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Circular

Department: FUTURES & OPTIONS	
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All Members,

Mock trading on Saturday, November 22, 2025 – Introduction of New version of NEAT+ 7.8.6 & discontinuation of version NEAT+ 7.8.5

With reference to circular no. **NSE/FAOP/71092** dated November 03, 2025 regarding 'Introduction of Pre-Open Session in Equity Derivatives (F&O) Segment', members are advised to note that Exchange will be conducting a mock trading session in the Futures & Options segment on Saturday, November 22, 2025, **Members are encouraged to actively participate in this mock session and refer the information in point C.**

Further, members may note that Exchange shall be discontinuing the existing NEATPlus version (7.8.5) and is introducing new NEATPlus version (7.8.6) effective from November 22, 2025 mock session. Hence members are advised to download & use the latest NEATPlus exe from November 22, 2025 onwards and refer information in point A & B. With effect from November 22, 2025, NEATPlus versions 7.8.4 & 7.8.6 shall be available.

Mock trading from Primary Site:

Saturday, November 22, 2025	Time in Hrs
Trading Session-1#	
Pre-Open Open time	09:00
Pre-Open Close time* *Random closure in last one minute*	09:45
Normal Market open time	10:00
Normal Market close time	11:00

 # Pre-open session shall be applicable only in Trading session1

Mock trading from Primary Site:

Saturday, November 22, 2025	Time in Hrs
Trading Session-2##	
Normal Market open time	16:30
Normal Market close time	17:30

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Mock trading from DR Site:

Saturday, November 22, 2025	Time in Hrs
Trading Session-3##	
Normal Market open time	**18:15**
Normal Market close time	**18:45**
Trade modification end time	18:55

##Trading session 2 & 3 shall be without pre-open session as per current LIVE scenario. Orders and trades from trading session 1 shall not be available in trading session 2. Members are requested to actively participate in all trading sessions.

Saturday, November 22, 2025	Time in Hrs
Live Re-login start time	19:30
Live Re-login close time	20:00

Members are required to take note of the below important points:

A) New NEAT+ version release details

Version	Availability	Download Path on NSE Extranet:
NEAT+ 7.8.6	**From November 21, 2025, 19:00 hrs**	**/faoftp/faocommon/NEATPlus786**

B) Version Migration Timeline

Version	Release Date	Discontinuation date
7.8.4	From October 03, 2025	December 06, 2025 (mock)
7.8.5	From November 01, 2025	**November 22, 2025 (mock)**
7.8.6 Recommended	From November 21, 2025	-

C) Testing of Pre-Open session (Trading Session-1)

- For placing the orders in preopen session using NeatPlus, members are required to take login using latest version 7.8.6
- Pre-open session shall be applicable for November & December month futures contracts (FUTIDX & FUTSTK) and same shall be enabled for the mock session only.
- Preopen session for such contracts shall not be available after the completion of Trading Session-1 during mock on November 22, 2025.
- The master files applicable for Trading Session-1 (i.e., contract.gz, NSE_FO_contract_22112025.csv,) will be made available to trading members on the NSE Extranet (Path: **/faoftp/faocommon** /**Mock/22Nov2025**) on November 22, 2025 on or before 8:30 hours. **All other master files which are generated by Exchange post completion of end of trading day activities on November 21, 2025 shall be applicable for the mock trading session.**

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- Members are advised to load the above master files in the trading application before Mock trading on November 22, 2025.

For LIVE trading on November 24, 2025 members shall consider & download the master files which are generated by Exchange post completion of end of trading day activities on November 21, 2025.

File Name	Location	EOD File date
contract.txt	/faoftp/faocommon	November 21, 2025
spd_contract.txt		
fo_participant.txt		
NSE_FO_contract_21112025.csv.gz		
fo_contract_stream_info.csv	/faoftp/faocommon/tbt_masters	
fo_spd_contract_stream_info.csv		

For other important instructions regarding the mock trading, kindly refer to the following Annexure:

Annexure 1: Important instructions regarding mock trading session.
Annexure 2: Pre-requisites / General guidelines for participating in the Mock environment.
Annexure 3: Important guidelines in case of switchover of trading system to Disaster Recovery (DR) Site.

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Annexure – 1

Important instructions regarding mock trading session

Particulars	Details
Connectivity Parameters:	Refer to circular NSE/MSD/67674 dated April 24, 2025 for interactive connectivity details.
Installation Guide:	Available on NSE Extranet at /faoftp/faocommon/Installation_Procedure.
NEAT Version:	NEATPlus 7.8.4 & 7.8.6

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Order Purge:	All outstanding orders will be cleared before each session. Members using NNF software must manually clear orders in their systems.
Software Testing:	Refer to circular NSE/MSD/46441 and SEBI circular SEBI/HO/MRD1/DSAP/CIR/P/2020/234. Members may use either Mock Trading or Simulated Environment to meet regulatory requirements.
No Financial Obligation:	Trades during mock sessions will not result in any fund pay-in or pay-out.
UCC/PAN Validity:	With reference to Exchange circular NSE/ISC/51754 dated March 24, 2022 and NSE/ISC/52722 dated June 23, 2022 issued by Investor Services Cell and updated from time to time : - Only valid and compliant UCC/PAN uploaded and approved before cutoff will be allowed. - For queries, contact uci@nse.co.in. UCC Validation will be skipped during contingency time for order entry.
NOTIS Availability:	The NOTIS application will not be accessible during the mock session.
Participation:	Members should participate using all trading software and re-login into live environment to ensure smooth connectivity for Monday, November 24, 2025.
Live Updates:	Visit www.nseindia.com for any session-related updates.
Support:	For queries, call Toll-Free: 1800 266 0050 (Option 1).

Annexure – 2

Pre-requisites / General guidelines for participating in the Mock environment

Pre-requisites / General guidelines Heads	Details
Eligibility	All members enabled for trading in the Futures & Options (FO) segment in the live market are automatically eligible for mock trading. Participation is enabled using existing User IDs, IPs, and Box ID mappings from the live environment.
Telnet Connectivity	Ensure you can successfully **telnet the Exchange host** from the IP address you intend to use.
Box ID Setup	Confirm that the **Box ID** is created on the IP with appropriate messages for the segment you wish to trade in.
NNF Application Users	If using Non-NEAT Frontend (NNF):

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	a) User ID must be of dealer type. b) It must be converted for NNF. C) It must be mapped with the IP.
Branch/User Limits	Set appropriate branch and user limits from the Corporate Manager Terminal before placing orders in the mock session.
Exchange Requests for Mock Participation	Send email requests for the following actions with User ID and segment details: a) Pro Enablement b) CTCL Conversion (only dealer IDs) c) Password Reset for Corporate Manager User ID d) Unlocking of Corporate Manager User ID e) Change of Trading Rights (e.g., PRO to CLI, PRO+CLI)
Password Management	Corporate Manager User ID: Exchange will assist with reset/unlock via email. Other User IDs: Members must reset/unlock these themselves using the Corporate Manager Terminal.

Annexure – 3

Important guidelines in case of switchover of trading system to Disaster Recovery (DR) Site

1. Kindly note below points after switch over to DR site:
   a. Trades of primary site will be available in Previous Trades window.
   b. Trades can be modified/cancelled using Multiple Trade Modification and Cancellation window respectively.
   c. Messages of primary site will be available in TWS Message Area.
2. If user renames or deletes the User folder and re-login the NEAT+ terminal, then data of primary site shall not be available in the functional window as mentioned above point.