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Second-Best May in MGEX History

MINNEAPOLIS, MN – MGEX, a Designated Contract Market (DCM) and Derivatives Clearing Organization (DCO), reports this past month as the second-best May in MGEX history with a total of 172,120 contracts.

Total electronic volume for May concluded at 153,442 contracts. Options volume was recorded at 4,798 contracts, which is a 53% increase from April. Open interest was reported at 69,103 contracts at the close of market on Friday, which is 6% higher from last month.

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