MARKET ANNOUNCEMENT

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Monthly Trading Report for ASX and SFE Markets

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ASX Markets Trading Report

	August 2005	August 2006	August 2005 Financial Year to Date	August 2006 Financial Year to Date	6 Months to August 2005	6 Months to August 2006	12 Months to August 2005	12 Months to August 2006
Total SEATS Trades (million)	2.442	3.454	4.501	6.612	12.841	19.314	23.888	33.744
Increase on PCP		41%		47%		50%		41%
Total SEATS Billable Turnover * ($ billion)**	$83.181	$96.487	$147.671	$175.247	$434.401	$553.080	$812.973	$1,011.003
Increase on PCP		16%		19%		27%		24%
Total Options Contracts (million)	2.280	1.860	3.790	3.400	11.605	11.423	22.922	22.712
Increase on PCP		-18%		-10%		-2%		-1%

*** Billable turnover includes value of crossed trades.

SFE CORPORATION LIMITED

Monthly SFE Trading Report for August 2006

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		Mth Vol Aug 2006 (23-Days)	Mth Vol Aug 2005 (23-Days)	% Change	YTD 2006 (171-Days)	YTD 2005 (170-Days)	% Change	Op Int 2006 (Mth-End)	Op Int 2005 (Mth-End)	% Change
Currencies - Futures										
AUD	AF	153	136	12.50%	1,307	3,444	-62.05%	30	188	-84.04%
Total:		**153**	**136**	**12.50%**	**1,307**	**3,444**	**-62.05%**	**30**	**188**	**-84.04%**
Equity Indices - Futures										
SPI 200	AP	413,804	323,532	27.90%	3,896,485	3,395,885	14.74%	250,815	214,488	16.94%
Listed Property Trust	PT	2,031	2,640	-23.07%	15,533	3,496	344.31%	1,608	933	72.35%
Total:		**415,835**	**326,172**	**27.49%**	**3,912,018**	**3,399,381**	**15.08%**	**252,423**	**215,421**	**17.18%**
Equity Indices - Options										
SPI 200	AP	63,722	58,970	8.06%	462,793	464,171	-0.30%	145,087	176,770	-17.92%
SPI 200 Intra Day Cash Settled	AD	14	180	-92.22%	10,594	5,218	103.03%	0	0	na
Total:		**63,736**	**59,150**	**7.75%**	**473,387**	**469,389**	**0.85%**	**145,087**	**176,770**	**-17.92%**
NZ Equity Indices - Futures										
FoX15 Gross Share Price Index	ZI	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Total:		**0**	**0**	**na**	**0**	**0**	**na**	**0**	**0**	**na**
Interest Rates - Futures										
30 Day Interbank Cash Rate	IB	208,583	122,861	69.77%	1,297,265	967,626	34.07%	141,468	128,566	10.04%
90-Day Bank Bills	IR	1,846,015	1,606,712	14.89%	13,113,160	10,519,182	24.66%	626,632	576,478	8.70%
3 Year Bonds	YT	2,773,713	2,079,952	33.35%	20,346,262	16,450,900	23.68%	502,160	529,991	-5.25%
3 Year Interest Rate Swaps	YS	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
10 Year Bonds	XT	1,021,109	767,236	33.09%	8,746,322	6,519,547	34.16%	385,722	324,646	18.81%
10 Year Interest Rate Swaps	XS	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
AU/US 10 yr Bond Spread	UA	0	380	-100.00%	0	380	-100.00%	0	380	-100.00%
NZ/AU 3 yr Bond Spread	KY	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
NZ/AU 10 yr Bond Spread	KX	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Bond Index	BX	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Total:		**5,849,420**	**4,577,141**	**27.80%**	**43,503,009**	**34,457,635**	**26.25%**	**1,655,982**	**1,560,061**	**6.15%**
Interest Rates - Options										
90-Day Bank Bills	IR	20,085	25,374	-20.84%	112,502	179,056	-37.17%	70,816	81,512	-13.12%
3 Year Bonds	YT	94,043	64,022	46.89%	666,205	302,318	120.37%	41,787	51,377	-18.67%
3 Year Bonds Overnight	YO	157,028	114,949	36.61%	1,054,115	745,782	41.34%	0	0	na
3 Year Bonds Intra-Day	YD	82,336	52,270	57.52%	418,240	387,560	7.92%	0	0	na
10 Year Bonds	XT	3,352	3,983	-15.84%	40,016	29,724	34.63%	4,788	3,058	56.57%
10 Year Bonds Overnight	XO	9,765	9,999	-2.34%	48,465	42,005	15.38%	0	0	na
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10 Year Bonds Intra-Day	XD	0	100	-100.00%	766	750	2.13%	0	0	na
Total:		**366,609**	**270,697**	**35.43%**	**2,340,309**	**1,687,195**	**38.71%**	**117,391**	**135,947**	**-13.65%**
NZ Interest Rates - Futures										
90 Day Bank Bill	BB	135,059	58,119	132.38%	1,231,153	537,135	129.21%	200,822	88,368	127.26%
3 Year Stock	TY	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
10 Year Stock	TN	12	27	-55.56%	300	536	-44.03%	82	59	38.98%
Total:		**135,071**	**58,146**	**132.30%**	**1,231,453**	**537,671**	**129.03%**	**200,904**	**88,427**	**127.20%**

