



Proprietary Trading Firm - Metro, Freeway, CityTrader

A large proprietary trading firm actively transacts as a provider and consumer of global financial market liquidity. With over 200 employees globally, this large prop trading firm has established itself as an aggressive, entrepreneurial and agile trading firm with relentless focus on seeking out competitive edge in the marketplace. Its energy group specializes in the trading of financial and physical crude oil, refined products and natural gas. This large prop trading firm demands a high-performance, low-latency options trading platform for its trading operations and has grown in partnership with OptionsCity. Its first trading group came on board with OptionsCity in 2013, and now OptionsCity Metro has become the default trading software used by their options traders with over 10 groups using Metro.

Large Proprietary Trading Firm – Pushing the Limits of Performance

Challenges

- Require software with flexible architecture in terms of functionality and product support
- Require software that has quick onboarding for new trading groups
- On-going account management support for custom functionality
- Support for global exchanges and clearing firms

Solution

- Bulk deal with Metro for client licenses
- Negotiated flat rate for CityTrader customers
- Connectivity to CME Group, ICE, EEX and Nordic Exchanges
- OptionsCity development staff worked with theirs to meet functional requirements for the Metro traders

Results

- OptionsCity is preferred options trading software
- It utilizes CityTrader for helping educate futures traders on the options markets
- Ongoing partnership for adding new markets and functionality