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## **PREFACE**

In mid-1992 Fidelity Management and Research Company and Salomon Brothers Inc began work on a project to link the two firms' trading systems for the purpose of automating the exchange equity-related indication and execution messages. Fidelity had determined that it could help its traders become more effective by automating portions of their broker communication and thus reduce the time spent on the phone placing routine orders and recording fills. Salomon's motivation was the desire to leverage its investment in technology into increased service for its clients. The initial system link was brought up in early 1993 and has been in production each trading day since.

At the onset of the effort it was recognized that the success of the linkage would be determined by the two firms' ability to develop a workable set of messages and protocols to be used for the information exchange. The firms decided that the effort would be most successful if other buy- and sell-side representatives were involved in the specification discussions. Throughout 1993 a group of large financial firms met regularly to refine the specification and to share their experiences in its implementation. The group felt it necessary to limit participation in the effort until the concept had been proven in production and the rate of requests for modification to the protocol had slowed to the point which indicated it had stabilized. By early 1994 the majority of the committee members had implemented the protocol and felt that the stabilization requirement for general release had been satisfied.

The Financial Information Exchange Protocol is the result of these efforts. It is offered to the financial community as a starting point towards the establishment of a standard for broker/institution communication.

Feedback on this protocol, including comments on existing content and suggestions for additional message types, is requested. Feedback should directed to me at Salomon. My phone number in New Jersey is (201) 896-7789.

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## FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE PROTOCOL

#### INTRODUCTION

The Financial Information Exchange (FIX) Protocol is a message standard developed to facilitate the electronic exchange of information related to securities transactions. It is intended for use between brokers and institutions wishing to automate communications.

The message protocol, as defined, will support the following electronic conversations:

- Equity order submissions, cancellations and replacements
- Equity execution reporting
- Equity order statusing
- Equity trade allocation
- Indication of interest communication
- Completed trade advertisements
- Directed email and news messaging

The FIX protocol is defined at two levels; session and application. The session level is concerned with the delivery of data while the application level defines business related data content. This protocol is independent of the telecommunications protocol (X.25, asynch, internet, etc.) and medium chosen for electronic data delivery.

## **SESSION PROTOCOL**

Each connection between an institution and broker will be defined as a session. The Financial Information Exchange session consists of three parts:

- Connection, authentication and initialization
- Message exchange
- Logout

The following section describes each of these parts.

#### 1. Connection, authentication and initialization -

Establishing a communication session involves three distinct operations: creation of a telecommunications level link, authentication of the originating party by the accepting party and message synchronization (initialization). The connection sequence should contain the following steps:

- Authenticate as a valid user by submitting the *Logon* message which contains the login name and password as agreed upon between the parties.
- After validation, the accepting party's system will start the initialization process which will:
  - forward all queued outgoing messages awaiting transmission,
  - issue a test request message, and,
  - if the response to the test request is other than expected, issue a resend request for any untransmitted incoming messages.

## 2. Message exchange -

After completion of the initialization process, normal message exchange begins. The formats for all valid messages are detailed in the sections 'Administrative Messages' and 'Application Messages'.

General Message Format and Content:

The general format of a message is a standard message header followed by message body data and a standard trailer.

The Financial Information Exchange session protocol is based on an optimistic model; normal delivery of data is assumed (i.e. no acknowledgment of individual messages) with errors in delivery identified by message sequence number gaps. Each message (except certain of the administrative messages) is identified by a unique sequence number. It is the receiving application's responsibility to monitor incoming sequence numbers to identify gaps for response with resend request messages.

Each message is defined in a <tag>=<value> format. Except where noted, fields within a message can be defined in any sequence (i.e. relative position of a field within a record is inconsequential except where explicitly defined otherwise).

All fields in a FIX message are terminated by a delimiter character; the non-printing, ASCII "SOH" (#001), is used for this purpose. Note that records are delimited by the "SOH" character following the CheckSum field. All records begin with the "8=FIX.x.y" string and terminate with "10=nnn<SOH>".

There shall be no imbedded delimiter characters within fields except for type data.

Data Types:

Data types are mapped to ASCII strings as follows:

• int: Sequence of digits without commas or decimals and optional sign character (ASCII characters "-" and "0" - "9"). The sign character utilizes one byte (i.e. positive int is "99999") while negative int is "-99999").

Examples: 723 in field 21 would be mapped int as |21=723|.

-723 in field 12 would be mapped int as |12=-723|

- float: Sequence of digits with optional decimal point and sign character (ASCII characters "-", "0" "9" and "."); the absence of the decimal point within the string will be interpreted as the float representation of an integer value. All float fields must accommodate up to fifteen significant digits.
- char: Alpha-numeric free format strings, can include any character or punctuation except the delimiter. All char fields are case sensitive (i.e. morstatt ≠ Morstatt).
- data: Raw data with no format or content restrictions. Data fields are always preceded by a length field. *Caution: may contain the delimiter (SOH) character*.

Sequence Numbers:

All messages are identified by unique sequence number, except certain administrative messages. Sequence numbers are re-initialized each day starting at 1 (one) and increment throughout the day. In the event of a connection failure, the sequence numbers are used to resynchronize the applications. Each connection will establish an independent incoming and outgoing sequence series; participants will maintain a sequence series to assign to outgoing messages and a series to monitor for sequence gaps on incoming messages.

Heartbeats:

When message traffic is light the sending application will generate *heartbeat* messages at regular time intervals. The heartbeat will contain the next sequence number to be transmitted. The heartbeat is useful for identifying when the last of a string of messages are lost and for monitoring the status of the communication link. The heartbeat interval is declared by the session originator using the HeartBtInt field in the Logon message. The heartbeat interval timer should be reset after every message is transmitted (not just heartbeats).

#### Possible Duplicates:

In certain circumstances the sending application may be unsure if a message was successfully transmitted to its destination. In such cases a *poss dupe* message will be generated. The poss dupe will be a resend (with the same sequence number) of the data in question with the PossDupFlag included and set to "Y" in the header. It is the receiving application's responsibility to handle the poss dupe message (i.e. treat as a new message or discard as appropriate). All messages created as the result of a resend request will contain the PossDupFlag field, messages lacking the PossDupFlag field are original transmissions. The PossDup flag is used only to identify the resend of messages with a previously recorded sequence number.

#### Possible Resends:

Application level messages which appear to the end-user to be in an ambiguous state may be resent with the PossResend flag set. An example of when this is useful is the case where an order remains unacknowledged for an inordinate length of time and the end-user suspects it had never been sent. The receiving application must recognize this flag and interrogate internal fields (order number, etc.) to determine if this order has been previously received.

#### Data Integrity:

Integrity of message data content can be verified in two ways; verification of record length and a simple checksum of characters. The record length is indicated in the BodyLength field and can be verified by counting the number of characters in the message following the BodyLength field up to, and including, the delimiter immediately preceding the CheckSum tag ("10="). An additional integrity check is to sum the binary value of each character from the "8" of "8=" up to and included the <SOH> character immediately preceding the CheckSum tag field and comparing the least significant eight bits of the calculated value to the CheckSum value (see Appendix B for a complete description).

## Required Fields:

Each message within the protocol is comprised of *required*, *non-required* and *conditionally required* (fields which are required only when other fields are present) fields. Systems should be written to operate when only the required and conditionally required fields are present.

## Encryption:

The exchange of sensitive data across public carrier networks may make it advisable to employ data encryption techniques to mask the application messages.

The choice of encryption method will be determined by mutual agreement between the broker and institution.

Except where explicitly stated any field within a message can be encrypted and included in the SecureData field.

Imbedded in the protocol are fields which enable the implementation of a public key signature and encryption methodology, straight DES encryption and clear text. The choice of encryption methodology will be defined in the LOGON message.

#### User Defined Fields:

In order to provide maximum flexibility for its users, the FIX protocol accommodates *User Defined Fields*. These fields are intended to be implemented between consenting trading partners and should be used with caution to avoid conflicts which will arise as multiple parties begin implementation of the protocol. It is suggested that if trading partners find that particular User Defined Fields add value, they should be recommended to the FIX Protocol Committee for inclusion in a future FIX version.

The tag numbers 9000 to 9999 have been reserved for use with user defined fields.

#### 3. Logout -

Normal termination of the message exchange session will be initiated by the customer via the submission of the LOGOUT message. Termination by other means will be considered an abnormal condition. Note that the process of logging out does not affect the state of any orders placed on the broker's system, all active orders will continue to execute.

