The NASDAQ OMX Group

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Q210 Highlights

Business Highlights

- Completed \$200 million of share repurchase program (~ 10 million shares);
 announced board approval of an additional \$100 million (\$400 million total)
- Announced the acquisition of SMARTS Group, a technology provider of market surveillance solutions
- Announced that Singapore Exchange (SGX) will adopt Genium INET
- Continued listings success, welcoming 16 new listings from Greater China and winning 80% of technology IPOs year-to-date
- Registered Interest Rate Swap contracts for clearing at IDCG and in the Nordic clearinghouse
- Recorded record day in NASDAQ Closing Cross, executing 1.04 billion shares in 0.855 seconds

Operational Highlights

- Strength in core fundamentals
 - Improving capture rates in U.S. equities with stable market share
 - Growing market share in U.S. options
 - Growth in European derivatives volumes
 - Attracted 66 new listings, including 27 IPOs

Non-GAAP Results⁽¹⁾

- Net Exchange Revenues⁽²⁾:
 \$390 million
 (\$360 million in Q110)
- Total Operating Expenses:
 \$207 million
 (\$201 million in Q110)
- Net Income Attributable to NASDAQ OMX: \$108 million (\$92 million in Q110)
- Diluted EPS: \$0.52
 (\$0.43 in Q110)



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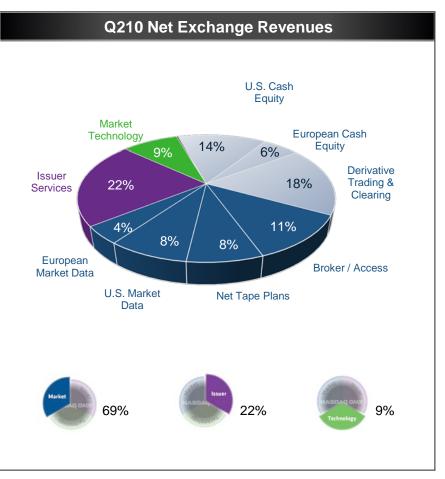
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Net Exchange Revenues

Revenues grew by 8% when compared to Q110

(In \$millions)

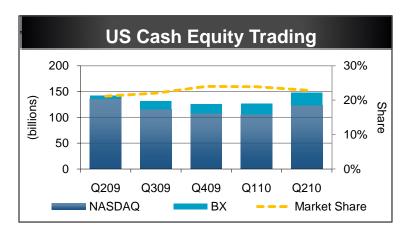
Revenue Statement	Q210	Q110	Q209
Cash Equity Trading	76	55	68
Derivative Trading and Clearing	69	61	55
Access Services	41	39	32
Total Transaction Services	186	155	155
Net U.S. Tape Plans	30	31	30
U.S. Market Data Products	32	31	31
European Market Data Products	17	18	19
Broker Services	4	4	9
Other Market Services	1	2	2
Total Market Services	270	241	246
Global Listing Services	74	72	75
Global Index Group	12	12	10
Total Issuer Services	86	84	85
Market Technology	34	34	36
Other	-	1	-
Net Exchange Revenues (1)	390	360	367



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U.S. Transaction Drivers





(1) Pending SEC approval.

U.S. Cash Equity Trading

- 22.8% matched market share in Q210
 - NASDAQ 19.0%; BX 3.8%
- Total matched volume reached 148 billion shares in Q210, up from 142 billion in Q209
- BX volumes continue to grow, reaching 24.5 billion shares in Q210
- · Improving net capture rate
- Plans to introduce new price/size trading venue (1)

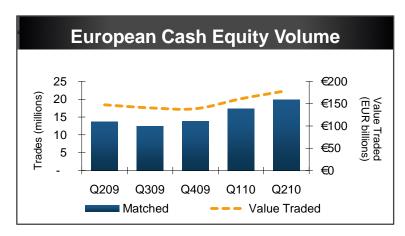
Options Volume

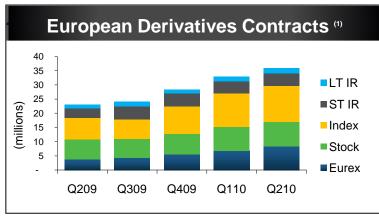
- Q210 combined share increased by 3.8 percentage points to 25.1% from prior-year levels
 - PHLX 21.7%; NOM 3.4%
- Q210 volumes increased 30% from Q209 levels
- Share growth through PHLX's enhanced complex order execution capabilities

Improving competitive position



European Transaction Drivers





(1) Excludes volume traded at EDX.

