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Summary of July 2016 Activities at TOCOM

TOCOM July Volume Averaged 122,163 Contracts per Day, Up 5.9%

(Tokyo, August 2, 2016) The Tokyo Commodity Exchange announced today that average daily volume for July 2016 was 122,163 contracts, up 5.9% month over month. TOCOM's major contracts had mostly higher volume; Gold Standard increased 13.5% to 47,217 contracts and Platinum Standard rose 25.1% to 14,159 contracts. This outweighed decreases in a few contracts such as Dubai Crude Oil, which was down 2.5% to 19,967 contracts.

In July, Gold continued to trade heavily after Brexit prompted safe-haven buying and was further supported after the FRB's decision to hold interest rates steady. Platinum prices rose significantly on strong global automobile sales and trade expanded.

TOCOM Dubai Crude Oil prices were bearish through the month on uncertainty about future growth. This kept market volume in check.

Gold Physical Transaction was launched on July 25 and got off to a good start. During the first five trading days, 26 lots for 100 grams bar were executed.

At the end of July, open interest for all products was 400,636 contracts, a decrease of 6,852 (2.36%) from the end of June.

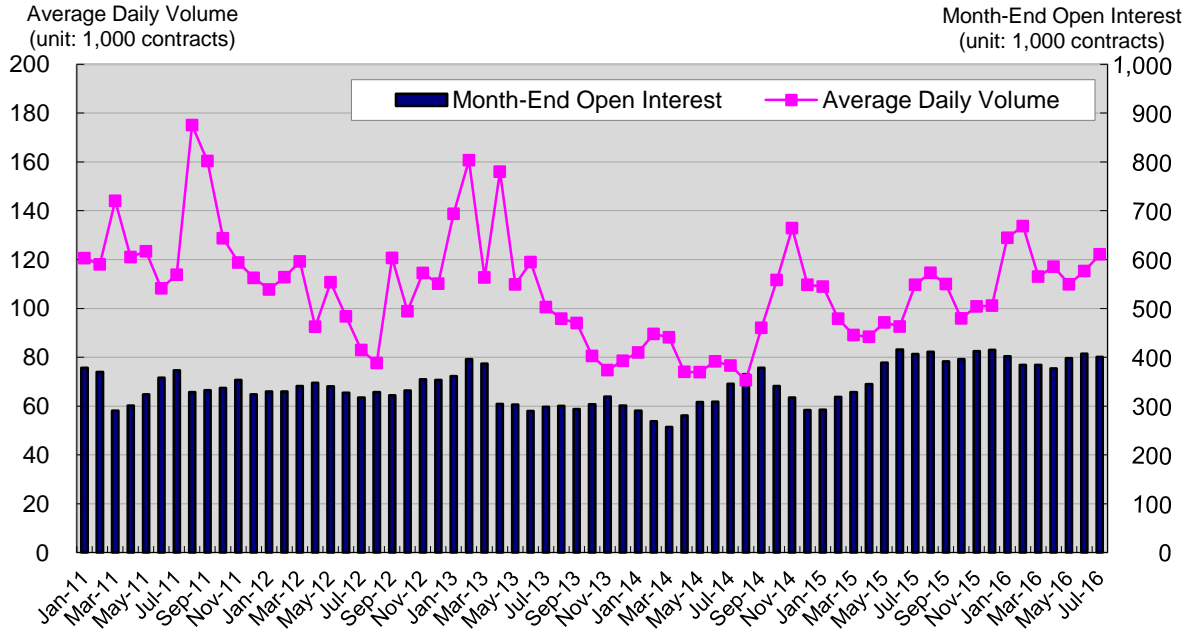
◆ TOCOM July 2016 Trading Volume Breakdown

Contract	Monthly Trading Volume		Average Daily Volume			
	July '16	June '16	June '16	June '16	M/M change	Y/Y change
Futures						
Gold	944,334	914,934	47,217	41,588	13.5%	48.3%
Gold Mini	122,177	126,929	6,109	5,770	5.9%	15.8%
Gold Rolling Spot	340,028	415,112	17,001	18,869	-9.9%	10.9%
Silver	8,697	5,858	435	266	63.5%	36.4%
Platinum	283,182	248,902	14,159	11,314	25.1%	-27.5%
Platinum Mini	26,662	19,299	1,333	877	52.0%	-8.9%
Palladium	3,329	1,831	166	83	100.0%	-57.9%
Dubai Crude Oil	399,344	450,719	19,967	20,487	-2.5%	51.2%
Gasoline	63,096	75,517	3,155	3,433	-8.1%	-46.8%
Kerosene	13,418	13,836	671	629	6.7%	-66.8%
Gas Oil	0	0	0	0	-	-
Chukyo-Gasoline	615	632	31	29	6.9%	-41.5%
Chukyo-Kerosene	419	294	21	13	61.5%	-4.5%
Rubber	187,708	182,669	9,385	8,303	13.0%	-7.3%
Corn	35,975	61,052	1,799	2,775	-35.2%	-44.4%
Soybean	11,709	16,234	585	738	-20.7%	-31.1%
Azuki	2,570	2,902	129	132	-2.3%	40.2%
Gold Options	0	0	0	0	-	-
Total	2,443,263	2,536,720	122,163	115,305	5.9%	11.4%

