## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attomey Docket No. 024051/0155
Applicant: Gary Allan KEMP II ot al.
Title:
CLICK BASED TRADING WITH INTUITIVE GRID DISPLAY OF MARKET DEPTH

Serial No.: $\quad 09 / 894,637$
Filed: June 27, 2001
Examiner: $\quad$ R. Welsbergef
Art Unit: 3624
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION(RCEI IBANSMIITAL

Commissioner for Patents
Box RCE
Washington, D.C. 20239
Sir:
This is a Request tor Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. 51.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue foe (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. 51.313 is grantedi; (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. \$141. or the commencement of a civil action under 36 U.S.C. $\$ 145$ or $\$ 146$ unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.B, K1, 114: (check items that apply)
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$(X)$ Other: Information Disclosure Statements previously filed an November 14, 2002: December 18, 2002; and Fabruary 11 , 2003.
a. Enclosed are:
) Amendment/Reply.
i $]$ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
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[ X ] Remarks Accompanying RCE,

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## BEMARKS ACCOMPANYING REOUEST FOR CONTINUFD EXAMINATION

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Sir：
Applicant has filed concurrently herewith a Request for Continued Examination（RCE）in the subject application．Examiner Weisberger has recently indicated via telephone that prosecution in the application has been closed and that a notice of allowability has been entered．Applicant＇s review of data from the USPTO PAIR on－line database confirms that a notice of allowability was entered on September 30， 2002.

Belleving prosecution in the present case to be closed，Applicant now submite the preserit RCE，par the Examiner＇s request，in order to ensure full consideration of the references cited in the Information Disciosure Statements previously filed on November 14，2002，December 18， 2002 and February 11， 2003.

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence addressAll claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. $\boxtimes$ This communication is responsive to amendment, terminal disclaimer, interview summary.
2. $\boxtimes$ The allowed claim(s) is/are 41-54 and 56-81.
3. $\boxtimes$ The drawings filed on 09/01 are accepted by the Examiner.
4.Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
a) $\square$ All b) $\square$ Some ${ }^{*}$ c) $\square$ None of the:
4. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.$\square$ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. $\qquad$ -.
 Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* Certified copies not received: $\qquad$

5. $\boxtimes$ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. $\S 119$ (e) (to a provisional application). (a)The translation of the foreign language provisional application has been received.
6. $\triangle$ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. $\$ \S 120$ and/or 121 ,

Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application. THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.
7. $\square$ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT Or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
8. CORRECTED DRAWINGS must be submitted.
(a) $\square$ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached 1) $\square$ hereto or 2) $\square$ to Paper No. $\qquad$
(b) including changes required by the proposed drawing correction filed $\qquad$ which has been approved by the Examiner.
(c) including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment/ Comment or in the Office action of Paper No. $\qquad$ .

Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the top margin (not the back) of each sheet. The drawings should be filed as a separate paper with a transmittal letter addressed to the Official Draftsperson.DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submilted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1] Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
3 $\square$ Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
5区 Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449), Paper No. $\qquad$
7 Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material
$2 \square$ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
4[] Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No. $\qquad$ $6 \square$ Examiner's Amendment/Comment

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## Allowable Subject Matter

1. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: This statement of reasons for allowance includes the major differences in the claims not found in the prior art of record and reasons why that differences are considered to define patentably over the prior art. The statement is not intended to necessarily state all the reasons for allowance or all the details why claims are allowed and should not be relied upon for this purpose. Rather, this statement reflects what the examiner considers important and therefore the primary reasons for the allowance of the claims.

The primary reason for allowance is the limitation directed to the "dynamic display" of a plurality of the quantity of bids and asks aligned with a "static display" of corresponding prices. Here, unlike the prior art, the "static" display of prices is just that, static, and does not move in response to a change in the inside market. With this display of market depth, claimed in each of the independent claims, a trader places a trade order with the pointer in the area of the order entry region of the dynamic market depth region, through a single computer implemented action, see Figures 3 and 4. For example, in figure 3, a click on Bid Q 18 will send an order to the market to sell 17 lots of the commodity at a price of 89 .

The closest prior art including US Patent 6,408,282, PCT WO 01/16852 and commonly owned non-patent literature "X Trader" (see, applicant's response to USPTO's request for information) all lack this feature. The PTO also inquired as to the subject matter of alleged infringement referenced in applicant's petition to make special

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in related case SN 09/590,692. The USPTO found no evidence of public use or any printed publication of the system known as J Trader, the subject matter of potential infringement and the applicant's basis for his petition to make special, earlier than November 6, 2000. Therefore, the USPTO has concluded that the system known as J trader is not prior art to the instant application, which has a filing date of June 06, 2000.
2. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Respectfully

By, $\qquad$
Richard Weisberger

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The application has been amended as follows:

To the beginning of the specification, add;

This application is a divisional application of serial number 09/590,692 filed 06/09/2000 which claims benefit of 60/186,322, filed March 2, 2000.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Richard C Weisberger whose telephone number is 703 3084408

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Vince Millin can be reached on 703308 1065. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

Information regarding the status of an application may be obtained from the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system. Status information for published applications may be obtained from either Private PAIR or Public PAIR. Status information for unpublished applications is available through Private PAIR only. For more information about the PAIR system, see http://pair-direct.uspto.gov. Should you have questions on access to the Private PAIR system, contact the Electronic Business Center (EBC) at 866-217-9197 (toll-free).

| Notice of References Cited | Application/Control No. <br> 09/894,637 | Applicant(s)/Patent Under <br> Reexamination <br> KEMP ET AL. |  |
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| Interview Summary | Application $N$. <br> $09 / 894,637$ | Applicant(s) <br> KEMP ET AL. |
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|  | Examiner <br> Richard C Weisberger | Art Unit <br> 3624 |

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):
(1) Richard C Weisberger.
(2) Steve Borsand.