## Message header

Each message, administrative or application, is preceded by a standard header. The header is used to identify the message type, length, destination, sequence number, origination point and time.

Two fields are provided for use when resending messages. The PossDupFlag is set when resending a message as the result of a session level event (i.e. the retransmission of a message using reusing a sequence number). The PossResend is set when reissuing a message with a new sequence number (e.g. resending an order). The receiving application should process these messages as follows:

PossDup - if a message with this sequence number has been previously received, ignore message, if not, process normally.

PossResend - forward message to application and determine if previously received (i.e. verify order id and parameters)

The message header format is as follows:

Message Header

			110000000 11000001
Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
8	BeginString	Y	FIX.3.0 (Always unencrypted)
9	BodyLength	Y	(Always unencrypted)
35	MsgType	Y	(Always unencrypted)
49	SenderCompID	Y	(Always unencrypted)
56	TargetCompID	Y	(Always unencrypted)
90	SecureDataLen	N	Required to identify length of encrypted section of message. (Always unencrypted)
91	SecureData	N	Required when message body is encrypted. Always immediately follows SecureDataLen field.
50	SenderSubID	N	(Can be embedded within encrypted data section.)
57	TargetSubID	N	"ADMIN" reserved for administrative messages not intended for a specific user. (Can be embedded within encrypted data section.)
34	MsgSeqNum	Y	(Can be embedded within encrypted data section.)
43	PossDupFlag	N	Always required for retransmissions, whether prompted by the sending system or as the result of a resend request. (Can be embedded within encrypted data section.)
97	PossResend	N	Required when message may be duplicate of another message sent under a different sequence number. (Can be embedded within encrypted data section.)
52	SendingTime	Y	(Can be embedded within encrypted data section.)

51	SendingDate	Y	(Can be embedded within encrypted data section.)
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# Message trailer

Each message, administrative or application, is terminated by a standard trailer. The trailer is used to segregate messages and contains the three digit character representation of the Checksum value.

The message trailer format is as follows:

# **Message Trailer**

Tag	Field Name	Reg'd	Comments
93	SignatureLength	N	Required when trailer contains signature.
89	Signature	N	
10	CheckSum	Y	(Always unencrypted)

#### ADMINISTRATIVE MESSAGES

The administrative class of messages are intended to address the utility needs of the protocol. The following section describes the use of each message and provides the message layout.

Administrative messages will be generated from both the broker and institution side of the connection.

#### Heartbeat -

The Heartbeat is useful for identifying when the last of a string of messages are lost and for monitoring the status of the communication link. The Heartbeat will contain the next sequence number to be transmitted.

When either end of a FIX connection has not sent any data for (HeartBtInt) seconds, it will transmit a Heartbeat message. When either end of the connection has not received any data for (HeartBtInt + "some reasonable transmission time") seconds, it will transmit a Test Request message. If there is still no Heartbeat message received after (HeartBtInt + "some reasonable transmission time") seconds then the connection should be considered lost and corrective action be initiated. If HeartBtInt is set to zero then no regular heartbeat messages will be generated. Note that a test request message can still be sent independent of the value of the HeartBtInt which will force a Heartbeat message.

Heartbeats issued as the result of Test Request must contain the TestReqID transmitted in the Test Request message. This useful to verify that the Heartbeat is the result of the Test Request and not as the result of a regular timeout.

The standard message header is utilized for heartbeats with following provisions:

- The sequence number field contains the next message sequence number to be transmitted
- The sequence number is **NOT** incremented for heartbeats

The heartbeat format is as follows:

#### Heartbeat

Tag	Field Name	Reg'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 0
			MsgSeqNo contains expected next sequence number; i.e. last sequence number + 1
112	TestReqID	N	Required when the heartbeat is the result of a Test Request message.
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## Logon Message -

The logon message is utilized to authenticate a user attempting to establish a connection to a remote system. The logon message must be the first message sent by the connecting application.

The HeartBtInt (108) field is used to declare the timeout interval for generating heartbeats.

The sequence number field is not incremented for a Logon message, thus the sequence number contained in the message should be used for resynchronization purposes on restarts. It is always necessary to complete the Test Request - Heartbeat initialization sequence to guarantee proper resynchronization.

Logon messages are *NEVER* retransmitted as the result of a resend request.

The logon format is as follows:

## Logon

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = A
98	EncryptMethod	Y	(Always unencrypted)
108	HeartBtInt	Y	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## Test Request -

The test request message is utilized to force a heartbeat from the opposing application. The test request message is useful for checking sequence numbers or verifying the communication line status. The opposite application will respond to the Test Request with a Heartbeat.

The TestReqID is used to verify that the oppposite application is generating the heartbeat as the result of Test Request and not a normal timeout. The opposite application will include the TestReqID in the resulting Heartbeat. Any string can be used as the TestReqID (one suggestion is to use a timestamp string).

Sequence numbers are not incremented for test request messages.

The test request format is as follows:

## **Test Request**

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 1
112	TestReqID	Y	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## Resend Request -

The resend request is sent by the receiving application to initiate the retransmission of messages. This function is utilized if a sequence number gap is detected, if the receiving application lost a message, or as a function of the initialization process. Sequence numbers are not incremented for resend request messages.

The resend request can be used to request a single message, a range of messages or all messages subsequent to a particular message.

Note: the sending application may wish to consider the message type when resending messages; e.g. if a new order is in the resend series and a significant time period has elapsed since its original inception, the sender may not wish to retransmit the order given the potential for changed market conditions. (The Sequence Resend message is used to skip messages that a sender does not wish to resend.)

- To request a single message: BeginSeqNo = EndSeqNo
- To request a range of messages: BeginSeqNo = first message of range, EndSeqNo = last message of range
- To request all messages subsequent to a particular message: BeginSeqNo = first message of range, EndSeqNo = 99999

The resend request format is as follows:

**Resend Request** 

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 2
7	BeginSeqNo	Y	
16	EndSeqNo	Y	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### Reject -

The reject message will be issued when a message is received which cannot be parsed or contains invalid information (i.e. fails one of the validation tests). Where possible the cause of the failure will be described in the Text field.

The reject format is as follows:

Reject

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 3
45	RefSeqNo	N	May not be available if message is unparsable
58	Text	N	Where possible, message to explain reason for rejection
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### **Sequence Reset -**

The sequence reset message is used to reestablish the incoming sequence number on the opposing side. In the event of an application failure it may be necessary to resync sequence numbers on the sending and receiving sides.

The sending application will initiate the sequence reset. The message is used to reset the value of the last sequence number sent (which on the receiving side will reset the value of the next expected sequence number).

It is assumed that the purpose of the sequence reset message is to recover from an out-of- sequence condition, therefore, the MsgSeqNum in the header should be ignored (i.e. the receipt of a sequence reset message with an out of sequence MsgSeqNum should not generate resend requests).

The sequence reset can only increase the sequence number; if a sequence reset is received attempting to decrease the next expected sequence number the message should be rejected.

The sequence reset format is as follows:

**Sequence Reset** 

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 4
36	NewSeqNum	Y	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### Logout -

The logout message is to used to terminate the session. Disconnection without the sending of a logout message should be interpreted as an abnormal condition.

The logout format is as follows:

Logout

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 5
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## **APPLICATION MESSAGES**

The exchange of business information is accomplished through the passing of application messages. The application message is composed of the standard header followed by the message body and trailer.

Descriptions and formats of the specific messages follow.

## Advertisements -

Advertisement messages are used to announce completed transactions. The advertisement message can be transmitted in various transaction types; NEW, CANCEL and REPLACE. All message types other than NEW modify the state of the message AdvRefID.

The advertisement record format is as follows:

## Advertisement

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 7
2	AdvID	Y	
5	AdvTransType	Y	
3	AdvRefID	N	Required for Cancel and Replace AdvTransType messages
55	Symbol	Y	
65	SymbolSfx	N	
48	SecurityID	N	
22	IDSource	N	
106	Issuer	N	
107	SecurityDesc	N	
4	AdvSide	Y	
53	Shares	Y	
44	Price	N	
15	Currency	N	Indication without currency field is interpreted as US dollars.
60	TransactTime	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### **Indications of Interest -**

Indication of interest messages are used to market merchandise which the broker is buying or selling in either a proprietary or agency capacity. The indications can be time bound with a specific expiration value. Indications are distributed with the understanding that other firms may react to the message first and that the merchandise may no longer be available due to prior trade.

