



Compagnie Financière Tradition

Press release

**Growth in Q1 turnover to
CHF 397.1 million**

**+33.3 at constant exchange rates
(+19.6% at current exchange rates)**

Compagnie Financière Tradition reported strong trading conditions in the first three months of the year, with consolidated turnover for the period up by **19.6%**, to **CHF 397.1 million** at current exchange rates, against CHF 332.1 million a year ago.

Consolidated turnover was ahead 33.3% at constant exchange rates.

In terms of geographic spread, the U.K. and U.S. are still the Group's major revenue generators, accounting for 34.4% and 34.0% of turnover respectively, against 36.3% and 33.1% in the same period last year. Asia generated 21.3% during the quarter against 19.5% in Q1 2007, and continental Europe 10.3% against 11.1%.

With a presence in 26 countries, Compagnie Financière Tradition is a leading interdealer broker (IDB) in the international market. 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).

Compagnie Financière Tradition is listed on the SWX Swiss Exchange (CFT). Find out more about our Group at www.traditiongroup.com

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