Date of Interview: 01 Septembery 2003.
Type: a) $\boxtimes$ Telephonic b) $\square$ Video Conference c) $\square$ Personal [copy given to: 1) $\square$ applicant
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(4) $\qquad$applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) $\square$ Yes
$\qquad$ If Yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: $\qquad$ -.

Identification of prior art discussed: $\qquad$ -

Agreement with respect to the claims f) $\square$ was reached. g) $\square$ was not reached. h) $\square$ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The PTO inquired as to the identity of the infringing system referenced in the petition to make special of related case \# 09/509,692. The applicant identified the product to be "J-Trader" 4
(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required

## ummary of Record of Interview Requi

Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP), Section 713.04, Substance of Interview Must be Made of Record A complate written statement as to the substance of any face-to-face, video conference, or telephone interview with regard to an sppllication must be made of record in the A complete written statement as to the substance of any face-lo-face, video conference, or
application whether or not an agreement with the examiner was reached at the intarview.

Titie 37 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 59.133 Interviews
Paragraph (b)
In every instunce where reconsideration is requested in view of an intervew with an examiner, a complote writen statement of the reasons prosented at the inlerviow as warranting faverable action must be filed by the applicunt. An interview does not remove the necessity for reply to Office actlon us specified in $\$ \$ 1.111,1.135$. (35 U.S.C. 132)

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The action of the Patent and Trademark Office cannot be based exclusively on the written record in the Office if that record is itself incomplete through the fallure to record the substance of interviews.

It is the responsibility of the applicant or the attorney or agent to make the substance of an interview of record in the appilcation file, unless the examiner indicates he or she will do so. It is the examiner's responsibility to see that such a record is made and to correct materlal Inaccuracies which bear directly on the question of patentability

Examiners must complete an Interview Summary Form for each interview held where a matter of substance has been discussed during the interview by checking the appropriste boxes and filiting In the blanks. Discusslons regarding only procedural matters, directed solely to restriction requirements for which interviow recordation is otherwise provided for in Section 812.01 of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, or pointing out typographical errors or unreadable script in Office actions or the like, are excluded from the interview recordation procedures below. Where the substance of an interview is completely recorded In an Examiners Amendment, no separate Interview Summary Record is required.

The intervlew Summary Form shall be given an approprlate Paper No., placed in the right hand portion of the file, and listed on the "Contents" section of the file wrapper. In a personal Interview, a dupllcate of the Form is glven to the applicant (or attorney or agent) at the concluslon of the intervlew. In the case of a telephone or video-conference interview, the copy is malled to the applicant's correspondence address either with or prior to the next official communication. If additlonal correspondence from the examiner is not likely before an allowance or if other clrcumstances dictate, the Form should be malled promptly after the Interview rather than with the next official communication.

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- Name of applicant
- Name of examiner
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- Name of participant(s) (applicant, attornay or agent, examiner, other PTO personnel, elc.)
- An indication whether or not an exhibit was shown or a demonstration conducted
- An identification of the specific prior art discussed
- An indication whether an agreement was reached and if so, a description of the general nature of the agreement (may be by attachment of a copy of amendments or claims agreed as being allowable). Note: Agreement as to allowability is tentative and does attachment of a copy of amendments or claims agreed as
not restrict further action by the examiner to the contrary.
- The signature of the examiner who conducted the interview (if Form is not an attachment to a signed Office action)

It is desirable that the examiner orally remind the applicant of his or her obligation to record the substance of the interview of each case. It should be noted, however, that the interview Summary Form will not normally be considered a complete and proper recordation of the interview shouless it includes, or is supplemented ty the applicant or the examiner to include, all of the appllcable ttems required below concerning the substance of the interview.

A complete and proper recordation of the substance of any interview should include at least the following applicable items:

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3) an Identification of the specific prior art discussed,
4) an Identification of the principal proposed amendments of a substantive nature dilscussed, unless these are already described on the Interview Summary Form completed by the Examiner,
5) a brief identification of the general thrust of the princlpal arguments presented to the examiner,
(The identification of arguments need not be lengthy or elaborate. A verbatim or highly detalled description of the arguments is not required. The Identification of the arguments is sufficient if the general nature or thrust of the princlpal arguments made to the examiner can be understood in the context of the application file. Of course, the applicant may desire to emphasize and fully describe those arguments which he or she feels were or might be persuasive to the examiner.)
6) a general indication of any other pertinent matters discussed, and
7) If appropriate, the general results or outcome of the interview unless already described in the interview Summary Form completed by the examiner.

Examiners are expected to carefully review the applicant's record of the substance of an interview. If the record is not complete and accurate, the examiner will give the applicant an extendable one month time period to correct the record.