Indication messages can be transmitted in various transaction types; NEW, CANCEL, and REPLACE. All message types other than NEW modify the state of the message identified in IOIRefID.

The indication of interest message format is as follows:

## **Indication of Interest**

-	indication of interest			
Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments	
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 6	
23	IOIid	Y		
28	IOITransType	Y		
26	IOIRefID	N	Required for Cancel and Replace IOITransType messages	
55	Symbol	Y		
65	SymbolSfx	N		
48	SecurityID	N		
22	IDSource	N		
106	Issuer	N		
107	SecurityDesc	N		
54	Side	Y	Side of Indication	
			Valid values: 1 = Buy 2 = Sell	
27	IOIShares	Y		
44	Price	N		
15	Currency	N	Indication without currency field is interpreted as US dollars.	
62	ValidUntilTime	N		
25	IOIQltyInd	N		
24	IOIOthSvc	N	Applicable only if advertised on public IOI service.	
104	IOIQualifier	N		
58	Text	N		
	Standard Trailer	Y		

#### News -

The news message is intended for use as a general free format message between the broker and institution. The message contains flags to identify the news item's urgency and to allow sorting by subject company (symbol). The News record can be originated at either the broker or institution side.

The news message format is as follows:

## News

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = B
42	OrigTime	N	
61	Urgency	N	
46	RelatdSym	N	Can be repeated multiple times if message is related to multiple symbols.
33	LinesOfText	Y	
58	Text	Y	Repeating field, number of instances defined in LinesOfText
95	RawDataLength	N	
96	RawData	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## Email -

Format and purpose similar to News message, however, intended for private use between two parties.

The email message format is as follows:

# **Email**

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = C
94	EmailType	Y	
42	OrigTime	N	
46	RelatdSym	N	Can be repeated multiple times if message is related to multiple symbols
37	OrdID	N	
11	ClOrdID	N	
33	LinesOfText	Y	
58	Text	Y	Repeating field, number of instances defined in LinesOfText
95	RawDataLength	N	
96	RawData	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## New Order - Single -

The new order message type is used by institutions wishing to electronically submit orders to a broker for execution.

Orders can be submitted with special handling instructions and execution instructions. Handling instructions refer to how the broker should handle the order on its trading floor (see HandInst field). Execution instructions contain explicit directions as to how the order should be executed (see ExecInst field).

New Order messages received with the PossResend flag set in the header should be validated by ClOrdID and order parameters (side, symbol, quantity) to determine if the order had been previously submitted. PossResends previously received should be acknowledged back to the client via an Execution - Status message. PossResends not previously received should be processed as a new order and acknowledged via an Execution - New message.

The format for the new order message is as follows:

**New Order - Single** 

	New Order - Single			
Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments	
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = D	
11	ClOrdID	Y		
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.	
76	ExecBroker	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.	
1	Account	N		
63	SettlmntTyp	N	Absence of this field is interpreted as Regular.	
64	FutSettDate	N	Required when SettlmntTyp = 6 (Future) or SettlmntTyp = 8 (Sellers Option)	
21	HandlInst	Y		
18	ExecInst	N	Can contain multiple instructions, space delimited.	
110	MinQty	N		
111	MaxFloor	N		
100	ExDestination	N		
81	ProcessCode	N	Used to identify soft trades at order entry.	
55	Symbol	Y		
65	SymbolSfx	N		
48	SecurityID	N		
22	IDSource	N		
106	Issuer	N		
107	SecurityDesc	N		
54	Side	Y		

38	OrderQty	Y	
40	OrdType	Y	
44	Price	N	Required for limit OrdTypes
99	StopPx	N	Required for stop OrdTypes
15	Currency	N	Message without currency field is interpreted as US dollars
59	TimeInForce	N	Absence of this field indicates Day order
12	Commission	N	
13	CommType	N	
47	Rule80A	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## **Execution Reports -**

The execution report message is used to:

- 1. confirm the receipt of an order
- 2. confirm changes to an existing order (i.e. accept cancel and replace requests)
- 3. relay order status information
- 4. relay fill information as orders are worked
- 5. reject orders

NOTE: Execution reports do not replace the end-of-day confirm. Execution reports are to be regarded only as replacements for the existing fill messages currently communicated via telephone.

Each execution message will contain information that will describe the current state of the order and execution status as understood by the broker.

Execution report messages can be transmitted as transaction types (ExecTranType) NEW, CANCEL, CORRECT or STATUS. Transaction types CANCEL and CORRECT modify the state of the message identified in field ExecRefID. Transaction type STATUS indicates that the execution message contains no new information, only summary information regarding order status.

- The NEW transaction type indicates that this message represents a new order, a change in status of the order, or a new fill against an existing order. The combination of the ExecTransType and OrdStatus fields will indicate how the message is to be applied to an order.
- The CANCEL transaction type applies at the execution level. The Cancel transaction will be used to cancel an execution which has been reported in error. The cancelled execution will be identified in the ExecRefID field.
- The CORRECT transaction type applies at the execution level and is used to modify an incorrectly reported fill. The incorrect execution will be identified in the ExecRefID field. Note: Data reported in the CumQty and AvgPx fields represent the status of the order as of the time of the correction, not as of the time of the originally reported execution.

The OrdStatus field is used to identify the status of the current order. The order statuses are as follows:

New	Outstanding order with no executions		
Partially Filled	Outstanding order with executions and remaining quantity		
Filled Order completely filled, no remaining quantity			
Done	Order not, or partially, filled; no further executions forthcoming		
Canceled	Canceled order with or without executions		
Replaced	Replaced order with or without executions		
Pending Cancel/Replace	Order with cancel request pending, used to confirm receipt of cancel or replace request. DOES NOT INDICATE THAT THE ORDER HAS BEEN CANCELED OR REPLACED.		
Stopped	Order has been stopped at the exchange		

Rejected Order has been rejected by broker. NOTE: An order can be rejected

subsequent to order acknowledgment, i.e. an order can pass from New to

Rejected status.

Suspended Order has been placed in suspended state at the request of the client.

Pending New Order has been received by brokers system but not yet accepted for

execution. An execution message with this status will only be sent in

response to a Status Request message.

NOTE: The canceled and replaced order status is set in response to accepted cancel and replace requests. These requests are only acted upon when there is an outstanding order quantity. Requests to replace OrderQty to a level less than the LeavesQty will be rejected (OrderQty = CumQty + LeavesQty). Requests to change price on a filled order will be rejected (see Order Cancel Reject message type).

The CumQty and AvgPx fields should be calculated to reflect the fills on all versions of an order. For example, if partially filled order A were replaced by order B, the CumQty and AvgPx on order B's fills should represent the fills on order A plus those on order B.

The field ClOrdID is provided for institutions to affix an identification number to an order to coincide with internal systems. The OrderId field is populated with the broker-generated order number.

The execution report message format is as follows:

**Execution Report** 

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 8
37	OrderID	Y	
11	ClOrdID	N	Required for executions against electronically submitted orders which were assigned an ID by the institution. Not required for orders manually entered by the broker.
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
76	ExecBroker	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
66	ListID	N	Required for executions against orders which were submitted as part of a list.
17	ExecID	Y	
20	ExecTransType	Y	
19	ExecRefID	N	Required for Cancel and Correct ExecTransType messages
39	OrdStatus	Y	
103	OrdRejReason	N	For optional use with OrdStatus = 8 (Rejected)
1	Account	N	Required for executions against electronically submitted orders which were assigned an account by the institution
63	SettlmntTyp	N	Absence of this field is interpreted as Regular.

64	FutSettDate	N	Required when SettlmntTyp = 6 (Future) or SettlmntTyp = 8 (Sellers Option)
55	Symbol	Y	
65	SymbolSfx	N	
48	SecurityID	N	
22	IDSource	N	
106	Issuer	N	
107	SecurityDesc	N	
54	Side	Y	
38	OrderQty	Y	
44	Price	N	
99	StopPx	N	Required for OrdType = 4 (Stop Limit).
15	Currency	N	Message without currency field is interpreted as US dollars
59	TimeInForce	N	Absence of this field indicates Day order
18	ExecInst	N	Can contain multiple instructions, space delimited.
47	Rule80A	N	
32	LastShares	Y	Not required ExecTransType = 3 (Status)
31	LastPx	Y	Not required for ExecTransType = 3 (Status)
30	LastMkt	N	
29	LastCapacity	N	
14	CumQty	Y	
6	AvgPx	Y	
75	TradeDate	N	Used when reporting other than current day trades.
60	TransactTime	N	
113	ReportToExch	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## Order Cancel/Replace Request -

The order cancel/replace request is used to change the parameters of an existing order.

