

# FACTS ABOUT 6M THBFIX FUTURES



## Contract Specification

6M THBFIX Futures		
<b>Underlying Asset</b>	6-Months THBFIX interest rate	
<b>Contract Size</b>	THB 10,000,000	
<b>Settlement Month</b>	March (H), June (M), September (U), and December (Z) up to 4 quarters	
<b>Price Quotation</b>	100 – Interest rate (Yield) with 3 decimal points	
<b>Minimum Tick Size</b>	0.005 point (250 Bt. per tick)	
<b>Daily Price Limit</b>	±2.50% of previous settlement price	
<b>Trading Hours</b>	Pre-open: 9:15 – 9:45 Pre-open: 14:00 – 14:30	Morning session: 9:45 – 12:30 Afternoon session: 14:30 – 16:00
<b>Final Trading Day</b>	11 AM of the 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the settlement month	
<b>Final Settlement Price</b>	Calculate from 6M THBFIX that Reuters announce at 11 am on the last trading day, using 4 decimal points	
<b>Speculative Position Limit</b>	Net 2,000 contracts of 6-Months THBFIX Futures on one side of the market in any contract month or all contract months combined.	
<b>Settlement Procedures</b>	Cash Settlement	

## Commission Fee

The commission is VAT exclusive, as follows:

Commission Fee (Bt. per Contract)	Effective Period
100	Nov 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2010 – May 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2011
110	Jun 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2011 – Nov 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2012
120	From Dec 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2012 onward

Example If an investor long TBF6H11 10 contracts during Nov 29th, 2010 – May 31st, 2011, the commission (VAT exclusive) to be paid is equal to  $100 \times 10 = 1,000$  Bt.

## Margin Requirement

Underlying	1 Outright Position			1 Spread Position		
	IM	MM	EM	IM	MM	EM
<b>6M THBFIX</b>	17,100	11,970	5,130	N/A	N/A	N/A

IM = Initial Margin, MM = Maintenance Margin, EM = Enforcing Margin.

## Series Name

The contract code of 6-Months THBFIX Futures consists of 3 components as follows:

Underlying	Contract Month	Contract Year
TBF6 = 6M THBFIX	H = Mar, M = Jun, U = Sep, Z = Dec	The last two digits of contract year

Examples of series name: TBF6Z10, TBF6M11, TBF6H12