## Examiner to Check for Accuracy

If the clalms are allowable for other reasons of record, the examiner should send a letter setting forth the examiner's version of the statement attributed to him or her. If the record is complete and accurate, the examiner should place the indication, "Interview Record OK" on the paper recording the substance of the inderview along with the date and the examiner's Initials.

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the application identified above has been examined and is allowed for issuance as a patent. PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS CLOSED. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. THIS APPLICATION IS SUBJECT TO WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE AT THE INITIATIVE OF THE OFFICE OR UPON PETITION BY THE APPLICANT. SEE 37 CFR 1.313 AND MPEP 1308.
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## Determination of Patent Term Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b)

(application filed on or after May 29, 2000)
The Patent Term Adjustment to date is 532 day(s). If the issue fee is paid on the date that is three months after the mailing date of this notice and the patent issues on the Tuesday before the date that is 28 weeks (six and a half months) after the mailing date of this notice, the Patent Term Adjustment will be 532 day(s).

If a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) was filed in the above-identified application, the filing date that determines Patent Term Adjustment is the filing date of the most recent CPA.

Applicant will be able to obtain more detailed information by accessing the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system (http://pair.uspto.gov).

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with at least one order to buy the commodity at the highest bid price currently available In the market;
dynamically displaying a second indicator in one of a plurality of locations in an ask display region, each location in the ask display region corresponding to a price level along the common static price axis, the second indicator representing quantity associated with at least one order to sell the commodity at the lowest ask price currently available in the market;
displaying the bid and ask display regions in relation to fixed price levels positioned along the common static price axis such that when the inside market changes, the price levels along the common static price axis do not move and at feast one of the first and second indicators moves in the bid or ask display regions relative to the common static price axis;
displaying an order entry region comprising a plurality of locations for receiving commands to send trade orders, each location corresponding to a price level along the common static price axis; and
in response to a selection of a particular location of the order entry region by a single action of a user input device, setting a plurality of parameters for a trade order relating to the commodity and sending the trade order to the electronic exchange.
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 regions and the order entry region comprise columns with a plurality of cells that are displayed as a grid such that the cells of each column are aligned.



The method of claim $8 /$ wherein the bid and ask display regions and the order entry region are oriented vertically.

(Amended) The method of claim on wherein the bid and ask display regions and the order entry region are oriented horizontally.
48. (Amended) The method of claim 47 wherein the bid display region, the ask display region, the order entry region and the price display region comprise columns with a plurality of cells that are displayed as a grid such that the cells of each column are aligned.
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49. (Amended) The method of claim 47 wherein the bid display region, the ask display region, the order entry region and the price display region are oriented vertically.
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50. (Amended) The method of claim 47 wherein the bid display region, the ask display region, the order entry region and the price display region are oriented horizontally.
.52. (Amended) The method of claim 51 wherein a location of the plurality of locations of the bid display region comprises a blank region in which there is no first or third indicator displayed.
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53. (Amended) The method of claim 41 wherein a locstion of the plurality of locations of the ask display region comprises a blank region in which there is no second or fourth indicator displayed.


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(Amended) The method of claim 41 wherein the order entry region comprises:
a bid order entry region comprising a plurality of locations for receiving commands to send buy orders, each location corresponding to a price level along the common static price axis; and
an ask order entry region comprising a plurality of locations for receiving commands to send sell orders, each location corresponding to a price leval along the common static price axis.
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इ6. (Amended) The method of claim 54 wherein the bid order entry region overiaps with the bid display region and the ask order entry region overlaps with the ask display region.
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61. (Amended) The method of claim 41 further comprising the steps of:

displaying an order entry region comprising a plurality of locations for receiving commands to send trade orders, each location corresponding to a price level along the common static price axis; and
in response to a selection of a particular location of the order entry region by a single action of a user input device, setting a plurality of parameters for a trade order relating to the commodity and sending the trade order to the electronic exchange.


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displayed in locations of the bid display region that are arranged along an axis which is parallel to the common static price axis.

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(New) The method of claim 54 wherein the second and fourth indicators are displayed in locations of the ask display region that are arranged along an axis which is parallel to the common static price axis.
71. (New) The method of claim 51 further comprising the steps of: on the common static price axis at a first time; and
displaying the first indicator at a second location associated with a different price level on the common static price axis at a second time subsequent to the first time.

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72. (New) The method of claim 71 wherein the third and fourth indicators

73. (New) The method of claim 51 wherein the first and third indicators are
displaying the first indicator at a first location associated with a first price level remain in the same location in the bid and ask display regions, respectively, before and after the first indicator is displayed at the second location.
74. (New) The method of claim 72 wherein each location of the bid display region corresponds to a different price level along the common static price axis and each location of the ask display region corresponds to a different price level along the common static price.
75. (New) The method of claim 51 further comprising the steps of: displaying the second indicator at a first location associated with a first price level on the common static price axis at a first time; and

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displaying the second indicator at a second location associated with a different price level on the common static price axis at a second time subsequent to the first time.

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(New) The method of claim 74 wherein the third and fourth indicators remain in the same location in the bid and ask display regions, respectively, before and after the second indicator is displayed at the second location.


