



Special Executive Report

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SUBJECT: Permanent Increase of Maximum Order Quantity and TOP Order Allocation Maximum for Corn and Soybean Futures Calendar Spread Futures Contracts

The Board of Trade of the City of Chicago, Inc. ("CBOT" or "Exchange") implemented a pilot program to increase the maximum order quantity and the TOP order allocation maximum (the "Pilot Program") for trading calendar spreads on Corn and Soybean futures contracts (the "Contracts") on the CME Globex electronic trading platform, which commenced on trade date Monday, July 30, 2018 and scheduled to conclude on trade date Monday, December 31, 2018. (See [SER-8202R](#) dated October 28, 2018).

The Exchange monitored trading activity of the Contracts during the Pilot Program and determined to implement the increases on a permanent basis as more specifically described in the table below.

| Increase of Maximum Order Quantity and TOP Order Allocation Maximum for Calendar Spreads on Corn Futures and Soybean Futures | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Product | CME Globex Code | Previous Maximum Order Quantity | New Permanent Maximum Order Quantity | Previous TOP Order Allocation Maximum | New Permanent TOP Order Allocation Maximum |
| Corn Calendar Spread Futures | ZC | 2,500 | 10,000 | 100 | 1,000 |
| Soybean Calendar Spread Futures | ZS | 2,500 | 10,000 | 100 | 1,000 |

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