

CIRCULAR 150-24

December 18, 2024

REPORTS OF ACCUMULATED POSITIONS ON DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS (LOPR)

Reminder Concerning LOPR Reportable Dates

The Regulatory Division would like to remind Approved Participants of their obligation to file daily reports of accumulated positions ("LOPR") held on derivative instruments listed on Bourse de Montreal Inc. ("the Bourse") in accordance with Article 6.500 of the Rules of the Bourse.

As specified under part 2.1 of the <u>LOPR Regulatory Requirements Guide</u>, Approved Participants must ensure that the **report date** corresponds to the **trading day** for which the position report has been compiled. For example, if the position report reflects positions at the end of the trading day on April 2, the "report date" must indicate April 2.

LOPR must be compiled <u>for every trading day</u> and transmitted to the Bourse via the LOPR reporting tool before 9:00 a.m. (ET) on the business day following the trading day. For the purpose of LOPR, weekends and days where <u>all</u> of the Bourse's markets are closed ("Interest Rate Derivatives" and "Equity, Currency, ETF, Index Derivatives, Share Futures and BTC") do not constitute a trading day. The days the Bourse's markets are closed can be found on the Bourse's website at https://www.m-x.ca/qui_jours_en.php. For ease of reference, these dates and the corresponding LOPR requirement have been listed below.



Holiday schedule for the Bourse's markets from January 1, 2025 to January 1, 2026

| Date | Interest Rate Derivatives | Equity, Currency, ETF, Index Derivatives, Share Futures and BTC | Is this considered a trading day for which a LOPR report must be compiled? | |
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| 2025 | | | | |
| Wednesday, January 1, 2025 New Year's Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Friday, February 14, 2025 Day preceding Family Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular Schedule | YES | |
| Monday, February 17, 2025 Family Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Thursday, April 17, 2025 Day preceding Good Friday | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular schedule | YES | |
| Friday, April 18, 2025 Good Friday | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Friday, May 16, 2025 Day preceding Victoria Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular schedule | YES | |
| Monday, May 19, 2025 Victoria Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Monday, June 30, 2025 Day preceding Canada Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular schedule | YES | |
| Tuesday, July 1, 2025 Canada Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Friday, August 1, 2025 Day preceding Civic Holiday | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular Schedule | YES | |
| Monday, August 4, 2025 Civic Holiday | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Friday, August 29, 2025 Day preceding Labour Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular schedule | YES | |
| Monday, September 1, 2025 Labour Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Monday, September 29, 2025 Day preceding National Day for Truth and Reconciliation | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular schedule | YES | |
| Tuesday, September 30, 2025 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation | Closed | Regular schedule | YES | |
| Friday, October 10, 2025 Day preceding Thanksgiving Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular Schedule | YES | |

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| Monday, October 13, 2025 Thanksgiving Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Monday, November 10, 2025 Day preceding Remembrance Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular Schedule | YES | |
| Tuesday, November 11, 2025 Remembrance Day | Closed | Regular schedule | YES | |
| Wednesday, December 24, 2025 Day preceding Christmas Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Closing at 1:00 p.m. | YES | |
| Thursday, December 25, 2025 Christmas Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Friday, December 26, 2025 Boxing Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |
| Wednesday, December 31, 2025 Day preceding New Year's Day | Closing at 1:30 p.m. | Regular schedule | YES | |
| 2026 | | | | |
| Monday, January 1, 2026 New Year's Day | Closed | Closed | NO | |

Finally, please refer the Bourse's <u>List of Fees</u>, to consult the fees related to the late filing or the failure to submit LOPR.

The correct identification of the **trading day** for which the positions are being compiled is a critical element that enables the Bourse to accurately assemble LOPR data for position limits monitoring purposes.

The Regulatory Division considers LOPR requirements to be a core component of the preservation of market integrity. LOPR requirements are therefore of the utmost importance to the Bourse, and will be diligently monitored and enforced.

BTC: Basis Trade on Close close at 12:30 p.m. on December 24, 2025

Sector Index Futures close at 1:30 p.m. on December 24, 2025

¹ Markets will close at 1:00 p.m. on December 24, 2025 subject to board approval



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