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(New) The method of claim 75 wherein each location of the bid display region corresponds to a different price level along the common static price axis and each location of the ask display region corresponds to a different price level along the common static price.
 are displayed separately.

(New) The method of claim $4 \mathcal{Y}$ wherein the first and second indicators are based on an exchange order book and wherein the price levels along the common static price axis do not move in response to the addition of a price to the exchange order book, the additional price comprising a price for which there is a corresponding displayed location in at least one of the bid and ask display regions.


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common static price axis do not move in response to the removal of a price from the exchange order book, the removed price comprising a price for which there is a corresponding displayed location in at least one of the bid and ask display regions.


41 wherein the first and second indicators are based on an exchange order book and the price levels along the common static price axis never move in response to a price change in the exchange order book relating to a price which corresponds to a displayed location in at least one of the bid and ask display regions.

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\text { rises a price and type of order. }
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Claims 41-68 were pending in the application. Claims 41-44, 48-50, 52-54, 56, 61, 62, and 68 have been amended. Claim 55 has been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 69-81 have been added. No new matter has been introduced. Thus, claims 41-54, and 56-81 are pending for consideration at this time.

Applicants thank the Examiner for the telephone interview of March 21, 2003. The pending claims have been amended as discussed. The discussion resulted in agreement that the claims as amended are allowable and that a Notice of Allowance would be issued promptly.

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41. (Amended) A method for displaying market information relating to and facilitating trading of a commodity being traded in an electnonic exchange [market] having an inside market with a highest bid price and a lowest ask price on a graphical user interface, the method comprising:
dynamically displaying a first indicator in one of a plurality of locations in a bid display region, each jogation in the bid display region corresponging to a lin association with] price [levels] level along a common static price axis, the first indicator representing quantity associated with at least one order to:buy the commodity at the highest bid price currently available in the market;
dynamically displaying a second indicator in one of a plurality of locations in an ask display region, each location in the ask display region corresponding to a lin association with the] price [levels] level along the common static price axis, the second indicator representing quantity associated with at least one order to sell the commodity at the lowest ask price currently available in the market; [and]
displaying the bid and ask display regions in relation to fixed price levels positioned along the common static price axis such that when the inside market, changes, the price levels along the common static price axis do not move and at least one of the first and second indicators [can] moves in the bid [and] or ask display regions relative to the common static price axis [when the inside market changesl;
displaxing an order entry region comprising a oluratity of locations for racelying commands to send trade orders, each location corresponding to a price leyel along the common static price axis; and
in response to a selection of a particular location of the order entry region by a single action of e user ingut device, setting a plurality of parameters for a trade order relating to the commodity and sending the trade order to the electronic exchange.
42. (Amanded) The method of claim 41 wherein the bid and ask display regions and the order entry region comprise columns with a plurality of cells that are displayed as a grid such that the cells of each column are aligned.

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48. (Amended) The method of claim 47 wherein the bid display region, the ask display region, the order entry reaion and the price display reglon comprise columns with a plurality of cells that are displayed as a grid such that the cells of each column are aligned.
49. (Amended) The method of claim 47 wherein the bid display region, the ask display region, the order entry region and the price display region are oriented vertically.
60. (Amended) The method of ciaim 47 wherein the bid display region, the ask display region, the order entry region and the price display reglon are oriented horizontally.
52. (Amended) The method of claim 51 wherein [one] a lacation of the plurality of locations of the bid display region comprises a blank region in which there is no first or thírd indicator displayed.
63. (Amended) The method of claim 41 whenein [onel a locution of the plurality of locations of the ask display region comprises a blank region in which there is no second or fourth indicator displayed.
54. (Amended) The method of claim 41 (further comprising the steps of) wherein the order entry region comprises:
[displaying] a bid order entry region comprising a plurality of locations for receiving commands to send buy orders, each logation corresponding to a price level along the common static price exis; and

【displaying】 an ask order entry region comprising a plurality of locations for receiving commands to send sell orders each lecation corresponding to a price lavel along the commen static price axis.
65. (Cenceled)
56. (Amended) The method of claim 54 wherein the bid order entry region [comprises] gyarlaps with the bid display region and the ask order entry region [comprisesl ovarlags with the ask display region.
61. (Amended) The method of claim 41 further comprising the steps of: displaying the first indicator at a first location assodiated with a first price lavel on the common static price axis at a first time; and
[updating the display to] displaying the first indicator at a second location associated with a different price level on the common static price axis at a second time subsequent to the first time.
62. (Amended) The method of claim 41 further comprising the steps of: displaying the second indicator at a first location associated with a first price level on the common static price axis at a first time; and
[updating the display to] displaying the second indicator at a second location associated with a different price level on the common stațic price axis at a second time subsequent to the first time.
68. (Amended) A computer readable medium'having program code recorded thereon for execution on a computer for displaying market information relating to and facilitating trading of a commodity being traded in an elecitronic exchange [market] having an inside market with a highest bid price and a lowest ask prics on a graphical user interface, the program code causing a machine to parform the following method steps:
dynamically displaying a first indicator in one of a plurality of locations in a bid display region, each location in the bid display reglon cornesponding to a lin association with] price [levels] level along a common static price axisi, the first indicator