Do not use this message to cancel the remaining quantity of an outstanding order, use the Cancel Request message for this purpose.

The request will only be accepted if the order can successfully be pulled back from the exchange floor without executing. Cancel/Replace requests which cannot be processed will be rejected using the Cancel Reject message; the ClOrdId of the *replacement* order is inserted in the ClOrdId field of the Cancel Reject message for identification.

Only a limited number of fields can be changed via the cancel/replace request message. All other fields should be retransmitted as sent in the original order. These fields are:

- ExecInst
- OrderQty
- OrdType
- Price
- HandlInst
- TimeInForce
- MinQty
- MaxFloor

When modifying ExecInst fields in a replacement order, it is necessary to redeclare all ExecInst in the replacement order. ExecInst's will not be carried forward from the original order to the replacement unless redeclared.

The format of the cancel request message is:

**Cancel/Replace Request** 

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = G
37	OrderID	N	Unique identifier of <i>original</i> order as assigned by broker
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
76	ExecBroker	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
41	OrigClOrdID	Y	Unique identifier of <i>original</i> order as assigned by institution.
11	ClOrdID	Y	Unique identifier of <i>replacement</i> order as assigned by institution.  Note that this identifier will be used in ClOrdID field of the Cancel Reject Message if the replacement request is rejected.
66	ListID	N	Required for List Orders
1	Account	N	
63	SettlmntTyp	N	Absence of this field is interpreted as Regular.
64	FutSettDate	N	Required when SettlmntTyp = 6 (Future) or SettlmntTyp = 8 (Sellers Option)

21	HandlInst	Y	Must match original order
18	ExecInst	N	Can contain multiple instructions, space delimited. Replacement order must be created with new parameters (i.e. original order values will not be brought forward to replacement order unless redefined within this message).
110	MinQty	N	
111	MaxFloor	N	
100	ExDestination	N	
55	Symbol	Y	Must match original order
65	SymbolSfx	N	
48	SecurityID	N	Must match original order
22	IDSource	N	Must match original order
106	Issuer	N	
107	SecurityDesc	N	
54	Side	Y	Must match original side, however, Buy and Buy Minus can be interchanged as well as Sell and Sell Plus
38	OrderQty	Y	
40	OrdType	Y	
44	Price	N	Required for limit OrdTypes
99	StopPx	N	Required for stop OrdTypes
15	Currency	N	Message without currency field is interpreted as US dollars. Must match original order.
59	TimeInForce	N	Absence of this field indicates Day order
12	Commission	N	
13	CommType	N	
47	Rule80A	N	Must match original order
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## **Order Cancel Request -**

The order cancel request message is used to request the cancellation of all remaining quantity of an existing order.

Do not use this message to reduce the quantity of (i.e. partially cancel) an outstanding order, use the Cancel/Replace Request for this purpose.

The request will only be accepted if the order can successfully be pulled back from the exchange floor without executing.

Note that a cancel request is assigned an order id and is treated as a separate entity. If rejected, the order id of the cancel request will be sent in the Cancel Reject message. The OrderID assigned to the cancel request must be unique from the OrderID's assigned to regular orders and replacement orders.

The format of the cancel request message is:

**Order Cancel Request** 

	Order Cancer Request			
Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments	
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = F	
41	OrigClOrdID	Y	Unique ID of original order as assigned by institution	
37	OrderID	N	Broker ID of original order	
11	ClOrdID	Y	Unique ID of cancel request as assigned by the institution.	
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.	
76	ExecBroker	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.	
66	ListID	N	Required for List Orders	
1	Account	N		
63	SettlmntTyp	N	Absence of this field is interpreted as Regular.	
64	FutSettDate	N	Required when SettlmntTyp = 6 (Future) or SettlmntTyp = 8 (Sellers Option)	
21	HandlInst	Y		
55	Symbol	Y		
65	SymbolSfx	N		
48	SecurityID	N		
22	IDSource	N		
106	Issuer	N		
107	SecurityDesc	N		
54	Side	Y		
38	OrderQty	Y		
40	OrdType	Y		
44	Price	N	Required for limit and stop OrdTypes	
15	Currency	N	Message without currency field is interpreted as US dollars	

59	TimeInForce	N	Absence of this field indicates Day order
12	Commission	N	
13	CommType	N	
47	Rule80A	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## Order Cancel Reject -

The order cancel reject message is issued by the broker upon receipt of a cancel request or cancel/replace request message which cannot be honored. Requests to change price or decrease quantity are executed only when an outstanding quantity exists; orders which are filled cannot be changed.

When rejecting a Cancel/Replace Request, the ClOrdID of the *replacement* order in the request message is inserted in the ClOrdID field of the Cancel Reject message for identification.

The execution message will be used to respond to accepted cancel request and cancel/replace request messages.

The order cancel reject message format is as follows:

**Order Cancel Reject** 

	Order Current reject			
Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments	
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = 9	
37	OrderID	Y		
11	ClOrdID	Y	Unique order id assigned by institution to the cancel request or to the <i>replacement</i> order.	
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.	
76	ExecBroker	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.	
66	ListID	N	Required for rejects against orders which were submitted as part of a list.	
102	CxlRejReason	N		
58	Text	N		
	Standard Trailer	Y		

## **Order Status Request -**

The order status request message is used by the institution to generate an order status message back from the broker.

The format of the order status request message is:

**Order Status Request** 

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = H
37	OrderID	N	
11	ClOrdID	Y	
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
76	ExecBroker	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
55	Symbol	Y	
65	SymbolSfx	N	
106	Issuer	N	
107	SecurityDesc	N	
54	Side	Y	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### Allocation -

The allocation record is used by the institution to instruct the broker on how to allocate executed shares to sub-accounts.

The allocation record contains repeating fields for each sub-account; the repeating fields are shown below in typeface *Bold-Italic*. The relative position of the repeating fields is important in this record, i.e. each instance of allocation must be in the order shown below.

- The total shares allocated must equal the Shares value which must equal the total executed quantity of the original order.
- The number of instances of allocations is indicated in NoAllocs.
- Multiple orders can be combined for allocation by identifying the number of orders in the NoOrders field and each individual order in the OrderID fields. Combined orders must have the same ticker, trade date, settlement date and side.
- Single orders cannot be combined with list orders for allocation.

## **Allocation**

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = J
70	AllocID	Y	
71	AllocTransTyp	Y	
72	RefAllocID	N	Required for AllocTransType = R (Replace) or C (Cancel)
73	NoOrders	N	Indicates number of orders to be combined for allocation. Absense of this field indicates allocation is for one order.
11	ClOrdID	Y	Can be repeated to identify multiple orders to be combined for average pricing.
37	OrderID	N	Can be repeated to identify multiple orders to be combined for average pricing.
66	ListID	N	Required for List Orders. Can be repeated to identify multiple orders to be combined for average pricing.
105	WaveNo	N	
54	Side	Y	
55	Symbol	Y	
65	SymbolSfx	N	
48	SecurityID	N	
22	IDSource	N	
106	Issuer	N	
107	SecurityDesc	N	
53	Shares	Y	Total number of shares to be allocated, (must match total executed quantity of order)

6	AvgPx	Y	
74	AvgPrxPrecision	N	Absence of this field indicates that default precision arranged by the broker/institution is to be used.
75	TradeDate	N	Absence of this field indicates current day
63	SettlmntTyp	N	Absence of this field is interpreted as Regular.
77	OpenClose	N	
58	Text	N	
78	NoAllocs	Y	
79	AllocAccount	Y	
80	AllocShares	Y	
81	ProcessCode	N	
76	ExecBroker	N	Required for step-in and step-out trades
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
13	CommType	N	
85	NoDlvyInst	N	
92	BrokerOfCredit	N	
86	DlvyInst	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## Allocation ACK -

The allocation ACK record is used by the broker to acknowledge the receipt and status of an allocation record received from the institution.

# **Allocation ACK**

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = P
109	ClientID	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
76	ExecBroker	N	Used for firm identification in third-party transactions.
70	AllocID	Y	
87	AllocStatus	Y	
88	AllocRejCode	N	Required for AllocStatus = 1 (rejected)
58	Text	N	Can include explanation for AllocRejCode = 7 (other)
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### New Order List -

The new order list message type is used by institutions wishing to electronically submit lists of related orders to a broker for execution.

