

# ASX Trade

Setting a new standard for capacity and latency



ASXTrade

In December 2010 ASX launched ASX Trade™, a NASDAQ OMX ultra-low latency trading platform based on NASDAQ OMX's Genium INET system. ASX Trade takes ASX's latency down to 300 microseconds (ASX was previously the South East Asia region's leading market at 2-3 milliseconds). This ultra-low latency platform includes a multi-functional, multi-asset class trade facility called TradeMatch™. A parallel trade facility, PureMatch™, aimed at High Frequency Trading, providing arbitrage opportunities for the top 200 equities and ETFs listed on ASX, which will be launched in the second half of 2011.

ASX Trade is a scalable system and is one of the fastest and most functionally complete multi-asset trading systems in the world.

## The Benefits are Numerous

ASX Trade offers high-level performance, ultra low latency and robust functionality. Its technical advantages and flexibility will provide the Australian marketplace with the tools needed to enable growth, increase performance and provide new business functionality.

## The Technology is Proven

ASX Trade incorporates market leading technology from both the former NASDAQ and OMX, marrying performance and functionality to meet the business and performance requirements of the future. ASX Trade meets the needs of a broad and diversified customer base and caters for very high trading volumes.

## Key Benefits

ASX Trade will support multiple trade facilities on the one platform, including a multi-asset class trading facility, a High Frequency Trading facility and a Block Trading facility while maintaining high performance, ultra-low latency and robust functionality.

## Ultra Low and Predictable Latency:

ASX has experienced performance consistently in the sub-300 microsecond order entry latency area in testing of the ASX Trade system.

## High Volume Capacity:

- 100,000 order book changes per second
- 5 million trades per day
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ASX Trade supports multiple markets simultaneously on a single platform – including all trading from traditional cash and fixed income securities, derivatives, commodities and ETFs.



## About ASX Trade

ASX Trade supports a range of new market services including TradeMatch, VolumeMatch®, Centre Point Orders®, Centre Point Crossings, Undisclosed orders, and ASX co-location services.

ASX Trade will allow for the introduction of other new market services including Iceberg Orders, PureMatch, Sponsored Access and ASX Best™.

To find out more about the range of new market services covered by ASX Trade, visit [www.asx.com.au/asxtrade](http://www.asx.com.au/asxtrade) and watch the ASX Trade video.



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