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### Key figures for SIX Swiss Exchange and SIX Structured Products Exchange: August 2014

- **Trading turnover of CHF 741.2 billion (+7.0% versus the same period in 2013) since the start of the year**
- **Average trading turnover per day since the start of the year of CHF 4.5 billion**

Since the start of 2014, a total of 25,090,618 transactions have been conducted on SIX Swiss Exchange and SIX Structured Products Exchange. This marks a year-on-year increase of 7.1%. There were 23,614,302 trades in the equities including funds + ETPs segment, equating to a rise of 8.2%. There were 338,287 (-0.8%) deals in the CHF bonds segment.

Since the start of 2014, trading turnover across all securities has risen by 7.0% to CHF 741.2 billion. This equates to an average daily turnover of CHF 4.5 billion. Turnover figures in the equities including funds + ETPs (+11.1%) segment have been the main contributors to this increase. However, turnover in CHF bonds has fallen by 6.2% to CHF 107.5 billion, while it has decreased by 15.0% to CHF 18.5 billion in structured products and warrants.

August 2014 saw a total of 2,852,520 trades with a turnover of CHF 76.1 billion, a month-on-month decline of 14.9%. Turnover was down by 15.4%. This is primarily due to the fact that August had three fewer trading days than the prior month (23).

In the equities including funds + ETPs segment, at 2,695,907 the number of deals was down by 14.9% on the prior month's level, and turnover was down by 15.1% to CHF 56.0 billion. Among ETFs, trading turnover fell by 11.3% to CHF 6.0 billion and the number of trades was down by 13.1% to 63,895. In structured products and warrants, at CHF 1.8 billion turnover was 10.6% down on July's level. In addition, there were 12.3% fewer transactions, at 55,289. CHF bond trades were down by 15.5% to 35,504, with turnover falling by 17.9% to CHF 11.2 billion.

13 new CHF bond issues (-64.9%) and 2,823 new structured products and warrants (-30.4%) were admitted to trading in August. In all, 226 new CHF bonds (+8.7%) and 26,191 new structured products and warrants (-15.7%) have therefore been listed since the start of the year.

The performance of the most important equity indices was as follows in August 2014: the blue chip SMI® index stood at 8,659.0 points at the end of August (+3.0% month-on-month, +5.6% versus end-2013). The SLI Swiss Leader Index® stood at 1,305.5 points (+2.5%/+3.8%) and the broader-based SPI® at 8,566.3 points (+2.8%/+9.3%). The SBI® AAA-BBB Total Return index was up versus July (+0.9%/+4.9% compared with end-2013) at 129.8 points.

**Since beginning of 2014**

 Trading days since  
beginning of 2014:  
165

 Trading days in same  
prior-year period:  
166

Segment	Turnover in CHF million	Change versus same prior-year period
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	544,959	11.1%
Bonds CHF	107,501	-6.2%
ETFs	61,213	-4.9%
International bonds	9,053	614.6%
Structured products and warrants	18,496	-15.0%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>741,221</b>	<b>7.0%</b>
	Number of trades	Change versus same prior-year period
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	23,614,302	8.2%
Bonds CHF	338,287	-0.8%
ETFs	596,858	-7.4%
International bonds	15,362	26.4%
Structured products and warrants	525,809	-13.1%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25,090,618</b>	<b>7.1%</b>
	Number of newly listed products	Change versus same prior-year period
Bonds CHF	226	8.7%
Structured products and warrants	26,191	-15.7%

\* Contains domestic & foreign shares, investment funds, sponsored funds, ETSFs and ETPs

**August 2014**

 Trading days August:  
20

 Trading days in  
previous month:  
23

Segment	Turnover in CHF million	Change versus previous month
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	55,986	-15.1%
Bonds CHF	11,248	-17.9%
ETFs	5,976	-11.3%
International bonds	1,100	-30.5%
Structured products and warrants	1,822	-10.6%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>76,130</b>	<b>-15.4%</b>
	Number of trades	Change versus previous month
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	2,695,907	-14.9%
Bonds CHF	35,504	-15.5%
ETFs	63,895	-13.1%
International bonds	1,925	-0.5%
Structured products and warrants	55,289	-12.3%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,852,520</b>	<b>-14.9%</b>



	Number of newly listed products	Change versus previous month
Bonds CHF	13	-64.9%
Structured products and warrants	2,823	-30.4%

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Index	Month-end reading	Change versus end of previous month	Change since end of 2013
SMI®	8,659.0	3.0%	5.6%
SLI Swiss Leader Index® PR	1,305.5	2.5%	3.8%
SMIM® Price	1,747.8	2.7%	9.7%
SPI®	8,566.3	2.8%	9.3%
SPI EXTRA® Total Return	2,724.8	2.1%	10.3%
SXI LIFE SCIENCES® Total Return	2,522.3	3.0%	24.1%
SXI Bio+Medtech® Total Return	2,474.0	4.0%	24.9%
SBI® AAA-BBB Total Return	129.8	0.9%	4.9%

More detailed information is available in the statistical monthly report at:

[http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/monthly\\_data/overview/](http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/monthly_data/overview/)

Equity Liquidity Matrix (ELM): [http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/elm\\_en.html](http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/elm_en.html)

Intraday Activity: [http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/intraday\\_activity\\_en.html](http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/intraday_activity_en.html)

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