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representing quantity associated with at least one order to buy the commodity at the highest bid price currently available in the market;
dynamically displaying a second indicator in one of a plurality of locations in an ask display region, each location in the ask display region cypresponding to a [in association with] the price [levels] level along the common static price axis, the second indicator representing quantity associated with at least ons order to sell the commodity at the lowest ask price currently available in the market;
displaying the bid and ask display regions in relation to fixed price levels positioned along the common static price axis such that when the inside market changes, the price levels along the common static price axis do not move and at least one of the first and second indicators [can] moves in the bid [and] or ask display regions relative to the common static price axis [when the inside market changes];
displaving an order entry region comprising a plurality of locations for receiving commands to send trade orders, each location corresponding to a orice level along the commen static price axis: and
in response to a selection of a particular lecation of the order entry region by a single action of a user input device, setting a plurality of parameters for a trade order relating to the commodity and sending the trade order to the electronic exchange.


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CLICK BASED TRADING WITH INTUITIVE GRID DISPLAY OF MARKET DEPTH

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Sir:
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
[ X Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. $\$ 1.9$ and $\$ 1.27$ has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
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For: CLICK BASED TRADING WITH INTUITIVE GRID DISPLAY OF MARKET DEPTH

This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R § 1.102(d) filed September 7, 2001 to make the above-identified application special. The delay in treating this petition is sincerely regretted.

The petition requests that the above-identified application be made special under the procedure set forth in M.P.E.P. § 708.02, item II: Infringement.

MPEP 708.02 states that a Petition to Make Special based on Infringement must have the following: (1) the appropriate petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (i); (2) a statement by the assignee, applicant, or attorney alleging: (A) that there is an infringing device or product actually on the market; (B) that a rigid comparison of the alleged infringing device or product with the claims of the application has been made, and that, in his or her opinion, some of the claims are unquestionably infringed; and (C) that he or she has made a careful and thorough search of the prior art, or has good knowiedge of the prior art, and has sent a copy of the references deemed most closely related to the subject matter encompassed by the claims.

The petition filed September 7, 2001 includes all of the requirements above and, therefore, the petition is GRANTED. The $\$ 130$. petition fee has been charged to applicant's deposit account No. 19-0741 as per applicant's authorization to do so in the documents filed September 7, 2001.

The examiner is directed (1) to make an interference search for possible interfering applications; (2) to promptly examine this application out of turn; and (3) if any interfering application is discovered, to examine such application simultaneously and
state in the first official letter of such application that it is being taken out of turn because of a possible interference.

Petitioner is advised that this application will continue to be special, throughout its entire prosecution and pendency, including interference and appeal, if any, only if petitioner makes a prompt bona fide effort, in response to each Office action, to place the application in condition for allowance, even if it is necessary to conduct an interview with the examiner to accomplish this purpose.


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Submitted herewith is a copy of Form PTO/SB/08 dated October 20, 2003, signed and dated by the Examiner, listing the references that were inadvertently omitted from the front of the patent.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

The errors in the issued patent are listed below and the corrections are supported by the Amendment filed on March 21, 2003. The errors in the patent are shown by column and line number as follows.

Col. 14, line 64, the word "Static" should be --static--. (See Amendment filed March 21, 2003, pages 4-5, claim 68 now claim 27.)

Col. 15, line 26, after "claim 11" add the word --further--. (See Amendment filed March 21, 2003, page 5, claim 71 now claim 30.)

Col. 16, line 1, after "claim 11" add the word --further--. (See Amendment filed March 21, 2003, page 5, claim 74 now claim 33.)

Col. 16, line 10, the word "an" should be --and--. (See Amendment filed March 21, 2003, page 5, claim 75 now claim 34.)

Col. 16, line 40, after "claim 1" add --wherein--. (See Amendment filed March 21, 2003, page 7, claim 81 now claim 40.)

Attached for your review is a copy of the as-filed Transmittal and Amendment filed March 21, 2003. The instant corrections conform the claims in the patent with the Amendment filed on March 21, 2003.

Applicant submits that the above changes would not constitute new matter, and correction thereof would not require reexamination.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.322, Applicant requests that the enclosed Certificate of Correction be approved.

Although Applicant believes that no fee is required for this Request, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Request to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.
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More of the thrills, fewer of the spills.
Seeking to tap into the growing popularity of on-line stock trading while avoiding cyberinvesting's newly tarnished image, Fidelity Investments is gearing up to offer some of the specialized services more commonly found at fast-paced Internet-only brokerages and so-called "day trading" shops.

With investors flocking to the Web to buy and sell shares, Fidelity's moves, still under wraps, are likely to shake up the on-line investing boom and spark a new wave of competition.

The new services Fidelity is eyeing might seem obscure: real-time account balance updates; free, unlimited real - time stock quotes; and souped-up market feeds, known as Nasdaq Level 2, that show not just live prices but also buyers' and sellers' identities and positions.

Fidelity is better known as the nation's biggest mutual fund firm than as the second biggest discount stock brokerage. As an on-line investing shop, it is less prominent.

But in a world where one in four retail stock trades is now made on line, and where on-line customers trade more frequently than those who use a traditional bricks-and-mortar brokerage, Fidelity now sees such tools as key in the battle for cyberinvestors.

