### User guide

#### **Euronext ClearSim**

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#### **WHAT'S NEW?**

The following lists only the most recent modifications made to this revision/version.

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1.0	24/09/2025	Euronext Clearing	First version
1.1	01/12/2025	Euronext Clearing	Second version

**OPERATING HOURS:** The service is available from Monday to Friday, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m

### 1. INTRODUCTION



#### 1.1 Context

Euronext Clearing is a leading multi-asset Central Counterparty (CCP), ensuring efficient and secure market functioning through best-in-class clearing services. It provides clearing for financial instruments traded on regulated markets and Multilateral Trading Facilities (MTFs) across a range of markets and trading venues, with settlement in multiple CSDs and ICSDs.

Euronext Clearing provides clearing services for the Euronext cash, fixed income, financial and commodity derivatives markets, offering a harmonised clearing framework across Euronext trading venues.

This document provides a comprehensive guide to the Euronext Clearing Risk Simulator, known as Euronext ClearSim. It describes the online environment offered by Euronext Clearing, and details the functions of the Euronext ClearSim platform and how to use them.

#### 1.2 Requirements

Euronext ClearSim is a web application that does not require specific hardware and is freely accessible from the Euronext Clearing website, under the 'Risk Simulation Tool' section.

Please note that Euronext ClearSim uses cookies to handle users' sessions. Since the newest browser versions block third-party cookies by default, users may experience breakages when using Euronext ClearSim.

If you notice a disruption in the usage of the User Interface, you are invited to adopt one of the following temporary solutions:

- 1. Use one of the following browser versions:
  - a) Firefox = 141.0
  - b) Chrome = 138.0.7204.185
  - c) Edge = 138.0.3351.121
- 2. Configure the browser and enable third-party cookies:
  - a) Safari:
    - i) On your computer, open the Safari browser;
    - ii) At the top left, click "Safari" and "Preferences";
    - iii) Under "Privacy" tab click "Third-party cookies settings";
    - iv) Uncheck the ""Prevent cross-site tracking" tab.



#### b) Chrome:

- i) On your computer, open Chrome;
- ii) At the top right, click "More" and then "Settings";
- iii) Under "Privacy and security," click "Third-party cookies settings";
- iv) Click Cookies and site data;
- v) From here, turn on the option: "Allow third-party cookies".

#### c) Firefox:

- i) Visit the website.
- ii) Click on the shield to the left of the address bar.
- iii) Toggle the switch at the top of the panel. This will turn off Enhanced Tracking Protection for this site. The page will reload automatically and allow trackers on this site only.

#### 1.3 Accessing the Margin Simulator

Euronext ClearSim helps users estimate margin requirements for various asset classes in an easy-to-use platform.

The tool provides valuable margin simulations for:

- Equity & Equity Derivatives<sup>1</sup>
- Soft Commodities

Coverage of additional asset classes will be added in a phased approach as the scope of the service expands.

This guide walks you through how to use the simulation tool to estimate margin requirements accurately based on your positions.

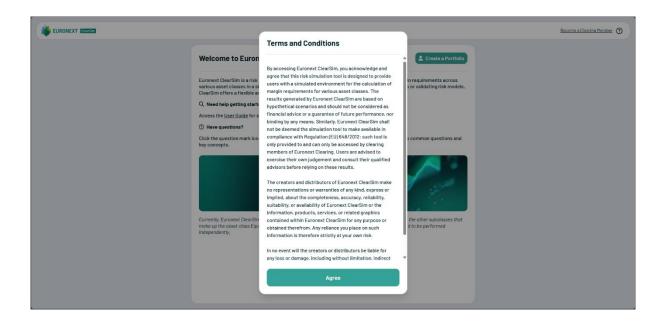
#### 1. Open the Tool:

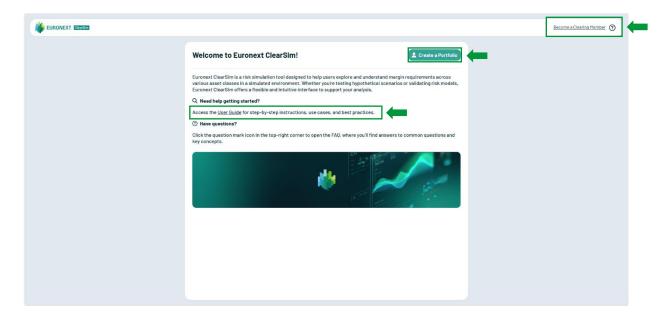
Access the tool via the official Euronext Clearing website, then select 'Risk Simulation Tool webpage' on desktop, tablet, or mobile. You will see a 'Euronext ClearSim' box. Click this box to reach the risk simulation tool.