Increases in activity

- 19.8 million trades in Q210 represent an increase of 45% from Q209 levels
- Value traded of €179 billion in Q210 represents an increase of 22% from Q209 levels

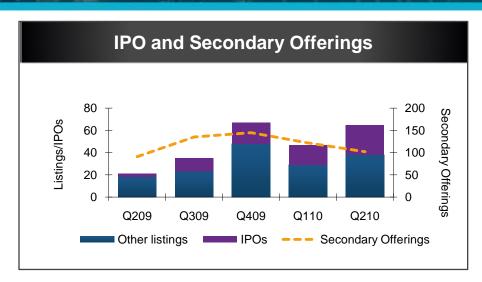
Derivative volume trending higher

- Increasing volumes for Stock and Index options and futures
- 32.9 million contracts traded in Q210, a 56% increase over Q209 levels
 - 12.6 million index contracts, up 64% from Q209
 - 6.3 million fixed income contracts, up 37% from Q209
 - Stock option and futures volume at OMX up 24% from Q209 to 8.7 million contracts

Recovering fundamentals drive volume growth

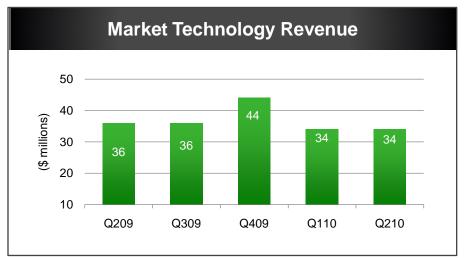


Issuer Services And Market Technology



IPO and Secondary offerings

- 27 IPOs in Q210, up from 18 in Q110 and 3 in Q209
- Total new listings grew to 65 in Q210, up from 21 in Q209
- 16 new Chinese company listings in Q210 for a total of 144, more than any other U.S. exchange
- Secondary offerings are also showing significant growth, with a total of 102, up from 91 in Q209



Strong customer pipeline

- Singapore Exchange (SGX) announced plans to adopt Genium INET technology
- Order intake was \$12 million in Q210, up 20% from Q209
- Total order value ("TOV") increased in Q210 to \$453 million, up from \$315 million in the prior year
 - The table to the right reflects the year in which TOV will be recognized into revenue (1)

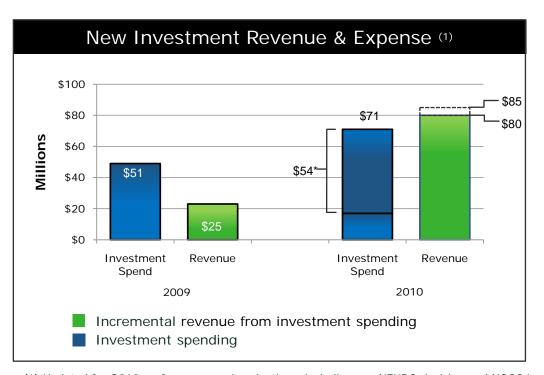
Year	TOV
2010 (2)	62
2011	116
2012	95
2013	71
2014	52
2015 +	57
Total	\$453

^{1.} The recognition and timing of these revenues depends on many factors, including those that are not within our control. As such, the following table of Market Technology revenues to be recognized in the future represents our best estimate.

^{2.} Represents revenue that is anticipated to be recognized over the remaining six months of 2010.

Investments in New Initiatives

- Expected to generate between \$80 to \$85 million in revenue in 2010
- Targeted to provide a 5-year rate of return in excess of twice our WACC
- Initiatives launched in 2009 expected to deliver margins of 40-45% in 2010, with further margin expansion in 2011.