What is striking is that such investing weapons are usually found not at the on-line brokerage units of full-service mutual fund firms such as Fidelity or Charles Schwab \& Co., but at hundreds of smaller, Web-only shops including ETrade and Datek, a scrappy outfit more akin to a day-trading firm.

Such upstart Web brokerages are, of course, synonymous with more than advanced tools and cut-rate prices. In recent weeks, they have had embarrassing power outtages, software glitches, and price delays resulting in trades costing customers tens of thousands of extra dollars.

The turmoil has bruised the already rough-and-tumble world of on-line investing. But it has also highlighted how a new generation of shops now dominates cyberinvesting, wielding tools and services not yet offered by traditional firms such as Boston-based Fidelity.
"Fidelity is going for the high-end on-line trader but also the active traders " who often frequent Web-based brokerages, said Bill Burnham, an electronic commerce analyst at CS First Boston. "They clearly intend to build a big business."

With 1.8 million on-line brokerage accounts, Fidelity has 9.4 percent of all on-line trades, ranking fifth behind pioneer Schwab (the first-place leader, with 29 percent of the market) and Web-based firms Waterhouse Securities, ETrade, and Datek, according to Gomez Advisors Inc, a consulting firm in Concord, Mass.

Fidelity won't say exactly when it plans to launch its new services, which will be closely watched by rivals. But persons familiar with the firm's plans said Fidelity would unveil things in the coming months.

While declining to be specific, a Fidelity executive offered a glimpse into the fund behemoth's view of cyberinvesting.
"The on-line investing industry is going towards beefing up the non-price aspects of their offerings," said Matthew Sadler, a Fidelity senior vice president in charge of brokerage services. "It is clearly evident that all on-line investors are not entirely price elastic," Sadler said. "There are other elements that are critical to them, like service, reliability, tools, certain aspects of information, and customization. "

Fidelity's new services target its 36,000 most active on-line clients. Trading at least 36 times a year, that top 2 percent of Fidelity on-line customers already account for the bulk of the firm's on-line transactions.

But Fidelity also wants to cut costs by having regular brokerage
customers do business on line rather than in person at a Fidelity branch. While on-line investing constitutes less than 10 percent of Fidelity's overall revenues, according to broad estimates, getting brokerage customers to convert to cyberinvesting would give Fidelity a lead.

Since Fidelity's retail brokerage holds around 15 percent of the firm's total $\$ 750$ billion in assets, there is plenty of profit to be made in directing that business on line as well as in attracting new customers, according to Cerulli \& Associates, a financial services consulting firm.

Fidelity earns a flat commission each time a client buys or sells a stock on line. Its lowest rate is $\$ 14.95$ for customers trading at least 12 times a year. (Deep-discount shops like Ameritrade charge $\$ 8$ a trade, while Schwab charges a flat $\$ 29.95$ ). Fidelity also earns interest on money on-line clients borrow from Fidelity to buy stocks, as well as fees from the cash clients keep in Fidelity money-market funds to finance stock purchases.

In the past 18 months, Fidelity won new on-line customers by revamping commission rates to make things cheaper for heavy traders and more costly for dabblers.

Now the firm increasingly views souped-up investing tools -- along with its investment research and improved, user-friendly Web site -- as the lure to getting active traders to buy and sell more. It recently added on-line bill payment features. Last month, it introduced "InstantBroker" two-way pagers allowing clients to make instant trades.

Still, industry analysts said Fidelity had not ruled out another pricing revamp, a move that would prompt responses from at least some competitors. Said a top Fidelity executive recently: "There are ways to change the pricing system without instituting a pricing war."

Fidelity is not courting fly-by-night day- traders (at Fidelity, such clients number only in the hundreds). On the other end, it is closely watching the impending foray of powerhouse firms into on-line trading, especially Merrill Lynch \& Co., the nation's largest stockbroker.

But with the number of Internet brokerage accounts to grow 40 percent this year to 10.5 million, according to Gomez, Fidelity is keenly aware of the competitive threat posed by a new slew of smaller, on-line shops
"ETrade is a viable competitor of ours," said Fidelity's Sadler, a former Schwab on-line executive. "The game. is very different in the discount brokerage world now."

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Inventor(s): KEMP GARY ALLAN US ; SCHLUETTER
JENS-UWE US ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS US
Application No: AT 01920183 T
Filing Date: 20010302
Issue/Publication Date: 20050415
Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently.
Priority Data: US 1863220020000302 P Y; US 5906920020000609 A Y; US 010679220010302 W W N;
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(ENG) Click based trading with intuitive grid display of market depth
Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC

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Inventor(s): BRUMFIELD HARRIS ; KEMP GARY ALLAN ; SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE

Application No: AU 2001247262 A
Filing Date: 20010302
Issue/Publication Date: 20061026
Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when
electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders
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Priority Data: US 59069200 20000609 A Y; US 1863220020000302 P Y; US 010679220010302 W W N ;
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(ENG) Trading with display of market depth and price
Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC
Inventor(s): BRUMFIELD HARRIS ; KEMP GARY ALLAN
Application No: AU 2001296635 A
Filing Date: 20011005

## Issue/Publication Date: 20070906

Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuate. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently. The price consolidation feature of the present invention, as described herein, enables a trader to consolidate a number of prices in order to condense the display. Such action allows a trader to view a greater range of prices and a greater number of orders in the market at any given time. By consolidating prices, and therefore orders, a trader reduces the risk of a favorable order scrolling from the screen prior to filling a bid or ask on that order at a favorable price.