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NZ Interest Rates - Options										
90 Day Bank Bill	BB	450	0	na	18,000	2,850	531.58%	11,100	0	na
3 Year Stock	TY	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
10 Year Stock	TN	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Total:		**450**	**0**	**na**	**18,000**	**2,850**	**531.58%**	**11,100**	**0**	**na**
Commodities - Futures										
d-cypha SFE NSW Base Load Electricity	BN	925	56	1,551.79%	7,077	3,724	90.04%	5,258	3,236	62.48%
d-cypha SFE QLD Base Load Electricity	BQ	1,090	360	202.78%	5,615	2,160	159.95%	3,490	1,690	106.51%
d-cypha SFE SA Base Load Electricity	BS	280	360	-22.22%	639	1,007	-36.54%	1,840	1,737	5.93%
d-cypha SFE VIC Base Load Electricity	BV	1,930	65	2,869.23%	6,571	1,425	361.12%	2,880	1,680	71.43%
d-cypha SFE NSW Peak Period Electricity	PN	60	114	-47.37%	1,421	721	97.09%	1,079	763	41.42%
d-cypha SFE QLD Peak Period Electricity	PQ	150	25	500.00%	1,328	450	195.11%	610	516	18.22%
d-cypha SFE SA Peak Period Electricity	PS	0	80	-100.00%	50	160	-68.75%	85	135	-37.04%
d-cypha SFE VIC Peak Period Electricity	PV	470	355	32.39%	3,180	2,901	9.62%	3,511	2,770	26.75%
d-cypha SFE NSW Base $300 CAP	GN	5	0	na	915	1	91,400.00	446	1	44,500.00%
d-cypha SFE QLD Base $300 CAP	GQ	20	240	-91.67%	660	520	26.92%	295	520	-43.27%
d-cypha SFE SA Base $300 CAP	GS	0	0	na	42	0	na	40	0	na
d-cypha SFE VIC Base $300 CAP	GV	55	5	1,000.00%	1,015	27	3,659.26%	415	21	1,876.19%
d-cypha SFE NSW Base Load Electricity	HN	65	5	1,200.00%	710	350	102.86%	0	5	-100.00%
d-cypha SFE QLD Base Load Electricity	HQ	65	25	160.00%	535	220	143.18%	0	0	na
d-cypha SFE SA Base Load Electricity Strip	HS	30	0	na	35	3	1,066.67%	0	0	na
d-cypha SFE VIC Base Load Electricty Strip	HV	350	15	2,233.33%	975	180	441.67%	0	0	na
Fine Wool	FW	279	129	116.28%	1,855	1,468	26.36%	867	294	194.90%
Broad Wool	BW	0	53	-100.00%	5	325	-98.46%	0	37	-100.00%
Greasy Wool	GW	2,406	1,488	61.69%	10,804	12,278	-12.01%	2,802	1,537	82.30%
MLA/SFE Cattle Futures	CT	81	62	30.65%	1,145	678	68.88%	304	151	101.32%
Total:		**8,261**	**3,437**	**140.35%**	**44,577**	**28,598**	**55.87%**	**23,922**	**15,093**	**58.50%**
Commodities - Options										
d-cypha SFE NSW Base Load Electricity	HN	30	0	na	275	50	450.00%	270	50	440.00%
d-cypha SFE QLD Base Load Electricity	HQ	0	0	na	145	0	na	100	0	na
d-cypha SFE SA Base Load Electricity Strip	HS	0	0	na	5	0	na	15	0	na
d-cypha SFE VIC Base Load Electricty Strip	HV	110	40	175.00%	615	75	720.00%	785	75	946.67%
d-cypha SFE NSW Peak Period Electricity	PN	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
d-cypha SFE QLD Peak Period Electricity	PQ	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
d-cypha SFE SA Peak Period Electricity	PS	0	0	na	0	0	na	60	60	0.00%
d-cypha SFE VIC Peak Period Electricity	PV	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Greasy Wool	GW	0	1	-100.00%	20	183	-89.07%	0	2	-100.00%
Total:		**140**	**41**	**241.46%**	**1,060**	**308**	**244.16%**	**1,230**	**187**	**557.75%**
NZ Commodities - Futures										
NZ Broad Wool	NW	0	0	na	0	30	-100.00%	0	0	na
Total:		**0**	**0**	**na**	**0**	**30**	**-100.00%**	**0**	**0**	**na**

