

**Advisory Notice**  
Clearing House

SPAN 08-73

TO: Clearing Member Firms  
SPAN Users

FROM: CME Clearing

SUBJECT: **NYMEX & COMEX SPAN Files**

DATE: April 11, 2008

Please be advised that as of May 30, 2008 the NYMEX and COMEX SPAN Standard format parameter files will no longer be published. Only the Expanded format Early and Final SPAN parameter files will be available for NYMEX and COMEX which are currently available through the existing SPAN file retrieval methods.

The last Standard files will be created for the May 30, 2008 trade date. All users of the Standard SPAN files must migrate to the Expanded SPAN Files before this date.

The layout of the records for the SPAN Expanded Format parameter file can be found at:

<http://www.cme-ch.com/span/spanl300.htm> <<http://www.cme-ch.com/span/spanl300.htm>

If you have any questions, please contact NYMEX Third Party Services, 1-800-275-6215, [thirdpartyservices@nymex.com](mailto:thirdpartyservices@nymex.com), or Paul Sacristan, 212-299-2678, [psacristan@nymex.com](mailto:psacristan@nymex.com).