Before using the tool, you must agree to the *Terms and Conditions*.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Version 1.0 doesn't cover futures contracts and options with crypto as the underlying as well as Fixed Income Derivatives instruments.







#### 2. Create a Portfolio:

- No log-in required.
- Simply click the "Create a Portfolio" button on the top right to begin.

You can find a link to this User Guide on this page.

If you need additional help, click the question mark icon at the top right of your screen to access the FAQ.

Click the link at the top right of your screen to find out how to become a member of Euronext Clearing.



# 2. ASSET CLASSES SUPPORTED



#### **Equity and Equity Derivatives**

- **Cash Instruments:** Includes stocks, securities and bonds listed on Euronext markets.
- **Derivatives instruments**: Includes equity/index-based and fixed income derivatives<sup>2</sup> (futures and options) on Euronext markets.

#### **Soft Commodities**

Includes products such as Milling Wheat, Corn, Rapeseed, Durum Wheat, Salmon, Commodity Spreads.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Fixed income derivatives instruments will be covered in a next release in Q1 2026. Options with crypto as the underlying are not supported yet.



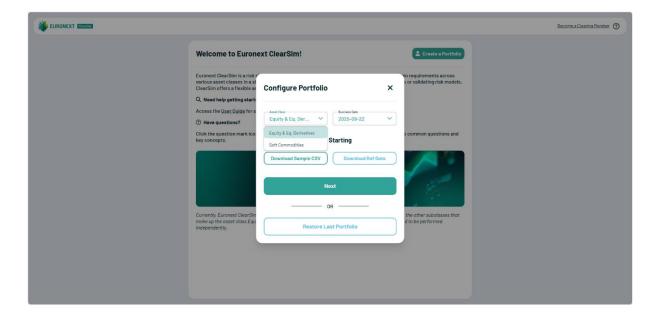
# 3. HOW TO USE THE MARGIN SIMULATOR



#### **Step 1: Select Asset Class**

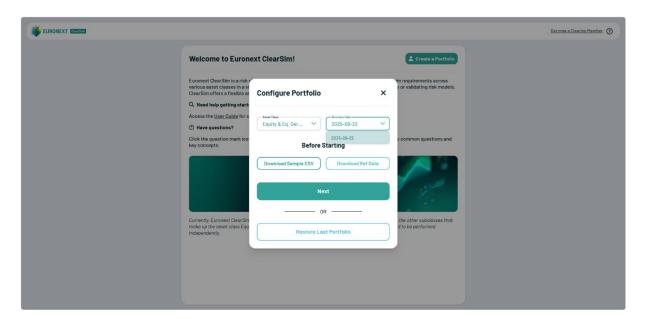
- After clicking "Create a Portfolio", you will be prompted to select an asset class.
- Available options:
  - Equity & Equity Derivatives
  - Soft Commodities

Each selection will adjust the available parameters and fields for margin estimation.



#### **Step 2: Choose the Business Date**

• For version 1 of the tool, the business date will be the date on the day you are accessing the tool.<sup>3</sup>



#### **Step 3: Download Relevant Files**

Once you have selected an asset class, you can download two types of reference files:

#### 1. Sample CSV Template

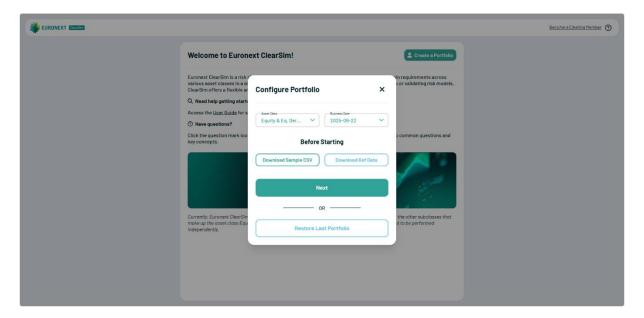
A file template to help you structure your positions for upload.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For this Version 1.0, the business date used is the previous day



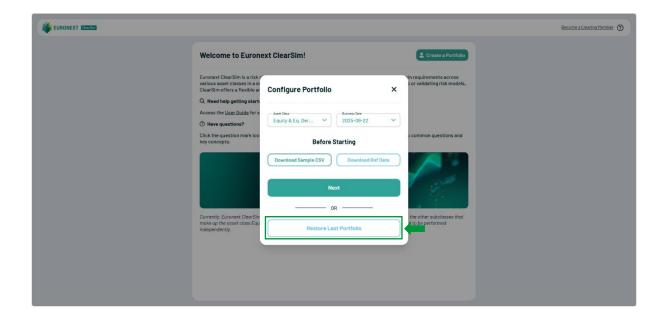
#### 2. Referential Data File

Contains necessary values and field definitions for manual position entry or .csv file preparation.



