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1 | Contract Specifications – Quanto Futures

FUTURES CONTRACT	BRENT CRUDE OIL QUANTO	COPPER QUANTO	GOLD QUANTO
Trading system code	QBRN	QCOP	QGLD
Trading hours	08:30 to 17:00 South African time. Admin period from 17h00 to 17h15 (Monday to Friday except South African National Holidays)		
Underlying instrument	A brent crude oil futures contract that is cash settled and traded in ZAR, but mimics the performance of the foreign referenced USD price of brent crude as traded on NYMEX, a subsidiary of the CME Group Inc. Any relative price change in the latter will be matched by the former in ZAR. The JSE reserves the right to amend the contract specifications including settlement methodology should this be amended by the reference exchange.	A copper futures contract that is cash settled and traded in ZAR, but mimics the performance of the foreign referenced USD price of copper as traded on NYMEX through its COMEX Division, a subsidiary of the CME Group Inc. Any relative price change in the latter will be matched by the former in ZAR. The JSE reserves the right to amend the contract specifications including settlement methodology should this be amended by the reference exchange.	A gold futures contract that is cash settled and traded in ZAR, but mimics the performance of the foreign referenced USD price of gold as traded on NYMEX through its COMEX Division, a subsidiary of the CME Group Inc. Any relative price change in the latter will be matched by the former in ZAR. The JSE reserves the right to amend the contract specifications including settlement methodology should this be amended by the reference exchange.
Contract months	February, May, August, November.		
Contract size	1 contract = 1000 multiplier of the reference price per barrel	1 contract = 25,000 multiplier of the reference price per pound.	1 contract = 100 multiplier of the reference price per ounce.
Quotations	Denominated in South African Rand (ZAR) with the contract price referencing the foreign underlying commodity market for the expiry linked delivery period. As an example, if for the September delivery month in the US trades at USD 99.95 per barrel, the JSE August quanto futures will be quoted at approximately ZAR	Denominated in South African Rand (ZAR) with the contract price referencing the foreign underlying commodity market for the expiry linked delivery period. As an example, if for the September delivery month in the US trades at USD 333 per pound, the JSE August quanto futures will be quoted at	Denominated in South African Rand (ZAR) with the contract price referencing the foreign underlying commodity market for the expiry linked delivery period. As an example, if for the September delivery month in the US trades at USD 1597.30 per ounce, the JSE August quanto futures will be quoted at approximately ZAR





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	99.95 per contract depending on the market makers pricing.	approximately ZAR 3.33 per contract depending on the market makers pricing.	1597.30 per contract depending on the market makers pricing.
Minimum price movement	0.01 ZAR per contract unit.	0.05 ZAR per contract unit.	0.10 ZAR per contract unit.
Listing programme	Ensure a minimum of two expiries are available for trade with the near having committed market maker(s). Should there be demand for any other calendar month combinations, these will be introduced on a demand basis and will apply to the standard contract conditions.		
Expiry dates & times (see the product trading calendar on the web page www.jse.co.za/commodities for the detailed trading calendar)	Expiry date will be the 12 th day prior to the first business day of the reference month, should the day fall on a national holiday in either South Africa or US, or a weekend, the first business day prior to this will be referenced:	Expiry date will be the 12 th day prior to the first business day of the reference month, should the day fall on a national holiday in either South Africa or US, or a weekend, the first business day prior to this will be referenced:	Expiry date will be the 12 th day prior to the first business day of the reference month, with the exception of the Feb and Aug expiries which will reference a further dated month but continue to expire on the same calendar day as all other Quanto's. Should the day fall on a national holiday in either South Africa or US, or a weekend, the first business day prior to this will be referenced:
	JSE BRENT Expiry Reference Feb Mar May Jun Aug Sep Nov Dec	JSE Copper Expiry Reference Feb Mar May Jun Aug Sep Nov Dec	JSE Gold Expiry Reference Feb Apr May Jun Aug Oct Nov Dec