The New Order List is intended for use in *staging* lists to be executed by the broker. If the institution wishes to work a list using the broker's execution services the orders should be submitted as individual New Order - Single's.

After staging, the list can be operated on in the following ways:

Execute: The broker can be instructed to release the list for execution by sending the List-

Execute message.

Cancel: After the list has been staged with the broker, it can be cancelled via the submission

of the List Cancel message. If the list has not yet been submitted for execution, the List Cancel message will instruct the broker not to execute it, if the list is being executed, the List Cancel message should trigger the broker's system to generate cancel requests for the remaining quantities of each order within the list. Individual

orders within the list can be cancelled via the Order Cancel Request message.

Status: A status of the list can be requested via the submission of the List-Status Request

message. The broker will respond with one or more List-Status messages which will report executed quantity, cancelled quantity and average price for each order in the

list.

Replace: Individual orders within the list can be replaced via Order Cancel/Replace Request

messages.

Executions against orders within the list will *not* normally be reported as they occur. (If this feature is desired the institution and broker should arrange for this reporting as a custom feature using the Execution message.) Executions against the list will be reported within the List-Status message.

The format for the new order list message is as follows:

#### **New Order - List**

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = E
66	ListID	Y	Must be unique, by customer, for the day
105	WaveNo	N	
67	ListSeqNo	Y	
68	ListNoOrds	Y	
69	ListExecInst	N	Include only in ListSeqNo = 1 message
11	ClOrdID	Y	
1	Account	N	
63	SettlmntTyp	N	Absence of this field is interpreted as Regular.
64	FutSettDate	N	Required when SettlmntTyp = 6 (Future) or SettlmntTyp = 8 (Sellers Option)
21	HandlInst	Y	

18	ExecInst	N	Can contain multiple instructions, space delimited.
110	MinQty	N	
111	MaxFloor	N	
100	ExDestination	N	
55	Symbol	Y	
65	SymbolSfx	N	
48	SecurityID	N	
22	IDSource	N	
106	Issuer	N	
107	SecurityDesc	N	
54	Side	Y	
38	OrderQty	Y	
40	OrdType	Y	
44	Price	N	Required for limit OrdTypes
99	StopPx	N	Required for stop OrdTypes
15	Currency	N	Message without currency field is interpreted as US dollars
59	TimeInForce	N	Absence of this field indicates Day order
12	Commission	N	
13	CommType	N	
47	Rule80A	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### List Status -

The list status message is issued as the response to a List Status Request message and indicates the current state of the orders within the list as they exists at the broker's site.

Orders within the list are statused at the summary level. Individual executions are not reported, rather, the current state of the order is reported.

The message contains repeating fields for each order; the repeating fields are shown below in typeface **Bold-Italic.** The relative position of the repeating fields is important in this record, i.e. each instance of ClOrdID, CumQty, CxlQty and AvgPx must be in the order shown below.

Each list status message will report on only a maximum of 50 orders; if the list contains more than 50 orders multiple status messages will be required.

The list status message format is as follows:

## **List Status**

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = N
66	ListID	Y	
105	WaveNo	N	
82	NoRpts	Y	Total number of messages required to status complete list.
83	RptSeq	Y	Sequence number of this report message.
73	NoOrders	Y	Number of orders statused in this message, i.e. number of repeating groups to follow.
11	ClOrdID	Y	
14	CumQty	Y	
84	CxlQty	Y	
6	AvgPx	Y	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

#### List Execute -

The list execute message type is used by institutions to instruct the broker to begin execution of a previously submitted list.

The format for the list execute message is as follows:

## List Execute

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = L
66	ListID	Y	Must be unique, by customer, for the day
105	WaveNo	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

## **List Cancel Request -**

The list cancel request message type is used by institutions wishing to cancel previously submitted lists either before or during execution.

After the list has been staged with the broker, it can be cancelled via the submission of the List Cancel message. If the list has not yet been submitted for execution, the List Cancel message will instruct the broker not to execute it, if the list is being executed, the List Cancel message should trigger the broker's system to generate cancel requests for the remaining quantities of each order within the list. Individual orders within the list can be cancelled via the Order Cancel Request message.

The format for the list - cancel request message is as follows:

**List Cancel Request** 

Tag	Field Name	Reg'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = K
66	ListID	Y	
105	WaveNo	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

### List Status Request -

The list status request message type is used by institutions to instruct the broker to generate status messages for a list.

The format for the list - status request message is as follows:

**List Status Request** 

Tag	Field Name	Req'd	Comments
	Standard Header	Y	MsgType = M
66	ListID	Y	
105	WaveNo	N	
58	Text	N	
	Standard Trailer	Y	

### **Field Definitions**

The following is a catalog of fields used to define the application and session protocol messages.

Field ID (TAG)	Field Name	Format	Description
1	Account	char	Account mnemonic as agreed between broker and institution.
2	AdvId	int	Unique identifier of advertisement message
3	AdvRefID	int	Reference identifier used with CANCEL and REPLACE transaction types.
4	AdvSide	char	Broker's side of advertised trade  Valid values:  B = Buy S = Sell X = Cross T = Trade
5	AdvTransType	char	Identifies advertisement message transaction type  Valid values:  N = New  C = Cancel  R = Replace
6	AvgPx	float	Calculated average price of all fills on this order.
7	BeginSeqNo	int	Message sequence number of first record in range to be resent
8	BeginString	char	Identifies beginning of new message and protocol version. ALWAYS FIRST FIELD IN MESSAGE. (Always unencrypted) Valid values: FIX.3.0
9	BodyLength	int	Message length, in bytes, forward to the CheckSum field. ALWAYS SECOND FIELD IN MESSAGE. ( <i>Always unencrypted</i> )  Valid values:  0 - 9999

10	CheckSum	char	Three byte, simple checksum (see Appendix B for description). ALWAYS LAST FIELD IN RECORD; i.e. serves, with the trailing <soh>, as the end-of-record delimiter. Always defined as three characters. (Always unencrypted)</soh>
11	ClOrdID	char	Order identifier assigned by institution application
12	Commission	float	Commission
13	CommType	char	Commission type  Valid values:  1 = per share 2 = percentage 3 = absolute
14	CumQty	int	Total number of shares filled.  Valid values: (0 - 1000000000)
15	Currency	char	Identifies currency used for price, Absence of this field in a message is interpreted as US dollars. See Appendix A for valid values.
16	EndSeqNo	int	Message sequence number of last record in range to be resent. If request is for a single record BeginSeqNo = EndSeqNo. If request is for all messages subsequent to a particular message, EndSeqNo = "99999"
17	ExecID	int	Unique identifier of execution message (Will be blank for ExecTransType=3 (Status))

18	ExecInst	char	Instructions for order handling on exchange trading floor. If more than one instruction is applicable to an order, this field can contain multiple instructions separated by space.  Valid values:  1 = Not held 2 = Work 3 = Go along 4 = Over the day 5 = Held 6 = Participate don't initiate 7 = Strict scale 8 = Try to scale 9 = Stay on bidside 0 = Stay on offerside A = No cross B = OK to cross C = Call first D = Percent of volume E = Do not increase - DNI F = Do not reduce - DNR G = All or none - AON I = Institutions only L = Last peg (last sale) M = Mid-price peg (midprice of inside quote) N = Non-negotiable O = Opening peg P = Market peg R = Primary peg (primary market - buy at bid/sell at offer)
19	ExecRefID	int	S = Suspend  Reference identifier used with Cancel and Correct transaction types.
20	ExecTransType	char	Identifies transaction type  Valid values:  0 = New  1 = Cancel 2 = Correct 3 = Status
21	HandlInst	char	Instructions for order handling on Broker trading floor  Valid values:  1 = Automated execution order, private, no Broker intervention 2 = Automated execution order, public, Broker intervention OK 3 = Manual order, best execution