New Initiatives

- BX Equity Market
- NASDAQ Options Market
- Global Index Data Service
- NASDAQ Basic
- Pinpoint Market
 Intelligence/Bloom Partners
- IDCG
- PSX Equity Market
- UK Power Market
- NOCC
- Other 2010 new initiatives
- (1) Updated for Q210 performance and projections, including our NEURO decision and NOCC investment.
- * Represents incremental spend for revenues in 2010 and beyond.

Driving top line growth



Foreign Currency Exchange Impact

(In \$millions except for EPS and FX rates)

Q210 Results	USD	SEK	EUR	DKK	NOK	GBP	Other	Total
Net exchange revenues (1)	280	44	39	7	4	2	14	390
Total non-GAAP operating expenses (2)	130	51	5	4	5	3	9	207
Non-GAAP operating income (3)	150	(7)	34	3	(1)	(1)	5	183
Average FX to USD in Q210	-	0.132	1.270	0.171	0.161	1.49	-	-

^{*} All values are presented in US dollars.

FX Impact on Q210 Results at: (4)	Q110	Q209
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Net exchange revenues (1)	(8)	2
Total non-GAAP operating expenses (2)	5	(2)
Non-GAAP operating income (3)	(3)	-
Diluted earnings per share	(\$0.01)	-

USD	=	US Dollar
SEK	=	Swedish Krona
EUR	=	Euro
DKK	=	Danish Krone
NOK	=	Norwegian Krone
GBP	=	British Pound Sterlin

- (1) Net exchange revenues reflect total revenues less liquidity rebates, brokerage, clearance and exchange fees.
- (2) Please refer to slide 17 of this presentation for a complete reconciliation of non-GAAP operating expenses.
- (3) Please refer to slide 16 of this presentation for a complete reconciliation of non-GAAP operating income.
- (4) The impact reflects changes to Q210 results if amounts were translated at the prior period rates.

Operating Expenses

(In \$millions)

Total Non-GAAP operating expenses	Q210	Q110	Q209	Q210 Expense Categories
Compensation and benefits	101	97	102	4% 6% Compensation Marketing
Marketing & advertising	5	4	3	Depreciation Professional Services
Depreciation & amortization	25	25	25	10% ■ Occupancy
Professional and contract services	20	19	17	12% Regulatory G&A
Computer ops. & data comm.	14	16	14	(In \$millions) Quarterly Expense Trend (2)
Occupancy	21	20	18	300 251
Regulatory	9	9	10	250 222 213 194 199 197 204 201 207
General, admin. & other	12	11	10	150
Total non-GAAP operating expenses (1)	207	201	199	100
Expenses at Constant FX (3)	207	196	201	Q208 Q308 Q408 Q109 Q209 Q309 Q409 Q110 Q210

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⁽²⁾ Q208 through Q308 results are presented on a pro forma non-GAAP basis that reflect the results of NASDAQ OMX and PHLX as if they were a combined company for the periods presented, and exclude merger expenses and certain other non-recurring items. Please refer to the non-GAAP schedules at the end of this slide presentation for a complete reconciliation.

⁽³⁾ Expenses presented using Q210 foreign currency exchange rates.

Balance Sheet Highlights

(in \$ millions)	6-30-10	12-31-09
<u>Assets</u>		
Cash, Restricted Cash & Short Term Investments	\$ 972	\$ 1,012
Receivables, net	361	301
Market value, outstanding derivative positions	1,511	2,054
Goodwill	4,526	4,800
Intangible assets, net	1,513	1,631
Other assets	1,027	924
Total assets	\$9,910	\$10,722
Liabilities and stockholders' equity		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 172	\$ 119
Market value, outstanding derivative positions	1,511	2,054
Debt obligations	2,052	2,092
Non-current deferred tax liabilities	644	683
Other liabilities	838	815
Total liabilities	\$5,217	\$5,763
Series A convertible preferred stock	-	15
Total equity	4,693	4,944
Total liabilities, series A convertible preferred stock and equity	\$9,910	\$10,722

