



**Solid growth in H1 activities  
Turnover of CHF 676.7 million up 15.9% at current exchange rates and  
on a constant consolidation basis**

Compagnie Financière Tradition reported buoyant first-half trading conditions, with consolidated turnover for the period up by **13.4%**, to CHF 676.7 million at current exchange rates, against CHF 596.7 million a year ago. Consolidated turnover was ahead 13.1% at constant exchange rates, while at current exchange rates and on a constant consolidation basis it climbed by 15.9%.

Second-quarter consolidated turnover was 14.5% ahead of the same period last year, reaching CHF 344.6 million at current exchange rates. At current exchange rates and on a constant consolidation basis, it was up by 17.0%.

In terms of geographic spread, the U.K. and U.S. are still the Group's major revenue generators, contributing 35.9% and 32.2% of H1 turnover respectively, against 35.0% and 31.1% in 2006. Asia accounted for 20.1% and continental Europe for 11.8% of Group revenues, compared with 21.5% and 12.4% respectively last year.

***With a presence in 23 countries, Compagnie Financière Tradition is the world's No. 3 interdealer broker (IDB). The Group provides broking services for a complete range of financial products (money market products, bonds, interest rate, currency and credit derivatives, equities, equity derivatives, interest rate futures and index futures) and non-financial products (precious metals, and energy and environmental products).***

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