22	IDSource	char	Identifies class of alternative SecurityID
			Valid values:  1 = CUSIP  2 = SEDOL  3 = QUIK  4 = ISIN number  5 = RIC code  100+ are reserved for private security identifications
23	IOIid	int	Unique identifier of IOI message.
24	IOIOthSvc	char	Indicates if, and on which other services, the indication has been advertised. Each character represents an additional service (e.g. if on Bridge and Autex, field = BA, if only on Autex, field = A)  Valid values:  A = Autex B = Bridge
25	IOIQltyInd	char	Relative quality of indication  Valid values:  L = Low  M = Medium  H = High
26	IOIRefID	int	Reference identifier used with CANCEL and REPLACE, transaction types.
27	IOIShares	char	Number of shares in numeric or relative size.  Valid values: 0 - 1000000000 S = Small M = Medium L = Large
28	IOITransType	char	Identifies IOI message transaction type  Valid values:  N = New  C = Cancel  R = Replace

29	LastCapacity	char	Broker capacity in order execution  Valid values:  1 = Agent 2 = Cross as agent 3 = Cross as principal 4 = Principal
30	LastMkt	char	Market of execution for last fill Valid values: See Appendix C
31	LastPx	float	Price of last fill. Field not required for ExecTransType = 3 (Status)
32	LastShares	int	Quantity of shares bought/sold on this fill. Field not required for ExecTransType = 3 (Status)
33	LinesOfText	int	Identifies number of lines of text body
34	MsgSeqNum	int	Integer message sequence number. Incremented for each message except logon, logout, heartbeat, test request and resend request, and when PossDupFlag=Y.  Valid values:  0 - 99999

35	MsgType	char	Defines message type. ALWAYS THIRD FIELD IN MESSAGE. (Always unencrypted)  Note: A "U" as the first character in the MsgType field indicates that the message format is privately defined between the sender and receiver.  Valid values:  0 = Heartbeat 1 = Test Request 2 = Resend Request 3 = Reject 4 = Sequence Reset 5 = Logout 6 = Indication of Interest 7 = Advertisement 8 = Execution Report 9 = Order Cancel Reject A = Logon B = News C = Email D = Order - Single E = Order - List F = Order Cancel Request G = Order Status Request H = Order Status Request J = Allocation K = List Cancel Request L = List Execute M = List Status P = Allocation ACK
36	NewSeqNo	int	New sequence number  Valid values: 0 - 99999
37	OrderID	char	Unique identifier for Order as assigned by broker
38	OrderQty	int	Number of shares ordered  Valid values: (0 - 1000000000)

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39	OrdStatus	char	Identifies current status of order.  Valid values:  0 = New  1 = Partially filled  2 = Filled  3 = Done for day  4 = Canceled  5 = Replaced  6 = Pending Cancel/Replace  7 = Stopped  8 = Rejected  9 = Suspended  A = Pending New
40	OrdType	char	Order type.  Valid values:  1 = Market 2 = Limit 3 = Stop 4 = Stop limit 5 = Market on close 6 = With or without 7 = Limit or better 8 = Limit with or without 9 = On basis A = On close B = Limit on close P = Pegged (requires ExecInst = L, R, M, P or O)
41	OrigClOrdID	char	Original order id as assigned by the institution, used to identify original order in cancel and cancel/replace requests.
42	OrigTime	char	Time of message origination in HH:MM:SS format (always expressed in GMT)  Valid values: HH: 00 - 23 MM: 00 - 59 SS: 00 - 59
43	PossDupFlag	char	Indicates possible retransmission of message with this sequence number  Valid values:  Y = Possible duplicate N = Original transmission
44	Price	float	Price per share Valid values: 0 - 9999.9999

45	RefSeqNum	int	Reference message sequence number
			Valid values: 0 - 99999
46	RelatdSym	char	Symbol of issue related to story. Can be repeated within message to identify multiple companies.
47	Rule80A	char	Indicates order type upon which exchange Rule 80A is applied.  Valid values:  A = Agency single order  I = Individual Investor, single order  D = Program Order, index arb, for Member firm/org  C = Program Order, non-index arb, for Member firm/org  J = Program Order, index arb, for individual customer  K = Program Order, non-index arb, for individual customer  U = Program Order, index arb, for other agency  Y = Program Order, non-index arb, for other agency  M = Program Order, index arb, for other member  N = Program Order, non-index arb, for other member  W = All other orders as agent for other member
48	SecurityID	char	CUSIP or other alternate security identifier
49	SenderCompID	char	Assigned value used to identify firm sending message. (Always unencrypted)
50	SenderSubID	char	Assigned value used to identify specific message originator (desk, trader, etc.)
51	SendingDate	char	Date of message transmission in YYMMDD format (always expressed in GMT)  Valid values:  YY = 00-99  MM = 01-12  DD = 01-31
52	SendingTime	char	Time of message transmission in HH:MM:SS format (always expressed in GMT)  Valid values: HH: 00 - 23 MM: 00 - 59 SS: 00 - 59

53	Shares	int	Number of shares
			Valid values: 0 - 1000000000
54	Side	char	Side of order  Valid values:  1 = Buy 2 = Sell 3 = Buy minus 4 = Sell plus 5 = Sell short 6 = Sell short exempt
55	Symbol	char	Ticker symbol
56	TargetCompID	char	Assigned value used to identify receiving firm. (Always unencrypted)
57	TargetSubID	char	Assigned value used to identify specific individual or unit intended to receive message. "ADMIN" reserved for administrative messages not intended for a specific user.
58	Text	char	Free format text string
59	TimeInForce	char	Specifies how long the order remains in effect. Absence of this field is interpreted as DAY.  Valid values:  0 = Day  1 = Good Till Cancel (GTC)  2 = At the Opening (OPG)  3 = Immediate or Cancel (OC)  4 = Fill or Kill (FOK)  5 = Good Till Crossing (GTX)
60	TransactTime	char	Time of execution/order creation in HH:MM:SS format (expressed in GMT)  Valid values: HH: 00 - 23 MM: 00 - 59 SS: 00 - 59

61	Urgency	char	Urgency flag
			Valid values:  0 = Normal  1 = Flash  2 = Background
62	ValidUntilTime	char	Indicates expiration time of indication message in HH:MM:SS format (always expressed in GMT)
			Valid values: HH: 00 - 23 MM: 00 - 59 SS: 00 - 59
63	SettlmntTyp	char	Indicates order settlement period. Absence of this field is interpreted as Regular. Regular is defined as the default settlement period for the particular security on the exchange of execution.  Valid values:  0 = Regular  1 = Cash  2 = Next Day  3 = T+2  4 = T+3  5 = T+4  6 = Future  7 = When Issued  8 = Sellers Option  9 = T+5
64	FutSettDate	char	Specific date of trade settlement in YYMMDD format. Required when SettlmntTyp = 6 (Future) or SettlmntTyp = 8 (Sellers Option). (expressed in GMT)  Valid values:  YY = 00-99 MM = 01-12 DD = 01-31
65	SymbolSfx	char	Additional information about the security (e.g. preferred, warrants, etc.). Absence of this field indicates common.  Valid values:  As defined in the NYSE Stock and bond Symbol Directory and in the AMEX Fitch Directory
66	ListID	char	Customer assigned list identifier used to associate multiple individual orders.

67	ListSeqNo	int	Sequence of individual order within list (i.e. <i>ListSeqNo</i> of <i>ListNoOrds</i> , 2 of 25, 3 of 25, )
68	ListNoOrds	int	Total number of orders within list (i.e. <i>ListSeqNo</i> of <i>ListNoOrds</i> , e.g. 2 of 25, 3 of 25, )
69	ListExecInst	char	Free format text message containing list handling and execution instructions.
70	AllocID	int	Unique identifier for allocation record.
71	AllocTransType	char	Identifies allocation transaction type  Valid values:  0 = New  1 = Replace 2 = Cancel
72	RefAllocID	int	Reference identifier to be used with Replace and Cancel AllocTransType records.
73	NoOrders	int	Indicates number of orders to be combined for average pricing and allocation.
74	AvgPrxPrecision	int	Indicates number of decimal places to be used for average pricing. Absense of this field indicates that default precision arranged by the broker/institution is to be used.
75	TradeDate	char	Indicates date of trade referenced in this record in YYMMDD format. Absence of this field indicates current day (expressed in GMT).  Valid values:  YY = 00-99  MM = 01-12  DD = 01-31
76	ExecBroker	char	Identifies executing / give-up broker. Standard NASD market-maker mnemonic is preferred.
77	OpenClose	char	For options only.