Balance Sheet & Capital Spending Highlights

- Debt Obligations
 - Principal amount of outstanding debt obligations were \$2.1 billion at the end of Q210
 - Made optional debt payments of \$42 million
 - Term loan \$25 million
 - Nord Pool obligation \$17 million
- Capital Spending
 - Purchases of property and equipment totaled \$20 million for Q210
 - Repurchased \$154 million of shares in Q210
- Market Value Outstanding Derivative Positions
 - As legal counterparty for Nordic clearing transactions, NASDAQ OMX reports gross market value of derivative positions, net of customer positions



Debt Obligations

(in \$ millions)	6-30-10
Term Loan	\$ 675
5 Year Bond	398
10 Year Bond	598
3.75% Convertible Note (1)	-
2.50% Convertible Note	381
Other	-
Total Debt Obligations	\$ 2,052
Less Current Portion	(140)
Long Term Portion	\$ 1,912

Cash & Investments	\$ 972
Less: Restricted Cash and Regulatory Capital	(458)
Net Debt Excluding Restricted Cash and Regulatory Capital	\$ 1,538

- Total principal amount of debt obligations were
 \$2.1 billion at the end of Q210
- Restricted and regulatory capital of \$458 million consists of clearing capital, broker dealer requirements, SEC section 31 fees collected, and other commitments
- Net Debt to EBITDA is 2.0 x
 - Net Debt = \$1,538 million
 - LTM EBITDA = \$763 million (reconciliation provided on Slide 19)

Note: All debt is shown at book value

Approximately \$0.5 million principal amount of the 3.75% convertible notes remain outstanding.



Net Income:

Reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q210	Q110	Q209
GAAP Net Income attributable to NASDAQ OMX:	\$96	\$ 61	\$ 69
Adjustments:			
Workforce reductions	3	2	3
Merger and strategic initiatives	1	-	3
Loss on divestiture of businesses	11	-	-
Loss on exchange of ownership of NASDAQ Dubai	1	-	-
Occupancy	-	2	-
Asset retirements	-	3	3
Debt related charges	-	40	-
Technology	-	-	1
Gain on debt extinguishment	-	-	(1)
Loss on sale of unconsolidated investee	-	-	19
Loss on sale of investment	-	-	5
Total Adjustments	16	47	33
Adjustment to the income tax provision to reflect non-GAAP adjustments (1)	(7)	(16)	(3)
Non-recurring tax items, net	3		-
Total Adjustments, net of tax	12	31	30
Non-GAAP Net Income attributable to NASDAQ OMX:	\$108	\$ 92	\$ 99

⁽¹⁾ We determine the tax effect of each item based on the tax rules in the respective jurisdiction where the transaction occurred.



EPS:

Reconciliation of GAAP to non-GAAP

	Q210	Q110	Q209
GAAP diluted earnings per common share:	\$0.46	\$0.28	\$0.33
Total other adjustments from non-GAAP net income (Slide 14)	\$0.06	0.15	0.14
Non-GAAP diluted earnings per common share	\$0.52	\$0.43	\$0.47



Operating Income:

Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q210	Q110	Q409	Q309	Q209	Q109
GAAP operating income:	\$179	\$112	\$149	\$131	\$159	\$166
Other adjustments:						
Workforce reductions	3	2	6	4	3	3
Occupancy	-	2	8	-	-	-
Debt related charges	-	40	-	-	-	-
Asset retirements	-	3	-	10	3	-
Professional	-	-	2	2	-	-
Technology	-	-	3	-	1	-
Regulatory	-	-	(3)	-	-	-
Gain on debt extinguishment	-	-	-	-	(1)	(4)
Loss on sale of business	-	-	-	-	-	2
Merger and strategic initiatives	1	-	-	5	3	8
Total adjustments	4	47	16	21	9	9
Non-GAAP operating income	\$183	\$159	\$165	\$152	\$168	\$175
Net exchange revenues (1)	\$390	\$360	\$369	\$349	\$367	\$369
Non-GAAP operating margin (2)	47%	44%	45%	44%	46%	47%



