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EPEX SPOT trading results of August 2015

French power market continues race towards liquidity

Paris / Leipzig / Bern / Vienna, 01 September 2015. In August 2015, a total volume of **33.4 TWh** was traded on EPEX SPOT's Day-Ahead and Intraday power markets (August 2014: 31.1 TWh).

69,592,280 MWh were traded this year until 31 August on the French Day-Ahead and Intraday power markets – a volume which corresponds to the total volume of all 2014. This underlines the healthy development of France's power market towards growing liquidity.

Day-Ahead markets

In August 2015, power trading on the Day-Ahead markets on EPEX SPOT accounted for a total of 29,981,956 MWh (August 2014: 28,581,300 MWh).

Prices in Central Western Europe, connected within the European Price Coupling, converged 21% of the time.

Intraday markets

On the EPEX SPOT Intraday markets, a total volume of 3,377,424 MWh was traded in August 2015 (August 2014: 2,510,166 MWh). The Swiss Intraday market again performed well with 175,628 MWh of traded volume, a new all-time high over last month's record.

In August, cross-border trades represented 21.5% of the total continuous Intraday volume. 15-minute contracts represented 12.0% of the volume traded on the German and Swiss continuous Intraday markets.

Trading participants

In August, EPEX SPOT admitted Youtrade Energy Commodities S.A. as new trading participants on all EPEX SPOT Day-Ahead markets and the German, French and Swiss Intraday markets.

Details on the volumes and prices are available in the enclosed monthly report on pages 3 and 4.

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Volumes

Power Spot Volumes	Monthly volume MWh	Monthly volume – previous year MWh
Total	33,359,380	31,091,466
Day-Ahead	29,981,956	28,581,300
Day-Ahead DE/AT	19,879,696	21,034,388
Day-Ahead FR	8,319,080	5,664,462
Day-Ahead CH	1,783,180	1,882,450
Intraday	3,377,424	2,510,166
Intraday DE/AT	2,950,917	2,284,131
- thereof hourly continuous DE/AT	2,251,313	1,802,912
- thereof 15-min continuous DE	310,731	481,219
- thereof 15-min call auction DE	388,873	0*
Intraday FR (hourly continuous)	250,879	131,621
Intraday CH	175,628	94,415
- thereof hourly continuous	167,746	87,827
- thereof 15-min continuous	7,882	6,588

* Segment launched in December 2014

Prices and Indices

	Price – monthly average (Base / Peak*) Euro/MWh
Day-Ahead DE/AT – PHELIX	31.61 / 37.77
Day-Ahead FR	32.16 / 39.26
Day-Ahead CH – SWISSIX	32.70 / 39.60
European Electricity Index – ELIX	29.77 / 36.27
Intraday DE/AT (hourly continuous)	32.91 / 39.01
Intraday 15-minute call auction DE	31.77 / 37.62
Intraday FR	32.39 / 39.74
Intraday CH (hourly continuous)	34.31 / 41.62

* Peak excl. weekend