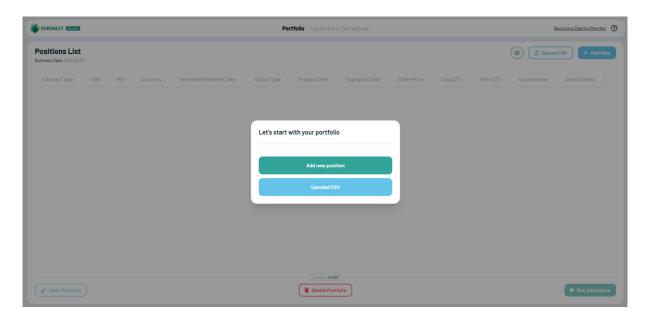
#### **Step 4: Restore Last Portfolio**

By clicking on *Restore Last Portfolio*, you can retrieve the portfolio you were previously working on.

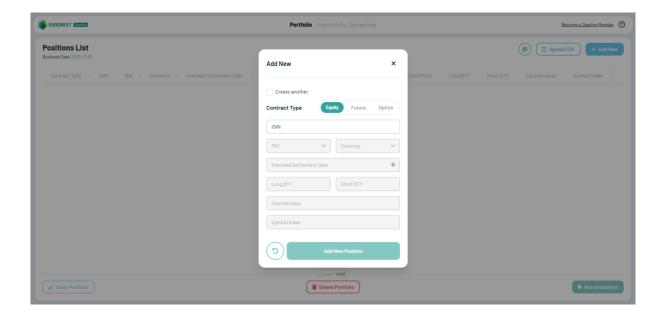




#### **Step 5: Upload Positions**



- 1. Click on "Add New Position".
- 2. A pop-up window will appear for position entry:
  - Select the contract type (e.g., Cash, Future, Option) specific to your selected asset class.
  - Fill in the required fields.
  - Click "Add/Save" to confirm.
  - Click the **refresh icon** at bottom left of the pop-up to reset the form.





#### **Input Fields by Contract Type**

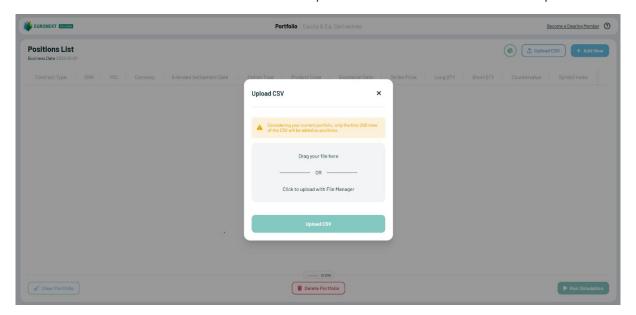
- Cash Instruments: Symbol Index (non-editable), ISIN, Currency, Long/Short Quantity, Position Value, Settlement Date
- **Futures**: Symbol Index (non-editable), Product Code, Lot Size, Settlement Type, Expiry Date, Long/Short Quantity
- **Options**: Symbol Index (non-editable), Product Code, Lot Size, Settlement Type, Expiry Date, Put/Call, Strike, Long/Short Quantity

#### **CSV Upload**

• Click "**Upload CSV**" to upload your prepared file (ensure it follows the sample template structure).

Make sure the formats match those required in the template, especially the date, and that fields are separated with a semicolon (;).

Each template shows the expected information based on the types of instruments and the chosen asset class. Please make sure not to provide more information than requested.



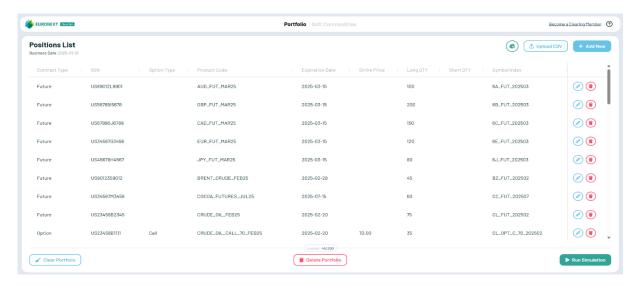
# 4. MANAGING YOUR VIRTUAL PORTFOLIO



Once your positions are uploaded, the system will redirect you to the **Virtual Portfolio** page. Here, all your positions are displayed for management. You are limited to 200 rows in the virtual portfolio.

