Cross Border Regulation

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	CME EU CCP	CME EU TR	CME EU Venue	CME US CCP	CME US Venue
License	CCP Authorization under EMIR (EU)	TR Authorization under EMIR (EU)	Exchange Recognition under FSMA (UK) and other national regimes (multiple)	Third-country CCP Recognition under EMIR (EU)	 (1)Exchange Recognition under FSMA (UK) and other national regimes (multiple) (2)Recognition under MiFID (EU)
Regulator	Bank of England (UK)	ESMA (EU)	FCA (UK) and other national authorities (multiple)	ESMA (EU)	 (1)FCA (UK) and other national authorities (multiple) (2)European Commission (EU)
Why?	Required to continue to provide clearing services in the EU and be able to satisfy the EU clearing mandate	Required to accept trades under the reporting mandate	Required to provide services in each country	Required to: (1)obtain QCCP status in the EU (2)continue to provide clearing services in the EU for direct CMs (3)be eligible to satisfy the clearing mandate for EU market participants	 Required to provide services in each country Required to avoid derivatives traded on the exchange being deemed OTC derivatives under EMIR and counted towards OTC clearing thresholds

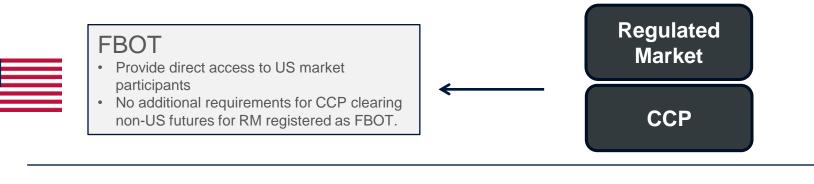
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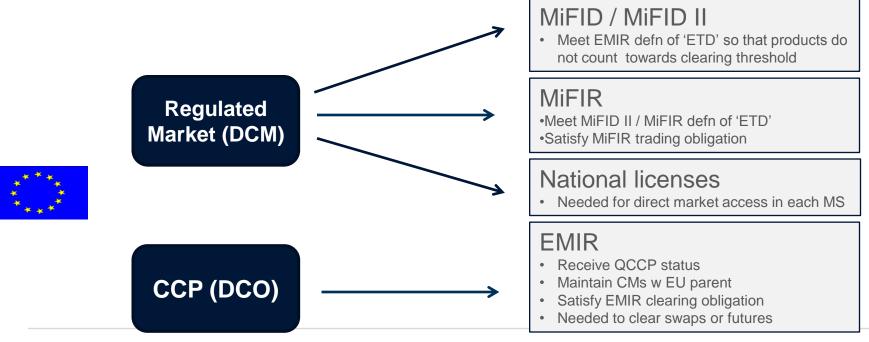
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Equivalence and recognition provisions



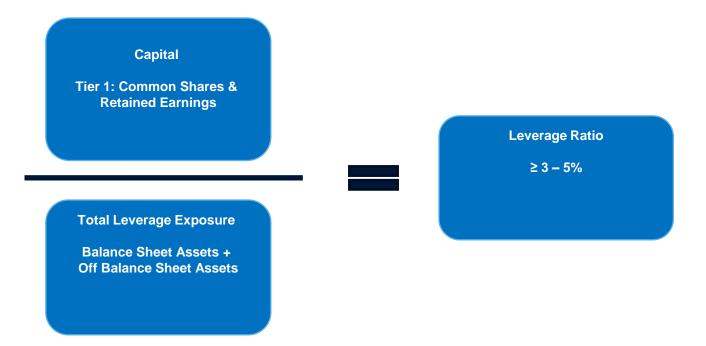






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Leverage Ratio



- Contrary to other Basel III regulations, which incentivise the collection of initial margin as a way to mitigate counterparty
 exposure, the Leverage Ratio framework views any initial margin collateral as a potential source of funding for banks to
 leverage themselves in other transactions.
- This does not take into account the customer segregation regimes in the United States (CFTC) and the European Union (EMIR), or the fact that the majority of collateral used to support margin requirements for cleared derivatives is held at a CCP.
- This will likely result in client clearing being unprofitable for bank affiliated clearing members. These clearing members will likely find it too capital intensive to provide clearing services for a diverse set of customers or more consolidation may be required which could increase concentration and risks to porting.

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