



DATA CLASSIFICATION

CME Group's Confidentiality Policy sets forth CME Group's standards for safeguarding its proprietary and confidential information, including appropriate data classifications and security measures and the restrictions on the use of information collected for regulatory reasons.

To help you classify and label information correctly, we have provided many of our most commonly used templates pre-labeled. All employees are encouraged to read our Confidentiality Policy to better understand how and why all documents should be classified. A brief summary of our different classifications is available below.

Public: Information that is available to the general public and/or is created with the intention for broad distribution outside the Company. This information is of the type that may be freely disseminated inside and outside the Company without exposing the Company, its customers or employees to financial loss or embarrassment, or jeopardizing the security of the Company's assets. Examples: marketing brochures, advertisements, press releases, published annual reports and content published to www.cmegroup.com.

CME Group Internal: Information belonging to the Company that is created in the normal course of business with the intention of broad, general distribution within (but not outside) the Company. The disclosure, alteration or destruction of such information would create minimal risk of harm to the Company, its customers or employees. Information classified as CME Group Internal should not be shared publicly or outside the Company, except where there is a legitimate business need to do so. Examples: new employee training materials, compliance policies for the general population and all employee communications.

CME Group Confidential: Information that is sensitive to the Company or a third party (e.g., a customer) and that should only be shared with individuals on a "need to know" basis meaning that the individual needs access to the information to perform their assigned job functions. Improper loss, corruption or disclosure of the information could significantly harm or adversely impact the Company, its customers or employees or could result in a breach of our legal obligations. Examples: information protected by confidentiality agreements, customer contact information, annual budget, strategic plans and certain personal and/or sensitive personal data.

CME Group Highly Sensitive: Information where the unauthorized internal or external access to, alteration or inappropriate destruction of, the information could have a catastrophic impact on the Company, its customers or employees. For this information, data integrity is extremely vital and the highest possible levels of confidentiality, restricted access and security measures are essential. Examples: unpublished material financial information, social security numbers, credit card numbers, Regulatory Data, information subject to HIPAA and personal and/or sensitive personal data in certain combinations.