Share Futures - Futures		Mth Vol Aug 2006 (23-Days)	Mth Vol Aug 2005 (23-Days)	% Change	YTD 2006 (171-Days)	YTD 2005 (170-Days)	% Change	Op Int 2006 (Mth-End)	Op Int 2005 (Mth-End)	% Change
AMC ISF	**AR**	0	66	-100.00%	227	392	-42.09%	0	33	-100.00%
AXA ISF	**AX**	0	2	-100.00%	0	390	-100.00%	0	4	-100.00%
ANZ ISF	**AZ**	9	18	-50.00%	184	2,324	-92.08%	6	143	-95.80%
WBC ISF	**BC**	20	8	150.00%	484	648	-25.31%	40	31	29.03%
BHP ISF	**BL**	135	346	-60.98%	2,993	3,328	-10.07%	236	445	-46.97%
BIL ISF	**BM**	0	48	-100.00%	20	460	-95.65%	0	33	-100.00%
BLD ISF	**BO**	0	145	-100.00%	115	1,250	-90.80%	0	12	-100.00%
BSL ISF	**BP**	0	38	-100.00%	133	851	-84.37%	0	46	-100.00%
RIO ISF	**CA**	12	136	-91.18%	385	1,876	-79.48%	8	243	-96.71%
CBA ISF	**CB**	4	124	-96.77%	798	1,932	-58.70%	26	99	-73.74%
CBA ISF (Cash Settled)	**CI**	0	26	-100.00%	118	102	15.69%	0	13	-100.00%
CCL ISF	**CC**	0	13	-100.00%	58	197	-70.56%	0	2	-100.00%
CML ISF	**CM**	21	204	-89.71%	111	970	-88.56%	0	26	-100.00%
RIN ISF	**CS**	0	16	-100.00%	70	337	-79.23%	0	48	-100.00%
FGL ISF	**FB**	0	32	-100.00%	20	145	-86.21%	0	11	-100.00%
FXJ ISF	**FX**	0	2	-100.00%	88	244	-63.93%	0	3	-100.00%
IAG ISF	**IA**	0	44	-100.00%	0	258	-100.00%	0	64	-100.00%
LHG ISF	**LH**	12	17	-29.41%	525	171	207.02%	5	14	-64.29%
LLC ISF	**LL**	0	29	-100.00%	15	284	-94.72%	0	46	-100.00%
SYB ISF	**MY**	0	21	-100.00%	6	242	-97.52%	0	15	-100.00%
MYP ISF	**MA**	0	0	na	6	0	na	0	0	na
NAB ISF	**NB**	2	92	-97.83%	406	1,079	-62.37%	11	55	-80.00%
NCM ISF	**NM**	39	78	-50.00%	486	899	-45.94%	0	14	-100.00%
NCP ISF	**NU**	0	0	na	0	420	-100.00%	0	0	na
PBL ISF	**PB**	0	2	-100.00%	24	352	-93.18%	0	61	-100.00%
ANN ISF	**PC**	0	15	-100.00%	0	284	-100.00%	0	5	-100.00%
AMP ISF	**PM**	0	15	-100.00%	184	817	-77.48%	0	82	-100.00%
QBE ISF	**QB**	0	20	-100.00%	22	354	-93.79%	0	60	-100.00%
QAN ISF	**QN**	0	0	na	4	185	-97.84%	0	0	na
WMR ISF	**RE**	0	0	na	0	1,222	-100.00%	0	0	na
SGB ISF	**SG**	0	9	-100.00%	63	695	-90.94%	0	54	-100.00%
SRP ISF	**SR**	0	0	na	0	125	-100.00%	0	0	na
SUN ISF	**SU**	0	31	-100.00%	94	400	-76.50%	0	7	-100.00%
TAH ISF	**TB**	0	44	-100.00%	123	372	-66.94%	0	33	-100.00%
TLS ISF	**TA**	162	117	38.46%	870	1,345	-35.32%	44	70	-37.14%
TLS ISF (Cash Settled)	**TE**	0	2	-100.00%	12	142	-91.55%	0	0	na
WPL ISF	**WD**	0	81	-100.00%	258	703	-63.30%	0	10	-100.00%
WSF ISF	**WE**	0	22	-100.00%	114	316	-63.92%	0	16	-100.00%
WES ISF	**WF**	0	21	-100.00%	186	774	-75.97%	0	68	-100.00%
AWC ISF	**WM**	0	22	-100.00%	306	72	325.00%	0	15	-100.00%
WOW ISF	**WW**	0	38	-100.00%	126	468	-73.08%	0	50	-100.00%
WBC ISF (Cash Settled)	**WB**	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Total:		**416**	**1,944**	**-78.60%**	**9,634**	**27,425**	**-64.87%**	**376**	**1,931**	**-80.53%**

