

## MARKET NOTICE

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**Date:** 07 February 2024

**SUBJECT:** CHANGES TO INITIAL MARGIN REQUIREMENTS FOR DERIVATIVE MARKETS

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Dear Client,

Please be informed that new initial margin parameters for the Equity Derivative and Currency Derivative markets to be implemented on **Friday, 9 February 2024**, can be found in this directory:

- EDM – [https://www.jse.co.za/downloadable-files?RequestNode=/Initial Margin Parameter Data/Official Initial Margin Parameters/EDM](https://www.jse.co.za/downloadable-files?RequestNode=/Initial%20Margin%20Parameter%20Data/Official%20Initial%20Margin%20Parameters/EDM)
- FXD – [https://www.jse.co.za/downloadable-files?RequestNode=/Initial Margin Parameter Data/Official Initial Margin Parameters/IRC/FX](https://www.jse.co.za/downloadable-files?RequestNode=/Initial%20Margin%20Parameter%20Data/Official%20Initial%20Margin%20Parameters/IRC/FX)

*The settlement margin requirement (SMR) on physically delivered contracts will be updated on 9 February 2024. The SMR per contract will be computed as the initial margin requirement divided by contract size.*

All margins will be published whether they are changed or not with the date of the implementation in the file name.

For any queries regarding the location of the files containing these parameters, please contact the Client Service Centre (CSC) on +27 11 520 7777 or [CustomerSupport@jse.co.za](mailto:CustomerSupport@jse.co.za)

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