

Press release

**Banco de Investimento Global offers
Euronext.liffe Portuguese Futures**

and jointly launch a national Road Show

Lisbon, 11 October 2005 – Euronext.liffe and Banco de Investimento Global (BIG) are pleased to announce that from today it is possible to trade Portuguese Derivatives contracts, via Internet, and that these contracts are available via BIG's online trading platform - www.bigonline.pt.

This new feature will allow retail investors, who trade on the Internet, easy access to this kind of product via BIGonline, Portugal's leading online trading platform. BIG is the first financial intermediary to feature a proprietary futures trading platform among its online offerings.

In order to reach retail investors, Euronext.liffe and BIG will also carry out a road show to explain the characteristics and benefits of futures trading to current and potential investors. Presentations will take place at key locations across Portugal – Lisboa, Cascais, Porto, Coimbra and Albufeira, in different FNAC, Bertrand and Almedina auditoriums – and admission is free of charge for those who pre-register through www.futurosfx.com.

Euronext.liffe's Single Stock Futures (SSF), offer investors many opportunities to enhance the performance of their equity portfolios, in many circumstances providing an inexpensive, easy and efficient alternative to trading shares or other related products. Single Stock Futures are available for Portuguese stocks EDP, PTC, BCP, PTM, SON, BPI and Brisa. Along with SSF, it is also possible to trade Euronext.liffe's PSI-20 index futures.

Carlos Rodrigues, CEO of BIG, commented, "We are excited about this initiative with Euronext.liffe, designed to re-launch futures trading associated with the Portuguese index and key Portuguese stocks. In addition to enhancing the trading experience of our existing and future clients, this effort fits very well with our strategy with respect to our target market, which is to simplify the access to more sophisticated trading instruments via an efficient platform and easily identifiable names."

Miguel Athayde Marques, CEO of Euronext Lisbon, said, "We are very pleased to have BIG distributing our futures, as this is a means of getting to investors that we usually cannot access directly. This will also allow an easy access to Portuguese Single Stock Futures and futures on PSI 20, which may increase trading volumes. Meanwhile, the road show reflects our commitment to improve the knowledge of market players in general, and we hope it will attract the attention of people who usually do not think about investing on the stock exchange."

Road show calendar

Lisbon

FNAC Colombo	19 October, 9.00 p.m.
FNAC Chiado	22 October, 12.00 a.m.
Almedina Saldanha	24 October, 7.00 p.m.
Bertrand Vasco da Gama	27 October, 7.00 p.m.

Cascais

FNAC Cascaishopping	26 October, 9.00 p.m.
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Porto

FNAC Norteshopping	31 October, 9.30 p.m.
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Coimbra

Bertrand Dolce Vita	21 October, 6.00 p.m.
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Albufeira

FNAC Algarve Shopping	25 October, 9.00 p.m.
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Notes to editors

Euronext.liffe

Euronext.liffe is the international derivatives business of Euronext, comprising the Amsterdam, Brussels, Lisbon, London and Paris derivatives markets. The consolidation of the migration to Euronext.liffe electronic trading platform - LIFFE CONNECT®, enabled a broadest range of products available on any exchange in the world, providing futures and options contracts across six product lines: short term interest rates, bonds, swaps, equities, commodities and currencies and reduced costs for cross-border trading.

Banco de Investimento Global

BIG – Banco de Investimento Global is a specialized Portuguese investment bank that provides advisory, execution, investment and risk management solutions to its target client base of individual, institutional and corporate clients.

Banco de Investimento Global operates in financial intermediation, corporate finance, asset management, and capital markets, and is Portugal's leader in online brokerage.

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