#### **Viewing Positions**

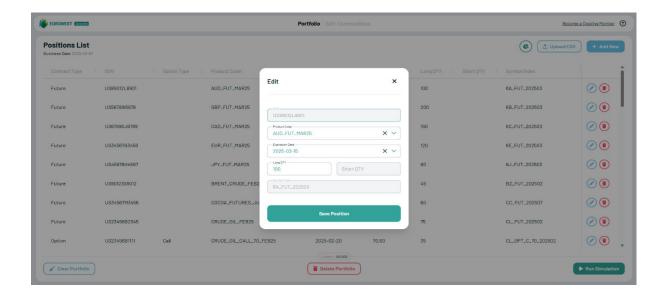
Each row represents a position with key information.



#### **Editing or Removing Positions**

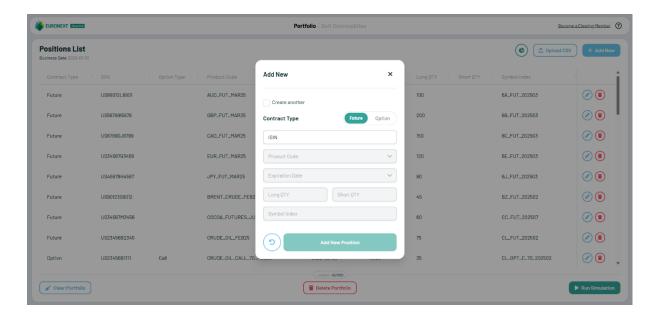
You have several options for managing your positions:

- Edit: Click the pencil/edit icon to modify a position.
- Delete: Use the trash icon to delete a position.
- Clear Portfolio: Clears all positions but retains the portfolio container.
- Delete Portfolio: Removes all positions and the portfolio itself.



You can add a new row to your portfolio by clicking on 'Add New' at the top right of the screen.



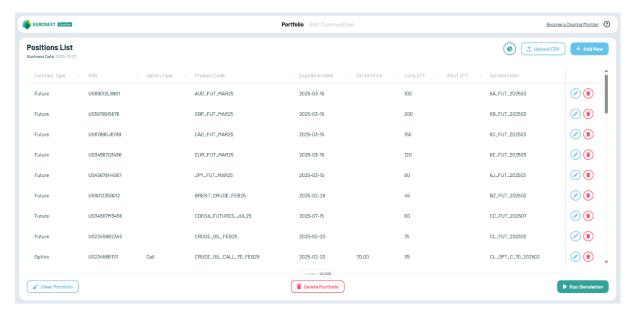


## 5. RUNNING THE SIMULATION



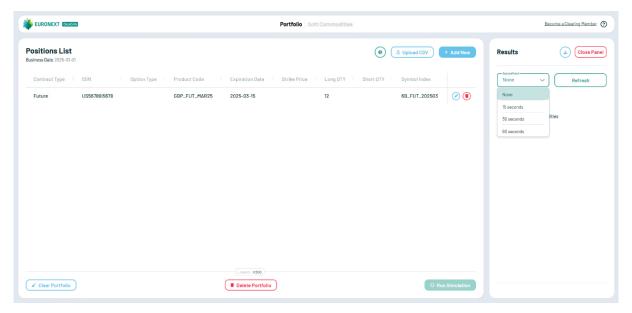
Once your positions are entered, click "Run Simulation" at the bottom right of the Virtual Portfolio page. The system will:

- Process your positions
- Apply margin calculation models
- · Estimate required margins



If you open the panel on the right, you will see your simulation being processed. You have different information.

 Refresh: Your simulation may take some time, so you have the option to either specify a refresh period or select 'None' and refresh manually by clicking 'Refresh'.

