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Key figures SIX Swiss Exchange and SIX Structured Products Exchange: February 2015

- Trading turnover in the first two months of 2015: CHF 300.1 billion (+43.4% versus the same period a year earlier)
- Average trading turnover per day since the start of the year: CHF 7.5 billion (+47.0%)
- Sunrise Communications Group now listed on SIX Swiss Exchange

Since the beginning of 2015, turnover across all securities on SIX Swiss Exchange and SIX Structured Products Exchange has climbed by a total of 43.4% compared with the year before to CHF 300.1 billion. Turnover has therefore averaged CHF 7.5 billion per day. This increase is primarily attributable to turnover in the equities including funds + ETPs (+43.9%) segment. Turnover in CHF bonds even increased by 98.1% to CHF 51.6 billion. In contrast, turnover in structured products and warrants fell by 27.5% to CHF 4.7 billion. The number of trades rose by 52.2% to 10,200,146. There have been 9,698,505 trades in the equities including funds + ETPs segment, equating to a rise of 54.3%. There were 107,581 (+22.6%) trades in the CHF bonds segment.

January was characterized by an extremely high level of trading activity. Although February also saw an above-average level of trading compared to the prior year, the figures of the previous month could not be matched. In February, the average trading turnover per day fell by 34.8% to CHF 5.9 billion (prior year: CHF 4.8 billion). A total of 3,984,665 trades (-35.9%) were conducted over the month, generating turnover of CHF 118.4 billion (-34.8%). With 3,768,334 trades, the equities including funds + ETPs segment underperformed the previous month's total by 36.5%, with turnover down by 35.5% to CHF 86.0 billion. Trading turnover in ETFs fell by 47.5% to CHF 7.5 billion, with the number of trades declining by 29.3% to 90,785. Turnover in structured products and warrants fell by 33.7% to CHF 1.9 billion. In addition, there were 19.6% fewer trades (76,283). CHF bond trades were down by 20.9% to 47,506, with turnover falling by 29.1% to CHF 21.4 billion.

33 new CHF bond issues (+200.0%) and 3,947 new structured products and warrants (-33.4%) were admitted to trading in February. In all, this means that 44 new CHF bonds (-17.0%) and 9,871 new structured products and warrants (+39.7%) have been listed since the start of the year.

The performance of the most important equity indices was as follows in February 2015: the blue chip SMI® index stood at 9,014.5 points at the end of April (+7.5% month-on-month, +0.3% versus end-2014). The SLI Swiss Leader Index® stood at 1,330.4 points (+8.8%/0.0%) and the broader-based SPI® at 8,921.8 points (+8.0%/+0.7%). The SBI® AAA-BBB Total Return index was down versus January (-0.4%/+1.6% compared with end-2014) at 134.2 points.

Since beginning of 2015	Trading days since beginning of 2015: 40	Trading days in same prior- year period: 41	
Segment	Turnover in CHF million	Change versus same prior- year period	
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	219,334	43.9%	
Bonds CHF	51,579	98.1%	
ETFs	21,702	-3.4%	
International bonds	2,773	50.1%	
Structured products and warrants	4,694	-27.5%	
TOTAL	300,081	43.4%	
	Number of trades	Change versus same prior- year period	
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	9,698,505	54.3%	
Bonds CHF	107,581	22.6%	
ETFs	219,207	26.0%	
International bonds	3,675	-24.4%	
Structured products and warrants	171,178	13.1%	
TOTAL	10,200,146	52.2%	
	Number of newly listed products	Change versus same prior- year period	
Bonds CHF	44	-17.0%	
Structured products and warrants	9,871	39.7%	

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

February 2015	Trading days February: 20	Trading days in previous month: 20	
Segment	Turnover in CHF million	Change versus previous month	
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	86,039	-35.5%	
Bonds CHF	21,390	-29.1%	
ETFs	7,473	-47.5%	
International bonds	1,630	42.6%	
Structured products and warrants	1,871	-33.7%	
TOTAL	118,402	-34.8%	
	Number of trades	Change versus previous month	
Equities incl. Funds + ETPs*	3,768,334	-36.5%	
Bonds CHF	47,506	-20.9%	
ETFs	90,785	-29.3%	
International bonds	1,757	-8.4%	
Structured products and warrants	76,283	-19.6%	
TOTAL	3'984'665	-35.9%	



	Number of newly listed	Change versus previous	
	products	month	
Bonds CHF	33	200.0%	
Structured products and warrants	3,947	-33.4%	

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Index	Month-end reading	Change versus end of previous month	Change since end of 2014
SMI®	9,014.5	7.5%	0.3%
SLI Swiss Leader Index® PR	1,330.4	8.8%	0.0%
SMIM® Price	1,803.2	11.0%	3.0%
SPI®	8,921.8	8.0%	0.7%
SPI EXTRA® Total Return	2,826.5	10.5%	2.7%
SXI LIFE SCIENCES® Total Return	2,862.4	12.4%	5.8%
SXI Bio+Medtech® Total Return	2,968.8	13.6%	9.1%
SBI® AAA-BBB Total Return	134.2	-0.4%	1.6%

More detailed information is available in the statistical monthly report at: http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/monthly_data/overview/

Equity Liquidity Matrix (ELM): http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/elm_en.html

Intraday Activity: <u>http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/statistics/intraday_activity_en.html</u> Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Stephan Meier, Media Relations.

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