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## AU2003228606A1 20031103

## (ENG) TRADING TOOLS FOR ELECTRONIC TRADING

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC
Inventor(s): BRUMFIELD HARRIS ; BURNS MICHAEL ; WEST ROBERT A ; SINGER SCOTT ; KEMP
GARY ALLEN II ; SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE
Application No: AU 2003228606 A
Filing Date: 20030417
Issue/Publication Date: 20031103
Abstract: (ENG) Tools for trading and monitoring a commodity on an electronic exchange using a graphical user interface and a user input device. The tools will aid the trader in determining the status, trends in the market, and the trader's position in the market.
Priority Data: US 1258940220020419 A Y; US 4037570320030331 A Y; US 031220120030417 W W N;
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## AU4726201A 20010912

(ENG) Click based trading with intuitive grid display of market depth
Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC

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Inventor(s): KEMP GARY ALLAN ; SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS

Application No: AU 4726201 D
Filing Date: 20010302

## Issue/Publication Date: 20010912

Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently.
Priority Data: US 1863220020000302 P Y; US 5906920020000609 A Y; US 010679220010302 W W N; IPC (International Class): G06Q03000; G06F01700; G06Q04000
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Legal Status: There is no Legal Status information available for this patent

## AU9663501A 20020415

(ENG) Trading with display of market depth and price

| Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC | US |
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| Inventor(s): KEMP GARY ALLAN | ;BRUMFIELD HARRIS |

Application No: AU 9663501 D
Filing Date: 20011005
Issue/Publication Date: 20020415


#### Abstract

ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuate. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently. The price consolidation feature of the present invention, as described herein, enables a trader to consolidate a number of prices in order to condense the display. Such action allows a trader to view a greater range of prices and a greater number of orders in the market at any given time. By consolidating prices, and therefore orders, a trader reduces the risk of a favorable order scrolling from the screen prior to filling a bid or ask on that order at a favorable price.


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## BR0108857A 20030429

(POR) Negociação baseada em clique com exibição de grade intuitiva de perfuração do mercado
Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US [ no drawing available]
Inventor(s): KEMP GARY ALLAN ; SCHLUETTER
JENS-UWE ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS
Application No: BR 0108857 A
Filing Date: 20010302
Issue/Publication Date: 20030429
Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently.
Priority Data: US 1863220020000302 P Y; US 5906920020000609 A Y; US 010679220010302 W W N;
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## BR0114469A 20031230

(POR) Comercialização com exposição de profundidade e preço do mercado

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US

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Inventor(s): KEMP GARY ALLAN II ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS

Application No: BR 0114469 A
Filing Date: 20011005
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#### Abstract

ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuate. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently. The price consolidation feature of the present invention, as described herein, enables a trader to consolidate a number of prices in order to condense the display. Such action allows a trader to view a greater range of prices and a greater number of orders in the market at any given time. By consolidating prices, and therefore orders, a trader reduces the risk of a favorable order scrolling from the screen prior to filling a bid or ask on that order at a favorable price.


Priority Data: US 2380010020001006 P Y; US 013122220011005 W W N;
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Legal Status: There is no Legal Status information available for this patent

## CA2401664A1 20010907

## (ENG) CLICK BASED TRADING WITH INTUITIVE GRID DISPLAY OF MARKET DEPTH

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US
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## Inventor(s): SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE US ; BRUMFIELD <br> HARRIS US ; KEMP GARY ALLAN US

Application No: CA 2401664 A
Filing Date: 20010302
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#### Abstract

ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present inventio n ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trad er to trade quickly and efficiently.


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## (ENG) TRADING WITH DISPLAY OF MARKET DEPTH AND PRICE

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US
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#### Abstract

ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present inventio n ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuate. This allows the trade $r$ to trade quickly and efficiently. The price consolidation feature of the present invention, as described herein, enables a trader to consolidate a number of prices in order to condense the display. Such action allows a trad er to view a greater range of prices and a greater number of orders in the mark et at any given time. By consolidating prices, and therefore orders, a trader reduces the risk of a favorable order scrolling from the screen prior to filling a bid or ask on that order at a favorable price.


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## (ENG) TRADING TOOLS FOR ELECTRONIC TRADING

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US
Inventor(s): SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE US ; BRUMFIELD
HARRIS US ; KEMP GARY ALLEN II US ;
BURNS MICHAEL US ; WEST ROBERT A US ;
SINGER SCOTT US
Application No: CA 2493950 A
Filing Date: 20030417
Issue/Publication Date: 20031030
Abstract: (ENG) Tools for trading and monitoring a commodity on an electronic exchange using a graphical user interface and a user input device. The tools will aid the trader in determining the status, trends in the market, and the trader's position in the market.

