



Special Executive Report

DATE: February 14, 2018
SER#: 8091
SUBJECT: Reduction of Block Trade Minimum Quantity Threshold Level of Four (4) Natural Gas Futures and Options Contracts

Effective Sunday, March 11, 2018, for trade date Monday, March 12, 2018, and pending all relevant CFTC regulatory review periods, New York Mercantile Exchange, Inc. ("NYMEX" or "Exchange") will reduce the block trade minimum quantity threshold level of four (4) natural gas futures and options contracts (the "Contracts") as more specifically described in the table below.

Contract Title	Clearing/ CME ClearPort Code	CME Globex Code	Rulebook Chapter	Block Trade Minimum Quantity Threshold Level	
				Current	Effective on Trade Date March 12, 2018
Henry Hub Natural Gas Last Day Financial Futures	NN	NN	508	25	10
Natural Gas Option on Calendar Futures Strip	6J	A6J	351	15	10
Natural Gas Option on Summer Futures Strip	4D	A4D	352	15	10
Natural Gas Option on Winter Futures Strip	6I	A6I	353	15	10

The reduction of the block trade minimum quantity threshold level is being implemented to align the requirement with similar natural gas contracts.

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