Physical						
Gold (100g)	26	-	5	-	-	-
Gold (1kg)	0	-	-	-	-	-
Total	26	-	5	-	-	-
Trading Days	20	22				

◆ **Daily Average Volume and Month-End Open Interest -- Jan 2011- July 2016**

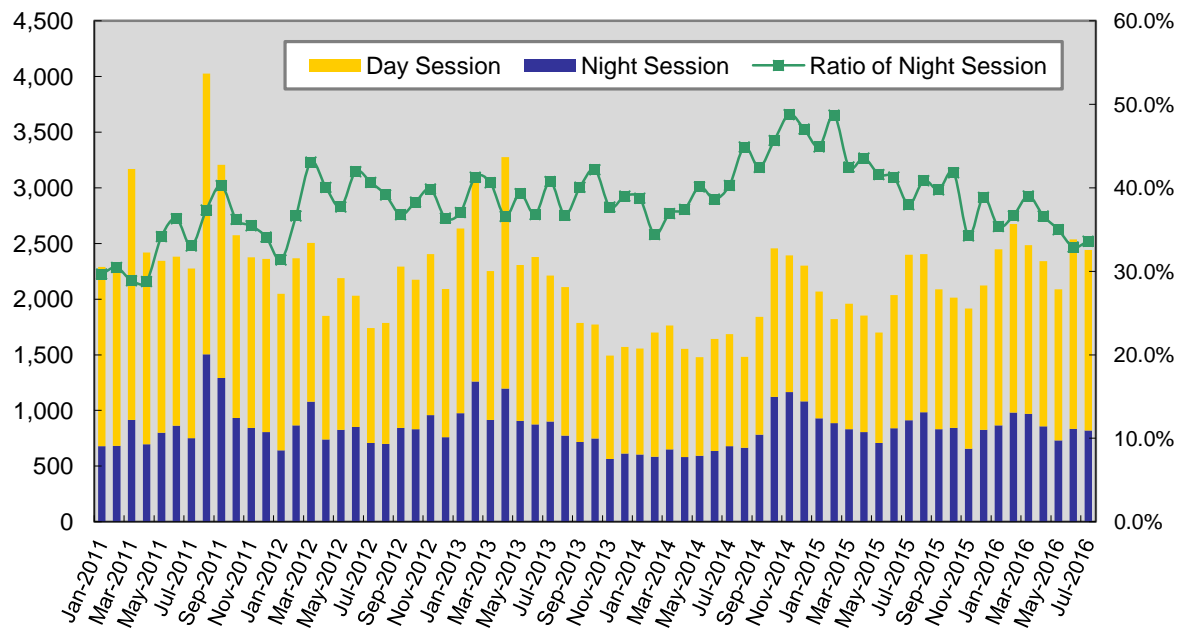
July 2016 ADV: 122,163 contracts; Month-End Open Interest: 400,636 contracts



◆ **Monthly Trading Volume by Session -- Jan 2011- July 2016**

July 2016 monthly night session volume: 821,048 contracts (33.6% of total volume)

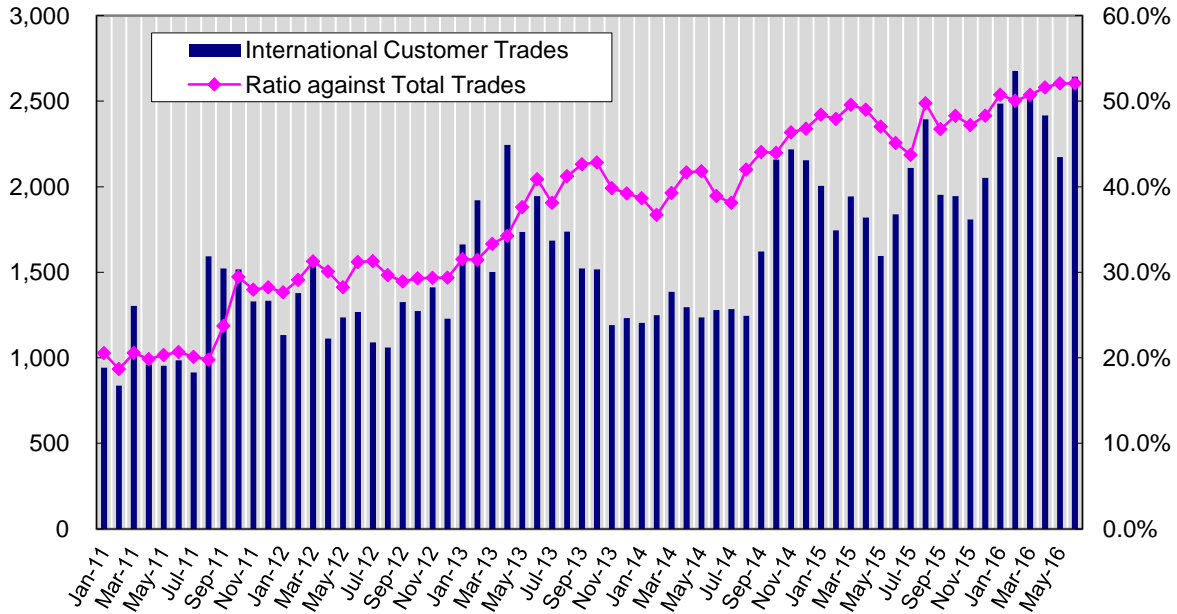
(Unit: 1,000 contracts)



