

TO: Clearing Firms; Back Office Managers; CME Optimizer Users; CME CORE Users

FROM: CME Clearing

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ADVISORY #: 21-407

SUBJECT: Reminder: CME Optimizer Software Version 17 Release, Mandatory Upgrade Required

November 15, 2021

As a reminder, CME released a new build of the Optimizer software, version 17. Optimizer users must upgrade to the newest build on the production deadline November 15, 2021. Firms who do not upgrade on the production deadline will experience subsequent Optimizer failures. The Optimizer was made available for testing on **September 27, 2021**.

Please see advisory 21-346 for more details.

Please reach out to the CORE team at cme.core@cmegroup.com with questions.