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**EPEX SPOT trading results of July 2015**

### **Intraday markets top 4 TWh**

**Paris / Leipzig / Bern / Vienna, 03 August 2015.** In July 2015, a total volume of **37.0 TWh** was traded on EPEX SPOT's Day-Ahead and Intraday power markets (July 2014: 30.9 TWh).

For the first time ever, more than 4 TWh were traded on Intraday markets in one month.

#### **Day-Ahead markets**

In July 2015, power trading on the Day-Ahead markets on EPEX SPOT accounted for a total of 32,875,367 MWh (July 2014: 28,339,396 MWh).

Prices in Central Western Europe, connected within the European Price Coupling, converged 44% of the time, the highest rate this year so far.

#### **Intraday markets**

On the EPEX SPOT Intraday markets, a total volume of 4,093,476 MWh was traded in July 2015 (July 2014: 2,515,395 MWh).

Intraday trading volume topped 4 TWh for the first time ever. This evolution underlines the demand for flexible power trading solutions which EPEX SPOT's Intraday markets provide: 15-minute granularity of contracts and a reduced lead-time since 16 July 2015 help traders cope better with the challenges of a transforming power market.

The Swiss Intraday market particularly stood out with 165,103 MWh traded, a 29% jump over the previous all-time high (127,775 MWh in June 2015).

In July, cross-border trades represented 21.3% of the total continuous Intraday volume. 15-minute contracts represented 9.9% of the volume traded on the German and Swiss continuous Intraday markets.

Details on the volumes and prices are available in the enclosed monthly report on pages 3 and 4.

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## EPEX SPOT – Monthly Figures Report for July 2015

### Volumes

| <b>Power Spot Volumes</b>         | <b>Monthly volume<br/>MWh</b> | <b>Monthly volume –<br/>previous year<br/>MWh</b> |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|
| <b>Total</b>                      | <b>36,968,844</b>             | <b>30,854,791</b>                                 |
| <b>Day-Ahead</b>                  | <b>32,875,367</b>             | <b>28,339,396</b>                                 |
| Day-Ahead DE/AT                   | 21,965,470                    | 20,704,044  |
| Day-Ahead FR                      | 8,863,643                     | 5,959,612   |
| Day-Ahead CH                      | 2,046,254                     | 1,675,740   |
| <b>Intraday</b>                   | <b>4,093,476</b>              | <b>2,515,395</b>                                  |
| Intraday DE/AT                    | 3,581,838                     | 2,237,815   |
| - thereof hourly continuous DE/AT | 2,892,259                     | 1,767,440   |
| - thereof 15-min continuous DE    | 319,804                       | 470,375   |
| - thereof 15-min call auction DE  | 369,775                       | 0*  |
| Intraday FR (hourly continuous)   | 346,535                       | 169,825   |
| Intraday CH                       | 165,103                       | 107,755   |
| - thereof hourly continuous       | 157,490                       | 102,475   |
| - thereof 15-min continuous       | 7,613                         | 5,280   |

\* Segment launched in December 2014

## Prices and Indices

|                                    | Price – monthly average<br>(Base / Peak*)<br>Euro/MWh |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Day-Ahead DE/AT – PHELIX           | 35.00 / 40.73   |
| Day-Ahead FR                       | 37.95 / 46.07   |
| Day-Ahead CH – SWISSIX             | 35.98 / 42.19   |
| European Electricity Index – ELIX  | 33.23 / 39.51   |
| Intraday DE/AT (hourly continuous) | 36.08 / 43.08   |
| Intraday 15-minute call auction DE | 35.74 / 41.42   |
| Intraday FR                        | 37.05 / 45.83   |
| Intraday CH (hourly continuous)    | 36.99 / 44.51   |

\* Peak excl. weekend