OTC Derivatives and Central Counterparty Clearing Solutions

Turn short-term challenges into competitive advantage by engineering processes and technology to support ongoing dynamic changes

U.S. and European financial regulations are driving radical changes in the way that OTC derivatives will be traded, cleared, and reported. While these changes seek to address systemic financial risk in the OTC derivatives market, a number of issues remain. In the U.S., near-term deadlines for compliance have placed intense demands on market participants to make far-reaching changes. Although much of the European legislation has yet to be finalized, market participants expect that it will closely follow U.S. rulings in key areas, with a similar impact to trading, clearing, and reporting.

Compliance will be challenging, but those market participants that invest to improve process and technology will not only meet regulatory requirements, but benefit from more cost-effective and efficient processes.

Capgemini understands the operational, risk, and technology issues involved in central counterparty (CCP) clearing of swaps. We have the proven expertise, real-world domain experience, and technical specialists to untangle this multidimensional problem to implement process and technology changes to trade flow—including reconciliation, collateral management, corporate actions, and risk management—as well as meet increasingly stringent reporting requirements.

Capgemini helps you meet compliance deadlines quickly and cost-efficiently with our proven solutions.
Our compliance and risk management consultants can recommend targeted solutions to efficiently meet immediate compliance deadlines based on Dodd-Frank and European Market Infrastructure Regulation (EMIR). But we can also provide the thought leadership to define strategic initiatives to turn a short-term challenge into a medium-term competitive advantage—supporting changing trade processing workflows as regulations continue to evolve, or managing the intricacies of collateral and margin management in a mixed clearing environment.

**Solutions**
Capgemini provides solutions focused on the changing trade flows of OTC derivatives in addition to standard solutions for reconciliation, collateral management, and corporate actions.

**Clearinghouse Connectivity**
Complete messaging connectivity to OTC derivatives clearinghouses for clearing, novation consent, termination, and affirmation.

**Trade Hub**
- Transaction management framework to support evolving trade flows
- Support for tear up/ake up, compression, amendment, termination, maturity, and novation
- Infrastructure and supply integrated data for new collateral models and margin calls; additional reconciliations; and models for risk, funding, and valuation
- Eligibility services for rules-based routing to preferred platform

**Accelerators**
**Process Expertise**
- Expertise in collateral management, reconciliations, and corporate actions processing
- Understanding of current and proposed trade flows—and exceptions—for both clearing and executing brokers

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**Technology Depth**
- Unified FPML-based schema for all clearinghouse data
- Understanding of interface protocols and variations for each clearinghouse

**Capgemini Trade Hub Frameworks**
Our proprietary framework supports integrated, flexible connectivity and transaction management.

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**Vendor Alliances**
Major alliances with Calypso, Murex, and Pegasystems.

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