78	NoAllocs	int	Number of AllocAccount/AllocShares/ProcessCode instances included in allocation record.
79	AllocAccount	char	Sub-account mnemonic
80	AllocShares	int	Number of shares to be allocated to specific sub-account
81	ProcessCode	char	Processing code for sub-account. Absence of this field in AllocAccount / AllocShares / ProcessCode instance indicates regular trade.  Valid values:  0 = regular  1 = soft dollar  2 = step-in  3 = step-out  4 = soft-dollar step-in  5 = soft-dollar step-out
82	NoRpts	int	Total number of reports within series.
83	RptSeq	int	Sequence number of message within report series.
84	CxlQty	int	Total number of shares cancelled for this order.
85	NoDlvyInst	int	Number of delivery instruction fields to follow
86	DlvyInst	char	Free format text field to indicate delivery instructions
87	AllocStatus	int	Identifies status of allocation.  Valid values:  0 = accepted 1 = rejected 2 = partial accept

88	AllocRejCode	int	Identifies reason for rejection.  Valid values:  0 = unknown account(s)  1 = incorrect quantity  2 = incorrect average price  3 = unknown executing broker mnemonic  4 = commission difference  5 = unknown OrderID  6 = unknown ListID  7 = other	
89	Signature	data	Electronic signature	
90	SecureDataLen	int	Length of encrypted message	
91	SecureData	data	Actual encrypted data stream	
92	BrokerOfCredit	char	Broker to receive trade credit	
93	SignatureLength	int	Number of bytes in signature field.	
94	EmailType	char	Email message type.  Valid values:  0 = New  1 = Reply  2 = Admin Reply	
95	RawDataLength	int	Number of bytes in raw data field.	
96	RawData	data	Unformatted raw data, can include bitmaps, word processor documents, etc.	
97	PossResend	char	Indicates that message may contain information that has been sent under another sequence number.	

98	EncryptMethod	int	Method of encryption.  Valid values:  0 = None / other  1 = PKCS  2 = DES  3 = PKCS/DES  4 = PGP/DES
99	StopPx	float	Price per share Valid values: 0 - 9999.9999
100	ExDestination	char	Execution destination as defined by institution when order is entered.  Valid values:  See Appendix C  plus  0 = none 4 = POSIT
102	CxlRejReason	int	Code to identify reason for cancel rejection.  Valid values:  0 = Too late to cancel  1 = Unknown order
103	OrdRejReason	int	Code to identify reason for order rejection.  Valid values:  0 = Broker option  1 = Unknown symbol  2 = Exchange closed  3 = Order exceeds limit

104	IOIQualifier	char	Code to qualify IOI use.	
			Valid values:  X = Crossing opportunity O = At the open M = More behind P = Taking a position V = Versus Q = Current quote C = At the close S = Portfolio show-n I = In touch with W = Indication - Working away A = All or none L = Limit T = Through the day	
105	WaveNo	char	Identifier to aid in the management of multiple lists derived from a single, master list.	
106	Issuer	char	Company name of security issuer (e.g. International Business Machines)	
107	SecurityDesc	char	Security description.	
108	HeartBtInt	int	Heartbeat interval (seconds)	
109	ClientID	char	Firm identifier used in third party-transactions.	
110	MinQty	int	Minimum quantity of an order to be executed.	
111	MaxFloor	int	Maximum number of shares within an order to be shown on the exchange floor at any given time.	
112	TestReqID	char	Identifier included in Test Request message to be returned in resulting Heartbeat	
113	ReportToExch	char	Identifies party of trade responsible for exchange reporting.  Valid values:  Y = Indicates that party receiving message must report trade  N = Indicates that party sending message will report trade	

## Appendix A Valid Currency Codes

AED	United Arab Emirates	GTQ	Guatemalan Quetzal	QAR	Qutar Rial
	Dirham	GWB	Sao Tome + Principe Gun	ROL	Romanian Leu
AFA	Afghani		Escudo	RWF	Rwandan Franc
ALL	Albanian Lek	GWP	Guinea-Bissau Peso	SAR	Saudi Arabian Riyal
ANG	Netherlands Antilles Guilder	GYD	Guyana Dollar	SBD	Solomon Islands Dollar
AOK	Angolan Kwanza	HKD	Honk Kong Dollar	SCR	Sevchelles Rupee
ARA	Argentinan Austral	HNL	Honduran Lempira	SDP	Sudan Pound
ATS	Austrian Schilling	HTG	Haitian Gourde	SDR	Spc Drw Rt
AUD	Austral \$	HUF	Hungarian Forint	SEK	Swedish Krone
BBD	Barbados \$	IDR	Indonesian Rupiah	SGD	Singapore Dollar
BDT	Bangladesh Taka	IEP	Irish Pound	SHP	St. Helena Pound
BEC	Cnv Belgium Franc	ILS	Israeli Shekl	SLL	Sierra Leone Leone
BEF	Belgium Franc	INR	Indian Rupee	SOS	Somalian Shilling
BEL	Fin Belgium Franc	IQD	Iraqian Dinar	SRG	Surinam Guilder
BGL	Bulgarian Lev	IRR	Iranian Rail	STD	Sao Tome + Principe Dobra
BHD	Bahrainian Dinar	ISK	Iceland Krona	SUR	Ukrainian Ssr Rouble
BIF	Burndi Franc	ITL		SVC	
			Italian Lira		El Salvador Colon
BMD	Bermudian Dollar	JMD	Jamaican Dollar	SYP	Syrian Arab Rep Pound
BND	Brunei Dollar	JOD	Jordanian Dinar	SZL	Swaziland Lilangeni Thai Baht
BOP	Bolivian Peso	JPY	Japanese Yen	THB	
BRN	Brazilian New Cruzdo	KES	Kenyan Shilling	TND	Tunisian Dinar
BSD	Bahamain \$	KHR	Kampuchea Dem. Riel	TOP	Tonga Pa'anga
BUK	Burma Kyat	KMF	Comoros Franc	TPE	Tim Escudo
BWP	Botswanan Pula	KPW	Dem Peo Rep Of Korea	TRL	Turkish Lira
BZD	Belize Dollar		Won	TTD	Trinidad & Tobago Dollar
CAD	Canadian Dollar	KRW	Rep Of Korea Won	TWD	Tai Dollar
CHF	Swiss Franc	KWD	Kuwait Dinar	TZS	Un Rep Tanzania Shilling
CLP	Chilian Peso	KYD	Cayman Island Dollar	UGS	Ugandan Shilling
CNY	Chinese Yn Renminb	LAK	Lao Peoples Dem Kip	USD	Us Dollar
COP	Columbian Peso	LBP	Lebonese Pound	UYP	Urug Peso
CRC	Costa Rican Colon	LKR	Sri Lanka Rupee	VEB	Bolivar
CSK	Czechoslovakian Koruna	LRD	Liberian Dollar	VND	Vietnamese Dong
CUP	Cuban Peso	LSM	Lesotho Maloti	VUV	Vanuatuan Vatu
CVE	Cape Verde Escd	LUF	Luxembourg Franc	WST	Samoan Tala
CYP	Cyprus Pound	LYD	Libian Arab Republic Dinar	XAF	Gabon Cfa Franc
DEM	Fed Rep Of Germany Deuts	MAD	Moroccan Dirham	XCD	St. Lucia Ecb Dollar
	Mark	MGF	Madagascan Franc	XOF	Togo Wafr Franc
DJF	French Afars+Issas Djbt	MLF	Mali Franc	XPF	New Caledonian Cfp Franc
	Franc	MNT	Mongolian Tugrik	YDD	Yemn Dinar
DKK	Danish Krone	MOP	Macau Pataca	YER	Yemen Rial
DOP	Dominican Republic Peso	MRO	Mauritania Ouguiya	YUD	Yugo Dinar
DZD	Alegerian Dinar	MTP	Malta Pound	ZAR	South African Rand
ECC	Ecu Compon	MUR	Mauritius Rupee	<b>ZMK</b>	Kwacha
ECS	Ecuadoran Sucre	MVR	Maldives Rupee	ZRZ	Zaire
ECU	European Currency Unit	MWK	Malawi Kwacha	ZWD	Zimbabwe Dollar
EGP	Egyptian Pound	MXP	Mexican Peso		
ESA	B Spanish Pesata	MYR	Malaysian Ringgt		
ESB	A Spanish Pesata	MZM	Mozamique Metical		
ESP	Spanish Pesata	NGN	Nigerian Naira		
ETB	Ethiopian Birr	NIC	Nicaraguan Cordoba		
EUA	European Unit Acct	NLG	Netherlands Guilder		
FIM	Finish Markka	NOK	Norwegian Krone		
FJD	Fiji Dollar	NPR	Nepal Rupee		
FKP	Falkland Is. (Mal) Pound	NZD	New Zealand Dollar		
FRF	French Franc	OMR	Oman Rial Omani		
GBP	Canton+Enderbury Pnd	PAB	Panamanian Balboa		
	Sterling	PES	Peruvian Sol		
GHC	Ghana Cedi	PGK	Papua New Guinea Kina		
GIP	Gibralter Pound	PHP	Philippine Peso		
GMD	Gambian Dalasi	PKR	Pakistani Rupee		
GNS	Guinea-Bissau Syli	PLZ	Polish Zloty		
GQE	Equatorial Guinea Ekwele	PTE	Portugese Escud		
GRD	Greek Drachma	PYG	Paraguan Guarani		
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### Appendix B

### **CheckSum Calculation**

The checksum of a FIX message is calculated by summing every byte of the message up to but not including the checksum field itself. This checksum is then transformed into a modulo 256 number for transmission and comparison. The checksum is calculated after all encryption is completed, i.e. the message as transmitted between parties is processed.