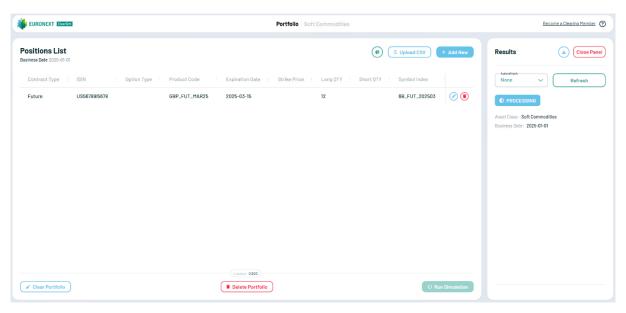


• Simulation status: You have 3 different statuses

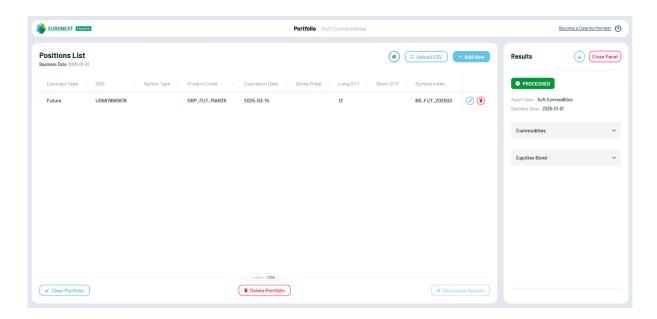


o **HOLD:** simulation queued waiting to be computed

o **PROCESSING:** simulation has started being computed



o **PROCESSED:** simulation computed with results



#### Viewing key results

The simulation results will appear in a panel on the right side of the screen, displaying:

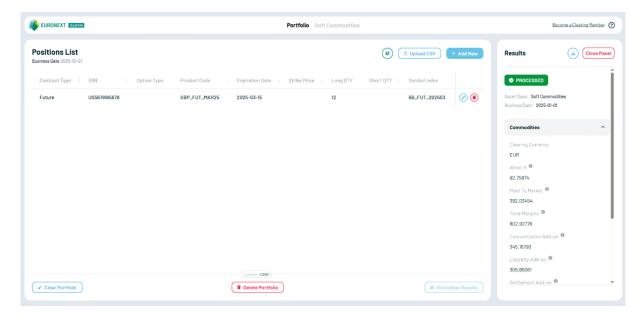
- Asset Classes
- Business date
- Time stamp
- Currency
- Segment
- What-If
- Mark-to-Market (only available for futures positions)
- Total Margins
- Add-ons (if applicable)
  - Concentration Add-on
  - Liquidity Add-on
  - Settlement Add-on
  - Wrong-Way Add-on

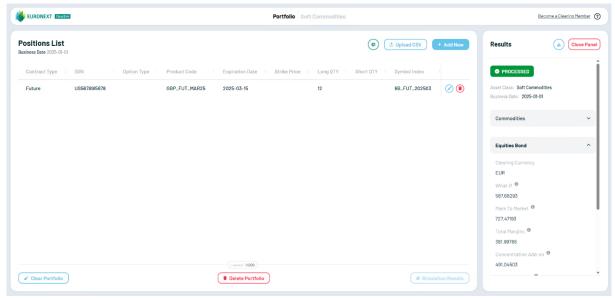
If you close the panel, click on "Simulation Results" to re-open it.

If you have a portfolio made up of different asset classes, including bonds (cash bonds or bond futures), you will receive multiple results: one related to the asset classes excluding bonds, and a second one dedicated to bonds. We replicate the behavior of Euronext Clearing in this situation.

To see the results, click on the box(es):

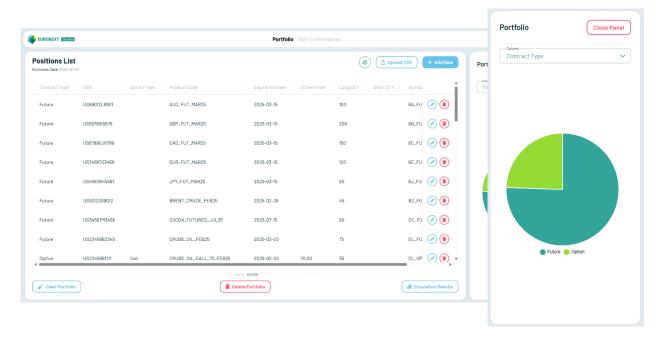






#### **Portfolio features**

- Click on the "download" button to download the results in .txt format.
- Click on the 'Portfolio Analysis' button to view the composition of your portfolio by contract type or option type.



#### **Revision history**

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1.0	24/09/2025	Euronext Clearing	First version
1.1	01/12/2025	Euronext Clearing	Version 1.1 Enhancement of the results panels, including:  • The statuses of the simulation and the possibility to monitor the refresh of the data.  • Multiple results to enable the display of cash bond simulations or mixed portfolio including cash bonds.

#### **Contacts**

For more information on using the Euronext ClearSim Web Interface for Euronext Clearing, please contact:

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