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Determination of final cash settlement value	The final settlement price for cash settlement of the contract will require only a CME Group component, denominated in ZAR. There will be no foreign exchange rate adjustments.		
	The CME Group settlement value (MTM) as published on the expiry date of the South African contract will be applied as the final cash settlement value. Due to the time difference the final cash settlement value published by CME will only be reflected the following business day for the final cash settlement process for remaining position holders. Should the ZAR expiry day fall on an unannounced CME non trading day, the final cash settlement will reference the next CME business days MTM.		
	An example, the Aug12 expiry last trading day will be the 12 th August, however since this falls on a weekend, the 10 th Aug will be last trading day with the evening mtm based on local trading activity. That evening CME's MTM for the reference contract, in the case of QBRN the Sep12 MTM will then be used as the final cash settlement value of the contract processed on the 13 th August 2012. Initial margin will be returned on the 14 th August.		
	The final ZAR settlement value will be rounded off to 2 decimals.		
	The final ZAR settlement value will be publish via the trading system (NUTRON) the next business day and included in the end of day settlement prices.		
Settlement method	Denominated and cash settled in South African Rands (ZAR).		
On introduction:	Initial Margin Requirement = R8800 per contract, Calendar Spread Margin = R2600 per contract	Initial Margin Requirement = R6800 per contract, Calendar Spread Margin = R2000 per contract	Initial Margin Requirement = R7700 per contract, Calendar Spread Margin = R2300 per contract
Initial margin requirements	As per the JSE margining methodology, for the latest initial margin requirements per contract please visit the products page on the web: http://www.jse.co.za/commoditiesimr		
Daily mark-to-market	As determined by the JSE, a snapshot from trading activity in the last 5 minutes will be considered for the daily m-t-m.		
Exchange fees (incl. VAT)	R 10.00 per contract	R 10.00 per contract	R 13.00 per contract.
Daily price limits	No price limits will be applicable		
Position limits	No position limits in South Africa however the JSE reserves the right to implement such.		
Volatility scanning range	3.5		





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Qualifying audience allowed to participate	 Individuals and Foreigners have no limits. Corporate entities have no limits. Retirement funds and long term insurance companies subject to their 25% foreign allocation limits. Investment managers and registered collective investment schemes subject to their 35% foreign allocation limits. 		
Trade types accommodated	All trading activity (bids and offers) must be entered onto the central order book during trading hours however the JSE will accommodate the following report only trade types provided they meet the existing criteria: • Exchange for Risk (EFR's). • Net-off of positions applicable to the same legal entity. • The JSE will accept transactions specific to the contract outside of the standard trading hours as agreed between registered counterparties. A minimum contract volume of 25 contracts will be required in order for this transaction to be processed. These transactions must be reported to the JSE before 07h30 the following morning and must be market related – the transactions will then be entered into the order book by the JSE before market opens		

2 | Contract Specifications — Quanto Options

OPTIONS CONTRACT	CRUDE OIL	COPPER	GOLD QUANTO
Trading System Code	QBRN	QCOP	QGLD
Trading Hours	08:30 to 17:00 South African time. Admin period from 17h00 to 17h15 (Monday to Friday except South African National Holidays)		
Underlying Instrument	A JSE Brent Quanto Futures contract	A JSE Copper Quanto contract	A JSE Gold Quanto Futures contract
Options Type	American style options		
Contract size	One contract = QBRN futures contract	One contract = QCOP futures contract	One contract = QGLD futures contract





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Contract months	February, May, August and November		
Price Quotation	Options will be quoted in ZAR per full nominal of each contract		
Strike price intervals	R5.00 per contract unit strike price intervals.	R1.00 per contract unit strike price intervals	R20.00 per contract unit strike price intervals
Expiration of trading	Options will expire on the same day as the listed futures contract and reference the published closing price in order to determine if the option strike is in the money.		
Exercise Criteria	Options are American style with the long position holder able to exercise the option position at any time during trading hours up to and including the expiration date. All in the money options will be automatically exercised by the JSE at expiration.		
Daily Mark-to-market	The JSE will determine the daily m-t-m in accordance with the defined processes. The JSE reserves the right to introduce a volatility surface	The JSE will determine the daily m-t-m in accordance with the defined processes. The JSE reserves the right to introduce a volatility surface.	The JSE will determine the daily m-t-m in accordance with the defined processes. The JSE reserves the right to introduce a volatility surface.
Settlement Method	Cash settled in ZAR.		
Exchange Fees	R6.00 per contract (incl Vat), all options exercised into futures will not be charged a JSE fee, if exercised early the trades should not be included in any post trade activity to realise this benefit.	R6.00 per contract (incl Vat), all options exercised into futures will not be charged a JSE fee, if exercised early the trades should not be included in any post trade activity to realise this benefit.	R8.00 per contract (incl Vat), all options exercised into futures will not be charged a JSE fee, if exercised early the trades should not be included in any post trade activity to realise this benefit.
Trade types accommodated	All trading activity (bids and offers) must be entered onto the central order book during trading hours however the JSE will accommodate the following report only trade types provided they meet the existing criteria: • Exchange for Risk (EFR's). • Net-off of positions applicable to the same legal entity. • The JSE will accept transactions specific to the contract outside of the standard trading hours as agreed between registered counterparties. A minimum contract volume of 25 contracts will be required in order for this transaction to be processed. These transactions must be reported to the JSE before 07h30 the following morning and must be market related – the transactions will then be entered into the order book by the JSE before market opens.		

