.9 billion Euros Tradegate Exchange remains the leading exchange for private investors in Germany.

The following stocks were particularly popular with private investors in May (turnover in Euros):

German Stocks Top 5:
1) Daimler AG, 212 million
2) Deutsche Telekom AG, 198 million
3) Commerzbank AG, 180 million
4) Allianz SE, 169 million
5) Deutsche Bank AG, 149 million

International Stocks Top 5:

- 1) Apple Inc., 58 million
- 2) Nokia Corp., 39 million
- 2) Barrick Gold Corp., 32 million
- 3) Nestlé S.A., 29 million
- 5) Federal National Mortgage Association, 28 million

Christian Schürlein, Managing Director of Tradegate Exchange, said, "Private investors showed a big interest in trading in May. The number of orders executed on the Tradegate Exchange rose by 39 percent compared with April and 87 percent compared with May last year."

## About Tradegate Exchange

Tradegate Exchange is a stock exchange specialising in executing private investors' orders. Over 30 trading participants from Germany, Austria, France and Switzerland are currently connected and offer access to their customers from their own country and abroad. Around 4,500 equities, 1,500 ETPs, 1,500 bonds and 1,600 investment funds can be traded. Orders are usually executed in full. Tradegate Exchange does not charge any transaction fees. Tradegate provides investors with a continuous overview of what is happening on the market: real-time prices are available for the DAX, MDAX, SDAX and Tec-DAX indices and can also be accessed by smartphone using the Tradegate app. The app is free and has been downloaded more than 50,000 times. In January 2010 Tradegate Exchange was set up as a regulated market as defined in the MiFID. Managing directors are Thorsten Commichau and Christian Schürlein. Deutsche Börse AG has a 75 percent interest plus 1 share in Tradegate Exchange GmbH, the stock exchange operator of Tradegate Exchange. www.tradegate.de

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