

## Press release

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### **Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking voted #1 Global Provider in Equity Derivatives in *Risk* magazine**

The global dealer and broker community voted Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking the # 1 global provider in equity derivatives in the 2009 Interdealer Rankings, published in *Risk* magazine's September issue.

The bank is named at the top of all four equity derivatives categories:

- **OTC single stock equity products**
- **Equity index options**
- **Warrants**
- **Exotic equity products**

The rankings reflect the solidity of Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking's franchise and the industry's recognition of its teams and products, in an exceptionally challenging environment.

*Risk* surveyed global dealers and brokers to list their top three providers in interest rate, currency, credit and equity derivatives. Results were based on client votes which indicated their preferred derivative supplier by capabilities, innovation, service, liquidity, and price. This year's survey results were based on 1,250 industry responses, divided between Europe (63.2%), North America (20.8%), Asia (12.2%) and other (3.8%).

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**Notes to editors:****Société Générale**

Société Générale is one of the largest financial services groups in the euro-zone. The Group employs 163,000 people worldwide in three key businesses:

- **Retail Banking & Financial Services:** Société Générale serves more than 30 million individual customers worldwide.
- **Global Investment Management & Services:** Société Générale is one of the largest banks in the euro-zone in terms of assets under custody (EUR 2 906 billion, June 2009) and under management (EUR 333 billion, June 2009).
- **Corporate & Investment Banking:** Société Générale tailors solutions for its clients across sectors by capitalizing on its worldwide expertise in investment banking, global finance, and global markets.

Société Générale is included in 3 socially-responsible investment indexes: FTSE4Good, ASPI and Ethibel.

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**Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking**

At the core of Société Générale's universal banking business model, the Corporate & Investment Bank is a well-diversified and leading player with 12 000 professionals present in over 40 countries across Europe, the Americas and Asia-Pacific.

Standing by its clients across sectors, the Corporate & Investment Bank tailors solutions for them by capitalising on its worldwide expertise in **investment banking, global finance, and global markets.**

- **For Corporates, Financial Institutions and public sector:** providing a global advisory approach (M&A, debt, equity transaction, capital structure, and asset & liability management), as well as quality capital raising solutions across the debt and equity spectrum, optimised financing and expert risk management responses notably in the realm of foreign exchange and rates derivatives.
- **For investors:** offering reliable and sound investment opportunities and risk management solutions through its integrated global markets platform delivering seamless access to markets (equity, rates, credit, currencies, commodities and derivatives), as well as advice and solid financial engineering, quality of execution and forward-looking research across asset classes.

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