◆ **International Customer Trades -- Jan 2011 – June 2016**

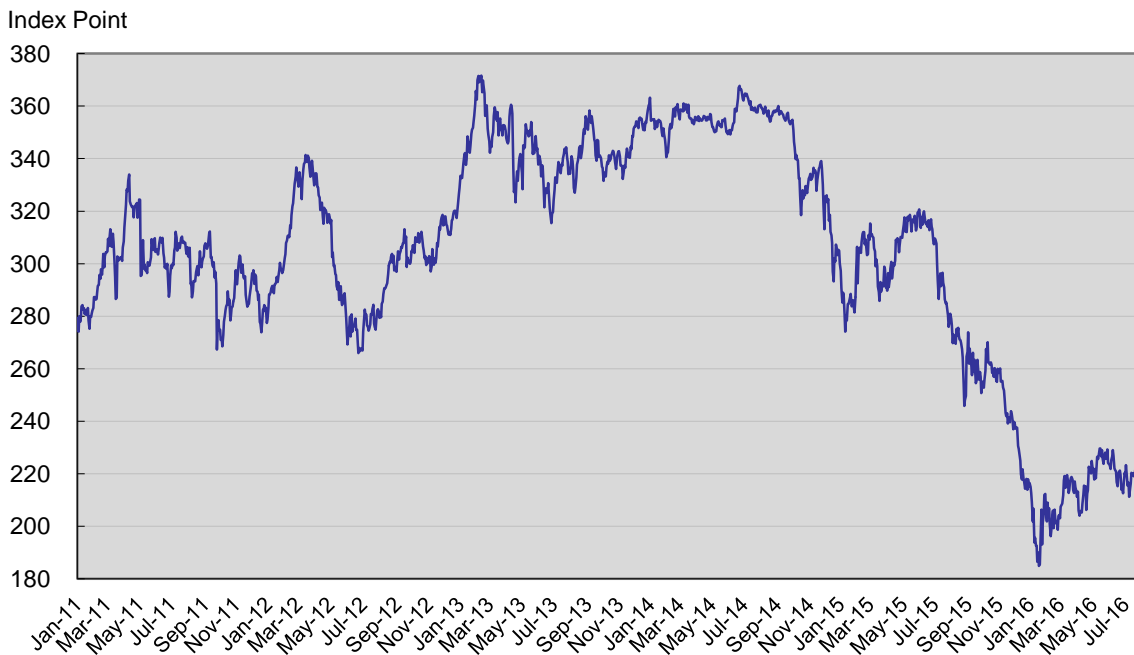
Customer trades (combined sell & buy orders) originating overseas for May 2016:
 2,642,493 contracts (**52.1%** of total trades – **Record High for 2 consecutive months**)

(Unit: 1,000 contracts)



◆ **Performance of Nikkei-TOCOM Commodity Index -- Jan 2011- July 2016**

End of July 2016: 208.67, Monthly Change: -5.3%



◆ July 2016 Nikkei-TOCOM Commodity Index Monthly Change

	Index	Value on Month-end	M/M Change	Monthly Change
1	Nikkei-TOCOM Palladium Index	149.85	22.56	17.7%
2	Nikkei-TOCOM Platinum Index	217.77	24.83	12.9%
3	Nikkei-TOCOM Azuki Index	87.19	9.08	11.6%
4	Nikkei-TOCOM Silver Index	339.71	33.53	11.0%
5	Nikkei-TOCOM Precious Metals Index	263.73	21.89	9.1%
6	Nikkei-TOCOM Gold Index	327.28	7.64	2.4%
7	Nikkei-TOCOM Ruber Index	67.24	-1.14	-1.7%
8	Nikkei-TOCOM Nearby Month Commodity Index	271.69	-11.78	-4.2%
9	Nikkei-TOCOM Corn Index	69.27	-3.33	-4.6%
10	Nikkei-TOCOM Agricultural & Raw Sugar Index	72.60	-3.68	-4.8%
11	Nikkei-TOCOM Commodity Index	208.67	-11.65	-5.3%
12	Nikkei-TOCOM Industrial Commodity Index	206.55	-11.62	-5.3%
13	Nikkei-TOCOM Soybean Index	78.44	-5.95	-7.1%
14	Nikkei-TOCOM Kerosene Index	127.42	-14.95	-10.5%
15	Nikkei-TOCOM Gasoline Index	125.46	-15.78	-11.2%
16	Nikkei-TOCOM Oil Index	127.62	-19.85	-13.5%
17	Nikkei-TOCOM Crude Oil Index	140.48	-25.70	-15.5%

* Nikkei-TOCOM Leveraged Index and Nikkei-TOCOM Inverse Index are excluded from this ranking.

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