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# Setting a New Benchmark for Tick-to-Trade Speed



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## **Exegy Xero Hardware Trading Platform**

#### **Co-location site**

local direct feeds direct market access



Customer Server

- Powerful engine for the "race to zero"
- Subset of trading strategy entirely in hardware
- Turnkey solution
  - Faster time-to-market
  - Lower total cost
- Expands proven solutions with global reach
  - Exegy Ticker Plant Exegy Market Data System (managed hardware appliances)

#### **Exceptional Value for Diverse Use Cases**

## Market making





## Speed-sensitive execution algorithms (e.g. intermarket sweeps)

## High-frequency proprietary trading





## Order protections in volatile markets (i.e. pick off prevention)



## **STAC-T1 Benchmark Updates**

First STAC-T1 benchmark for hardware tick-to-trade

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New benchmark definition due to sub-microsecond performance











Recent Quad-witching data from CME





- ✓ New STAC-T1 metrics
  - Start-of-Message (SOM) to Start-of-Frame (SOF)
  - Start-of-Message (SOM) to End-of-Frame (EOF)
  - Start-of-Frame (SOF) to Start-of-Frame (SOF)
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- ✓ New instrumentation in Corvil
- Corvil and embedded latency monitoring in Xero match within 10ns







#### **STAC-T1 Benchmark Results**

• Start of Market Data Message to Start of Order Frame @ 1x and 8x:

Statistic	Late	ncy (microseconds)
Mean		0.552
99 <sup>th</sup> Percentile		0.609
MAX		0.789
Standard Deviation		0.011
<ul> <li>Xero latency breakdown:</li> <li>MAC PHY</li> <li>Fast Path Logic</li> </ul>	~384ns [2 x ~192 ~165ns	STAC-T1.EMINI.vB.8x.SOM-to-SOF www.STACresearch.com/EXG191010

All measurements taken using Corvil with optical network taps.



#### **Xero Roadmap**

## Use faster MAC PHY

Expand to additional markets based on customer request

Extend the portfolio of parameterized Fast Path functions

Integrate with Ticker Plant appliances and Proxime embedded software deployments



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