For transmission, the checksum must be sent as printable characters, so the checksum is transformed into three ASCII digits.

For example, if the checksum has been calculated to be 274 then the modulo 256 value is 22. This value would be transmitted a |10=022| where "10="is the tag for the checksum field.

A sample code fragment to generate the checksum field is as follows:

```
char *cksum( char *buf, long bufLen )
GenerateCheckSum (int checksum)
{
    static char tmpBuf[ 4 ];
    long idx;
    unsigned int cks;

    for( idx = 0L, cks = 0; idx < bufLen; cks += (unsigned int)buf[ idx++ ] );
    sprintf( tmpBuf, "%03d", (unsigned int) ( cks % 256 ) );
    return( tmpBuf );
}</pre>
```

## Appendix C Reuters Exchange Mnemonics

Alberta Stock Exchange	AL	Marseille Stock Exchange	MS
American Stock Exchange	A	MATIS	MT
Amman Stock Exchange	AM	MEFF Renta Variable	I
Amsterdam Stock Exchange	AS	Mexican Stock Exchange	MX
Australian Stock Exchange	AX	Midwest Stock Exchange	MW
Bahrain Stock Exchange	BH	Milan Stock Exchange	MI
Basle Stock Exchange	BS	MONEP Paris Stock Options	p
Barcelona Stock Exchange -	BC	Montreal Exchange	M
Floor Trading	240	Munich Stock Exchange	MU
Barcelona Stock Exchange -	MC	Muscat Stock Exchange	OM
CATS Feed	1	Nancy Stock Exchange	NC
Belfox	b DE	Nagoya Stock Exchange	NG
Berlin Stock Exchange	BE	Nairobi Stock Exchange	NR
Berne Stock Exchange Bologna Stock Exchange	BN BL	Nantes Stock Exchange Naples Stock Exchange	NT NA
-	BO	NASDAQ	O
Bombay Stock Exchange Bordeaux Stock Exchange	BD	NASDAQ NASDAQ Dealers -	OI
Boston Stock Exchange	В	International	Oi
Bremen Stock Exchange	BM	NASDAQ Dealers -	OB
Brussels Stock Exchange	BR	Bulletin Board	ОБ
Chicago Board Options	W	New York Stock Exchange	N
Exchange		New Zealand Stock Exchange	NZ
Cincinnati Stock Exchange	С	Niigata Stock Exchange	NI
Colombo Stock Exchange	CM	Osaka Stock Exchange	OS
Copenhagen Stock Exchange	CO	Oslo Stock Exchange	OL
Deutsche Terminboerse (DTB)	d	Pacific Stock Exchange	P
Dusseldorf Stock Exchange	D	Palermo Stock Exchange	PL
European Options Exchange	E	Paris Stock Exchange	PA
Florence Stock Exchange	FL	Philadelphia Stock Exchange	PH
Frankfurt Stock Exchange	F	Philadelphia Stock Exchange	X
Fukuoka Stock Exchange	FU	Options	
Geneva Stock Exchange	G	Rome Stock Exchange	RO
Genoa Stock Exchange	GE	Sao Paulo Stock Exchange	SA
Hamburg Stock Exchange	H	Sapporo Stock Exchange	SP
Hanover Stock Exchange	HA	Singapore Stock Exchange	SI
Helsinki Stock Exchange	HE	Shanghai Stock Exchange	SS
Hiroshima Stock Exchange	HI	Shenzhen Stock Exchange	SZ
Hong Kong Stock Exchange	HK	Stockholm Options Market	o
Integrated Bourse Trading and	IB	Stockholm Stock Exchange	ST
Information System (IBIS)		Stuttgart Stock Exchange	SG
Istanbul Stock Exchange	IS	Swiss Options and Financial	Z
Jakarta Stock Exchange	JK	Futures Exchange (SOFFEX)	CDXX Y
Japanese Securities Dealers	Q	Taiwan Stock Exchange	TW
Association	Y	Tel Aviv Stock Exchange	TA
Johannesburg Stock Exchange	J	Thailand Stock Exchange	BK
Karachi Stock Exchange	KA	Third Market	TH
Korea Stock Exchange	KS	Tokyo Stock Exchange	T
Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange	KL	Toronto Options Exchange	K
Kyoto Stock Exchange	KY	Toronto Stock Exchange	TO
Lagos Stock Exchange Lausanne Stock Exchange	LG LA	Trieste Stock Exchange Tunis Stock Exchange	TR TN
Lille Stock Exchange	LI	Turin Stock Exchange	TU
London Stock Exchange	L	Vancouver Stock Exchange	V
Luxembourg Stock Exchange	LU	Venice Stock Exchange	v VE
Lyon Stock Exchange	LY	Vienna Stock Exchange	VI
Madrid Stock Exchange -	MA	Zimbabwe Stock Exchange	ZI
Floor Trading	., 1	Zurich Stock Exchange	Z
Madrid Stock Exchange -	MC	Zarion Stock Exchange	
CATS Feed	-		
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# Appendix D Order State Change Matrices

The following matrices are included to clarify the sequence of messages and the status of orders involved in the submission and processing of new orders, executions, cancel requests and cancel/replace requests. These state diagrams are presented from the broker's view. (Note: x refers to the original order, y refers to the cancel/replacing order)

### Filled Order:

Time	Message Received	Message Sent	OrdStatus X	OrdStatus Y
1	NewOrder (X)		Pending New (A)*	
2 (if rejected)		Execution	Rejected (8)	
2		Execution	New (0)	
3 (if partial fills, can be repeated many time)		Execution	Partial fill (1)	
4		Execution	Filled (2)	

### Partially Filled Order:

Time	Message Received	Message Sent	OrdStatus X	OrdStatus Y
1	NewOrder (X)		Pending New (A)*	
2 (if rejected)		Execution	Rejected (8)	
2		Execution	New (0)	
3 (if partial fills, can be repeated many time)		Execution	Partial fill (1)	
4		Execution	Done for day (3)	

### Cancelled Order:

Time	Message Received	Message Sent	OrdStatus X	OrdStatus Y
1	NewOrder (X)		Pending New (A)*	
2 (if rejected)		Execution	Rejected (8)	
2		Execution	New (0)	
3	Cancel Request (Y)		New (0)*	Pending New (A)*
4 (if rejected)		Cancel Reject	New (0)*	Rejected (8)
4		Execution	Pending Cxl (6)*	New (0)
5 (if rejected)		Cancel Reject	New (0)*	Rejected (8)
5		Execution	Cancelled (4)	Cancelled (4)*

<sup>\*</sup> information only transmitted as the result of an Order Status Request on this order

### Replaced Order:

Time	Message Received	Message Sent	OrdStatus X	OrdStatus Y
1	NewOrder (X)		Pending New (A)*	

2 (if rejected)		Execution	Rejected (8)	
2		Execution	New (0)	
3	Cxl/Repl Request (Y)		New (0)*	Pending New (A)*
4 (if rejected by salesperson)		Cancel Reject	New (0)*	Rejected (8)
4		Execution	Pending Cxl (6)	Pending New (A)*
5 (if rejected by trader or exchange)		Cancel Reject	New (0)*	Rejected (8)
5		Execution	Replaced (4)*	New (0)

<sup>\*</sup> information only transmitted as the result of an Order Status Request on this order