NZ Share Options - Options										
Carter Holt Harvey Ltd	**ZC**	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Contact Energy Ltd	**ZE**	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Fletcher Building	**ZF**	0	0	na	19	0	na	0	0	na
Telecom Corp NZ	**ZT**	36	0	na	62	0	na	62	0	na
Telecom Corp New Zealand Ltd	**ZP**	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
The Warehouse	**ZW**	0	0	na	0	0	na	0	0	na
Total:		**36**	**0**	**na**	**81**	**0**	**na**	**62**	**0**	**na**

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Total Exchange	**6,840,127**	**5,296,864**	**29.14%**	**51,534,835**	**40,613,926**	**26.89%**	**2,408,507**	**2,194,025**	**9.78%**
Daily Average	**297,397**	**230,298**	**29.14%**	**301,373**	**238,905**	**26.15%**			

Non-Traded Volume (included in total volume)

		Del	MS	OE	Total
10 Year Bonds	**XT**	0	0	2,995	**2,995**
3 Year Bonds	**YT**	0	0	83,795	**83,795**
30 Day Interbank Cash Rate	**IB**	0	39,618	0	**39,618**
CML ISF	**CM**	1	0	0	**1**
Fine Wool	**FW**	0	35	0	**35**
LHG ISF	**LH**	2	0	0	**2**
NCM ISF	**NM**	29	0	0	**29**
SPI 200	**AP**	0	0	147	**147**
Total Non Traded:		**32**	**39,653**	**86,937**	**126,622**

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