



Cboe Clear US Margin Files v2.0

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1 Change History

| Date | Message(s) or Section | Description |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 20231102 | | Version 1.0 |
| 20241107 | | Version 2.0 Cboe Clear US updates |

2 General Concepts

2.1 Rate Limiting

Requests are throttled per IP address. Limit: 5 requests in a 10 second period.

When the rate limit is exceeded, a response with status **429 -> Too Many Requests** is returned.

If the limit is exceeded the IP address will be restricted from making new requests for 60 seconds.

We highly recommend adding logic to your application to gracefully process the 429 To Many Requests message. We suggest that if the limit is breached, your application will pause for the required time in order to be within the rate limiting again. An application that repeatedly breaches the limit will keep extending the restricted period, thus, preventing your application from functioning correctly again.

3 Public Files API Service

Cboe Clear US offers a public API service that can be used to retrieve certain publicly available files programmatically.

3.1 REST API Endpoint URL

- Production : <https://publicfiles.cboedigital.com/prdpublicfiles>
- New Release (test) : <https://publicfiles.newrelease.cboedigital.com/nrlpublicfiles>

3.2 File Types

The following file types will be available in the Public Files API Service:

- SETTLEMENTS (For Midday and End of day cycles)
- MARKET_DATA
- MARGIN_RATES_APPROVED

3.3 List Available Files

This endpoint will be used by users to retrieve for a given day, the list of files that are available to be retrieved.

- HTTP Request Type: GET
- **Endpoint:** `/YYYY/MM/DD/index.txt`

Inputs

| Field | Req'd | Value |
|-------|-------|--------------------|
| YYYY | Y | Year. Format: YYYY |
| MM | Y | Month. Format: MM |
| DD | Y | Day. Format: DD |

Example Request:

```
import requests

url = "https://publicfiles.cboedigital.com/prdpublicfiles/2024/11/25/index.txt"

response = requests.request("GET", url)
print(response.text)
```

Output

List of files available for the given date

Example Response:

```
CNTRCT_20241125_20241126000004.csv
MARGIN_RATES_APPROVED_20241125_20241125214012.csv
MARKET_DATA_20241125_20241126023010.csv
MARKET_DATA_20241125_20241126144514.csv
settlements_END_OF_DAY_20241125_20241125221542.csv
settlements_MID_DAY_20241125_20241125181527.csv
```

3.4 Get File

This endpoint will be used to retrieve a file.

- HTTP Request Type: GET
- **Endpoint:** /{YYYY}/{MM}/{DD}/{filename}

Inputs

| Field | Req'd | Value |
|----------|-------|----------------------------------|
| YYYY | Y | Year. Format: YYYY |
| MM | Y | Month. Format: MM |
| DD | Y | Day. Format: DD |
| filename | Y | Name of the file to be retrieved |

Example Request:

```
import requests

url =
"https://publicfiles.cboedigital.com/prdpublicfiles/2024/11/25/settlements_END_OF_DAY_20
241125_20241125221542.csv"

response = requests.request("GET", url)
print(response.text)
```

Output

File in csv format.

Example Response:

```
Record
Date,RecordType,ContractCode,MaturityYear,MaturityMonth,Maturity/ExpirationD
ate,Cap,SettlementPrice,BaseCurrency,QuoteCurrency,ExchangeRate
2024-11-25,FSP,FBTH25,2025,3,20250328,,97091.0,BTC,USD,97091.0
2024-11-25,FSP,FETH25,2025,3,20250328,,3538.7,ETH,USD,3538.7
2024-11-25,FSP,FBTF25,2025,1,20250131,,95792.0,BTC,USD,95792.0
2024-11-25,FSP,FETF25,2025,1,20250131,,3500.9,ETH,USD,3500.9
2024-11-25,FSP,FBTZ24,2024,12,20241227,,95028.0,BTC,USD,95028.0
2024-11-25,FSP,FETZ24,2024,12,20241227,,3480.7,ETH,USD,3480.7
2024-11-25,FSP,FBTX24,2024,11,20241129,,94243.0,BTC,USD,94243.0
2024-11-25,FSP,FETX24,2024,11,20241129,,3458.9,ETH,USD,3458.9
```

4 File Formats

4.1 Settlement Prices

A summary report of settlement prices.

| | Field | Description | Format |
|----|-------------------------|--|------------|
| 1 | Record Date | Date for which the settlement prices apply | YYYY-MM-DD |
| 2 | RecordType | FSP = Futures Settlement Price | String |
| 3 | ContractCode | Contract code | String |
| 4 | MaturityYear | Contract Maturity year | YYYY |
| 5 | MaturityMonth | Contract Maturity month | m |
| 6 | Maturity/ExpirationDate | Contract Maturity Date | YYYYMMDD |
| 7 | Cap | Upper Price Boundary of a contract (Previously used for fully funded - not applicable to margin) | Decimal |
| 8 | SettlementPrice | Settlement price | Decimal |
| 9 | BaseCurrency | Base currency | String |
| 10 | QuoteCurrency | Quote currency | String |
| 11 | ExchangeRate | Exchange rate | Decimal |

4.2 Market Data

A summary of volume, open interest and other metrics for a given date.

| | Field | Description | Format |
|----|---------------------|--|------------|
| 1 | Date | Date for the data in the file | YYYY-MM-DD |
| 2 | Product | Clearing Product Code | String |
| 3 | Contract | Clearing Contract code | String |
| 4 | ExpirationDate | Contract Maturity Expiration Date | YYYY-MM-DD |
| 5 | Number of Trades | Number of trades for the trade date | Decimal |
| 6 | Volume | Volume traded for the trade date | Decimal |
| 7 | OI | Open Interest | Decimal |
| 8 | Block Volume | Volume registered as Block trades | Decimal |
| 9 | EFP Volume | Volume registered as EFP trades | Decimal |
| 10 | Settlement Price | Settlement Price for the trade date | Decimal |
| 11 | Open | The opening price for the trade date | Decimal |
| 12 | High | The highest price traded for the trade date | Decimal |
| 13 | Low | The lowest price traded for the trade date | Decimal |
| 14 | Close | The Closing price for the trade date | Decimal |
| 15 | Contracts Delivered | Number of contracts that we delivered upon at expiration | Decimal |
| 16 | Sub Exchange | Sub Exchange code | Decimal |
| 17 | Lower Bound | Price Boundary of a contract (Previously used for fully funded - not applicable to margin) | Decimal |
| 18 | Upper Bound | Price Boundary of a contract (Previously used for fully funded - not applicable to margin) | Decimal |

4.3 Margin Rates Approved

A summary of volume, open interest and other metrics for a given date.

| | Field | Description | Format |
|---|--------------------|--|---------------|
| 1 | Date | Date for the data in the file | YYYY-MM-DD |
| 2 | Product | Clearing Product Code | String |
| 3 | Contract | Clearing Contract code | String |
| 4 | Contract 2 | 2 nd Contract populated for spread margin amounts | String |
| 5 | Initial Margin | Initial margin for a position | Decimal |
| 6 | Maintenance Margin | Maintenance margin requirement | Decimal |
| 7 | Margin Currency | Currency in which the margin is charged | String |