

# Finnish Equity Derivatives

A wide offering with easy access for Nordic market participants

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Nasdaq offers a wide selection of Equity Derivatives on Finnish equity instruments: large cap stocks, selected mid and small cap stocks and the OMXH25 index. The expanded Finnish offering complements the Nordic coverage of Nasdaq Derivatives Markets. Our Derivatives Markets feature more local Nordic participants than other markets, enhancing the probability of finding a local counterparty. This benefits market participants and promotes sustainable market growth.

The following is a brief description of Nasdaq Finnish Equity Derivatives. Detailed contract specifications and complete rules and regulations for trading can be found on the Nasdaq website.

## Key Benefits

- **Integration of Nordic EQD trading and clearing on a single platform and one CCP only**, brings process efficiencies, leading to enhanced straight-through processing (STP). This strategic move not only optimizes operational workflows but also offers significant capital efficiencies through cross margining of options, futures, and forwards on an underlying instrument.
- **The consolidation of Finnish EQD and cash stocks in Nasdaq's data center** enhances latency, operational, and capital efficiencies, creating favorable conditions for market participants. The increased accessibility for a broader Nordic trading member base and investor community substantially improves the probability of finding suitable counterparties.
- Nasdaq offers **extensive product coverage** including a variety of Nordic underlying stock classes on a single trading platform. This diverse offering, combined with the flexible derivatives offering, allows trading derivatives on a significant number of Nordic stocks listed at Nasdaq Nordic exchanges.
- Overall, Nasdaq's comprehensive approach not only fosters a more efficient and interconnected market but also positions it as a **pivotal player in the Nordic financial ecosystem**.

## Available Instrument Types

Single Stock Product	Settlement	Expiration Style	Maturity, months (longest)	Flexibles offered
Call Options	Physical	American	6, 12 or 24	Yes
Put Options	Physical	American	6, 12 or 24	Yes
Futures	Cash	American	6, 12 or 24	Yes
Forwards	Physical	American	6, 12 or 24	Yes
Index Products	Settlement	Expiration Style	Maturity , months (longest)	Flexibles offered
Call Options	Cash	European	24	No
Put Options	Cash	European	24	No
Futures	Cash	European	24	No

The instruments offered are denominated in Euro.

They have an exchange listing as well as clearing listing.

Trading and clearing calendars follow Finnish bank days; settlement calendar follows TARGET2 Calendar of European Central Bank.

Trading hours are 9 am – 5.25 pm CET.

## Available Underlying Instruments

### SINGLE STOCK

Stock Class	Derivatives Symbol	Cash Ticker	Stock Class	Derivatives Symbol	Cash Ticker
Cargotec Oyj B	CGCB	CGCBV	Nordea Bank Abp	NDAFI	NDA FI
Elisa Oyj	ELISA	ELISA	Orion Oyj B	ORNB	ORNBV
Fortum Oyj	FORTUM	FORTUM	Outokumpu	OUT	OUT1V
Huhtamäki	HUH	HUH1V	Qt Group Oyj	QTCOM	QTCOM
Kemira	KEMIRA	KEMIRA	Sampo Oyj A	SAMPO	SAMPO
Kesko Oyj B	KESKOB	KESKOB	SSAB AB B	SSABH	SSABBH
Kojamo Oyj	KOJAMO	KOJAMO	Stora Enso Oyj R	STE	STERV
KONE Oyj	KNEB	KNEBV	Telia Company AB	TELIAH	TELIA1
Konecranes Oyj	KCR	KCR	TietoEVRY Oyj	TIETO	TIETO
Mandatum Oyj	MANTA	MANTA	Tokmanni Group Oyj	TOKMAN	TOKMAN
Metso	METSO	METSO	UPM-Kymmene Oyj	UPM	UPM
Metsä Board B	METSB3	METSB	Valmet Corporation	VALMT	VALMT
Nokia Oyj	NOA	NOKIA	Wärtsilä	WRT	WRT1V
Nokian Tyres	TYRES	TYRES	YIT-Yhtymä	YIT	YIT

- Nasdaq Derivatives Markets' Members may suggest new stock classes to be considered as underlying securities for the standardized or flexible equity derivatives.
- Nasdaq reserves the right to approve or decline the trading and clearing of the suggested instruments.

## INDEX

OMX HELSINKI 25 Index (OMXH25, ISIN FI0008900212) is the Nasdaq Helsinki (Helsinki Stock Exchange) leading share index. It consists of the 25 most actively traded stocks on Nasdaq Helsinki. OMXH25 is used as a benchmark index for management of diversified Finnish stock portfolios. It is a capitalization weighted stock price index with special dividends adjusted for. The maximum weight of one company is limited to 10 percent. The index components are adjusted for free float. The composition of the OMXH25 index is revised twice a year. The numbers of shares used to compute the market value are determined on a quarterly basis. The provision of the index commenced on March 4, 1988, with a base value of 500.

The contract multiplier of the Futures and Options is EUR 10 per index point.

## Further information

[Derivatives education webpage in Finnish](#)

[Self-study material in Finnish](#)

[Rules & Regulations of Nasdaq Derivatives Markets](#)

[OMXH25 Index](#)

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