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⁽²⁾ Non-GAAP Operating Margin equals non-GAAP Operating Income divided by Net Exchange revenues

Operating Expenses:

Reconciliation of GAAP to Pro Forma and Pro Forma non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q210	Q110	Q409	Q309	Q209	Q109	Q408	Q308	Q208
GAAP Operating Expenses	\$211	\$248	\$220	\$218	\$208	\$203	\$223	\$227	\$225
Pro forma adjustments:									
OMX operating expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PHLX operating expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	30
Amortization of intangibles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Professional and contract services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Computer ops. and data comm.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total adjustments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	32
Pro forma operating expenses	\$211	\$248	\$220	\$218	\$208	\$203	\$223	\$235	\$257
Other adjustments:									
Workforce reductions	(3)	(2)	(6)	(4)	(3)	(3)	-	(2)	-
Occupancy	-	(2)	(8)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt related charges	-	(40)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asset retirements	-	(3)	-	(10)	(3)	-	-	-	-
Professional fees	-	-	(2)	(2)	-	-	-	(2)	-
Technology	-	-	(3)	-	(1)	-	-	-	-
Regulatory	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gain on debt extinguishment	-	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	-
Loss on sale of business	-	-	-	-	-	(2)	-	-	-
Merger and strategic initiatives	(1)	-	-	(5)	(3)	(8)	(10)	(9)	(6)
Total adjustments	(4)	(47)	(16)	(21)	(9)	(9)	(10)	(13)	(6)
PF non-GAAP operating expenses	\$207	\$201	\$204	\$197	\$199	\$194	\$213	\$222	\$251



Expense Detail:

Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP

(in \$ millions)	Q210	Q110	Q409	Q309	Q209	Q109
Compensation						
GAAP	104	99	110	99	105	97
Adjustments	(3)	(2)	(6)	(4)	(3)	(3)
non-GAAP	\$101	\$97	\$104	\$95	\$102	\$94
Depreciation and amortization						
GAAP	25	25	27	27	27	24
Adjustments	-	-	-	-	(2)	-
non-GAAP	\$25	\$25	\$27	\$27	\$25	\$24
Professional and contract services						
GAAP	20	19	20	20	17	18
Adjustments	-	-	(2)	(2)	-	-
non-GAAP	\$20	\$19	\$18	\$18	\$17	\$18
Computer Operations and data communications						
GAAP	14	16	16	14	14	15
Adjustments	-	-	(3)	-	-	-
non-GAAP	\$14	\$16	\$13	\$14	\$14	\$15
Occupancy						
GAAP	21	22	26	19	18	17
Adjustments	-	(2)	(8)	-	-	-
non-GAAP	\$21	\$20	\$18	\$19	\$18	\$17
Regulatory						
GAAP	9	9	3	10	10	9
Adjustments	-	_	5	-	-	-
non-GAAP	\$9	\$9	\$8	\$10	\$10	\$9
Merger and strategic initiatives						
GAAP	1	-	-	5	3	8
Adjustments	(1)	_	-	(5)	(3)	(8)
non-GAAP	-			-	-	-
General, administrative and other						
GAAP	12	54	11	21	11	13
Adjustments	-	(43)	(2)	(10)	(1)	2
non-GAAP	\$12	\$11	\$9	\$11	\$10	\$15
Total Adjustments	(4)	(47)	(16)	(21)	(9)	(9)

EBITDA

(Earnings Before Interest Taxes Depreciation and Amortization)

(in \$ millions)	LTM	Q210	Q110	Q409	Q309
Non-GAAP operating income (Slide 16)	\$659	\$183	\$159	\$165	\$152
Plus:					
Depreciation (Slide 18)	104	25	25	27	27
EBITDA	\$763	\$208	\$184	\$192	\$179

Note: LTM refers to Last Twelve Months

