

## **Clearing Transaction Timeline**

CME Clearing adheres to a designated timeline for daily performance bond collateral transaction and settlement cycle processing. The time frames apply to all specialized programs supported by CME Group, unless noted otherwise.

8:30 a.m. CT	Clearing firm deadline to notify the collateral bank of treasury security delivery for same day performance bond credit. This applies to CME & CME/OCC cross margining program.  Clearing firm deadline to enter withdrawal request to C21 Banking and Asset Management to release foreign currency performance bond cash (MXN, CAD, EUR, & GBP) for same day value.  Foreign debt deposit or withdrawal requests to C21 Banking and Asset Management for same day settlement.
9:30 a.m. CT	Clearing firm deadline to input security transactions to C21 Banking and Asset Management for CME & CME/OCC cross margining program.
10:30 a.m. CT	Clearing firm deadline to input withdrawal request to C21 Banking and Asset Management to withdraw excess securities for CME & CME/OCC cross-margining program.  Clearing firm deadline to enter withdrawal request to C21 Banking and Asset Management to release foreign currency performance bond cash for next day value.  Clearing firm deadline to enter requests for deposit and withdrawal of stock through DTC system.  Deadline for CME to access DTC system for pledges and withdrawals of stock for pb. credit for ITD cycle.
11:00 a.m. CT	Clearing firm deadline to input IEF2, IEF3, IEF4 and IEF5 purchase/withdrawal instructions to C21 Banking and Asset Management.  Clearing firm deadline for phone notification to the Clearing House of intention to either invest dollars in IEF2 & IEF5 or liquidate IEF2 & IEF5.  Original letters of credit or amendments to previously issued letters of credit to CME for ITD cycle performance bond credit must be received by 11:00 AM.
1:30 p.m. CT	Clearing firm deadline to notify bank of intention to deliver securities for afternoon performance bond credit for CME & CME/OCC cross-margining program.  Clearing firm deadline for deposits of stock into DTC system to receive performance bond credit.
2:00 p.m. CT	Clearing firm deadline to enter Treasury security withdrawal and deposit transactions to C21 Banking and Asset Management for excess Treasury collateral allocated to CME or for CME & CME/OCC cross-margining program.  Settlement bank confirmation; payment obligations due and owed to the Clearing House from the ITD settlement cycle will be paid.  P.M. IEF2 deposit and withdrawal deadlines vary by fund, but are not later than 2:00 p.m. Please call the Clearing House Financial Unit at 312 207 2594 for specific deadlines.  *Note: Deadline for Chase, N.Y. treasuries is 1:30 p.m.