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# (ENG) A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRADING AND <br> DISPLAYING MARKET INFORMATION IN AN ELECTRONIC TRADING ENVIRONMENT 

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STEVEN F US ; TRIPLETT MARK W US
Application No: CA 2517406 A
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Issue/Publication Date: 20040916


#### Abstract

ENG) A system and method for trading and displaying market information along a static axis are described to ensure fast and accurate execution of trades. The static axis, whether is a straight axis or a curved one, can be oriented in any direction. Regardless of how the axis is oriented, a first region may display price levels that are arranged along the static axis. A second region, which overlaps the first region, may display one or more indicators for highlighting one of the price levels associated with the lowest offer and one of the price levels associated with the highest bid. Moreover, a third region, which overlaps the first region, may be included for initiating placement of an order to buy or an order to sell the tradeable object through an action of a user input device. Other overlapping regions may also be displayed so that additional market information may be viewed by a trader.


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(ENG) Click based trading with intuitive grid display of market
depth
Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US
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Inventor(s): ALLAN KEMP GARY US ; HARRIS
BRUMFIELD US
Application No: CN 01807416 A
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#### Abstract

ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently.


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## CN1474988A 20040211

(ENG) Trading with display of market depth and price
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Inventor(s): KEMP GARY A US ; BRUMFIELD HARIS US
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(ENG) Trading tools for electronic trading

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Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US
Inventor(s): JENS-UWE SCHLUETTER US ; HARRIS
    BRUMFIELD US ; ALLEN KEMP GARY II US ;
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Abstract: (ENG) Tools for trading and monitoring a commodity on an electronic exchange using a graphical user interface and a user input device. The tools will aid the trader in determining the status, trends in the market, and the trader's position in the market.
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(ENG) Click based trading with intuitive grid display of market depth

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BRUMFIELD US
Application No: CN 200810181726 A
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#### Abstract

ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently.


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## DE60110097D1 20050519

(GER) MAUS-GESTEURTER BOERSENHANDEL MIT INTUITIVER RASTERANZEIGE DER MARKT-TIEFE
Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US [ no drawing available]
Inventor(s): KEMP ALLAN US ; SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE
US ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS US
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Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when
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    invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or
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## DE60110097T2 20050908

(GER) Maus-Gesteuerter Boersenhandel mit intuitiver Rasteranzeige der Markt-Tiefe

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US

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## Inventor(s): KEMP ALLAN US ; SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE US ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS US

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Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently.

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## DK1319211T3 20050808

(DAN) Klikbaseret handel med intuitiv gittervisning af markedsdybde
Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US
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Inventor(s): SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE US ; KEMP GARY
ALLAN US ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS US
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## (ENG) CLICK BASED TRADING WITH INTUITIVE GRID DISPLAY OF MARKET DEPTH

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US
Inventor(s): KEMP GARY ALLAN US ; SCHLUETTER JENS-UWE US ; BRUMFIELD HARRIS US
Application No: EP 01920183 A
Filing Date: 20010302
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#### Abstract

ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market prices fluctuates. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently.


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## (ENG) TRADING WITH DISPLAY OF MARKET DEPTH AND PRICE

Assignee: TRADING TECH INT INC US

Application No: EP 01977522 A
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Abstract: (ENG) A method and system for reducing the time it takes for a trader to place a trade when
electronically trading on an exchange, thus increasing the likelihood that the trader will have orders
filled at desirable prices and quantities. The "Mercury" display and trading method of the present
invention ensure fast and accurate execution of trades by displaying market depth on a vertical or
horizontal plane, which fluctuates logically up or down, left or right across the plane as the market
prices fluctuate. This allows the trader to trade quickly and efficiently. The price consolidation feature
of the present invention, as described herein, enables a trader to consolidate a number of prices in order
to condense the display. Such action allows a trader to view a greater range of prices and a greater
number of orders in the market at any given time. By consolidating prices, and therefore orders, a trader
reduces the risk of a favorable order scrolling from the screen prior to filling a bid or ask on that order
at a favorable price.

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(ENG) TRADING TOOLS FOR ELECTRONIC TRADING
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Application No: EP 03726366 A
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Abstract: (ENG) Tools for trading and monitoring a commodity on an electronic exchange using a graphical user interface and a user input device. The tools will aid the trader in determining the status, trends in the market, and the trader's position in the market.
Priority Data: US 031220120030417 W W N; US 1258940220020419 A Y; US 4037570320030331 A Y;
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## EP1531414A1 20050518

(ENG) A method and device for facilitating trading
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## (ENG) A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRADING AND DISPLAYING MARKET INFORMATION IN AN ELECTRONIC TRADING ENVIRONMENT

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#### Abstract

ENG) A system and method for trading and displaying market information along a static axis are described to ensure fast and accurate execution of trades. The static axis, whether is a straight axis or a curved one, can be oriented in any direction. Regardless of how the axis is oriented, a first region may display price levels that are arranged along the static axis. A second region, which overlaps the first region, may display one or more indicators for highlighting one of the price levels associated with the lowest offer and one of the price levels associated with the highest bid. Moreover, a third region, which overlaps the first region, may be included for initiating placement of an order to buy or an order to sell the tradeable object through an action of a user input device. Other overlapping regions may also be displayed so that additional market information may be viewed by a trader.


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(SPA) TRANSACION BASADA EN UN CLIC CON
VISUALIZACION INTUITIVA DE RED DE PENETRACION DE MERCADO.

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#### Abstract

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