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Change Log

Date	Section / Message(s)	Description
3/4/2024	N/A	Initial v1.0 release of Binary Market Data specifications for EDX Markets match engine.
3/6/2024	Snapshot Session Start Message	v1.0.1 – Added Snapshot Session Start Message Type 8
4/5/2024	Streaming Session Start Message	v1.0.2 - Added Streaming Session Start Message Type 8
4/22/2024	Heartbeat Message	v1.0.3 - Added Heartbeat Message Type 0 to UDP Broadcast Protocol
4/30/2024	Order Executed	v1.0.4 - Corrected Order Executed from 64-bit integer to Fixed Point Decimal
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5/6/2024	Heartbeat Message	v1.0.6 - Corrected heartbeat message datagram 1.
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9/11/2024	Instrument Directory Message	v1.0.9 - Added Instrument Type
9/26/2024	Incremental Trading Metric Message	v1.0.9 - Added Incremental Trading Metric Message
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01/09/2025	All message	v1.0.10 - Increased length of Token ID and Base Currency and Quote Currency
4/21/2025	Instrument Directory Message	v1.1.0 - Increase the Base Currency field length from 5 to 8 characters Increase the Quote Currency field length from 5 to 8 characters
4/21/2025	All Messages	v1.1.0 - Increase the Token ID field length from 16 to 20
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4/30/2026	Instrument Trading Status Reason	v1.1.2 - Added enum value

Order and Snapshot Messages

Introduction

This section describes the implementation and protocol for Order messages transmitted from the Binary Market Data Gateway. These messages are encoded using the Simple Binary Encoding (SBE) format, with fields encoded in big-endian byte order.

Common SBE Header

Every message begins with the SBE Header, which describes the message payload.

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	2	Block Length	The number of fixed sized bytes in the message body.	Unsigned 16-bit integer
2	1	Template ID	Identifier of the message type.	Unsigned 8-bit integer
3	1	Schema ID	Identifier of the message schema.	Unsigned 8-bit integer
4	2	Version	Identifier of the message version.	Unsigned 16-bit integer

Versioning

Versioning of the Order Message schema is encoded within the Common SBE Header. The first 8 bits of the version field represents the major version of the schema, and the subsequent 8 bits represents the minor version of the schema. A version of 0200 in hex therefore represents the semantic version 2.0.

Instrument Directory

This message will be emitted as part of a Snapshot to inform the client of available instruments.
The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	56
Template ID	1
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
14	20	Token ID	Unique identifier of the Order instrument	20-byte character sequence
34	8	Base Currency	Base Currency Symbol	8-byte character sequence
42	8	Quote Currency	Quote Currency Symbol	8-byte character sequence
50	2	Unit Multiplier	The Unit Multiplier of the Instrument	Signed 16-bit integer
52	1	Is Test Symbol	If the Instrument is a Test Instrument	Boolean Type
53	8	MPV	The price increment of the instrument	FixedPointDecimal
61	1	Instrument Type	Type of Instrument	1 byte character

Instrument Type Values

ASCII Value	Name
'1'	Spot
'2'	Perpetual Futures

Instrument Trading Status

This message will be emitted as part of a Snapshot to inform the client of the status of available instruments
The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	30
Template ID	2
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
14	20	Token ID	Unique identifier of the Order instrument	20-byte character sequence
34	1	Instrument Trading Status	The Trading Status of the Instrument	1 byte character sequence
35	1	Instrument Trading Status Reason	The Reason for this Status	1 byte character sequence

Instrument Trading Status Field Values

ASCII Value	Name
'H'	Halted
'Q'	Quoting
'L'	Limit Only Trading
'T'	Trading

Instrument Trading Status Reason Field Values

ASCII Value	Name
'X'	None
'A'	Administrative
'S'	Suspended

Trading Session Status

This message will be emitted as part of a Snapshot to inform the client of the status of the trading session
The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	9
Template ID	3
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer
14	1	Trading Session	Status representing if the Exchange is open or closed	1 byte character sequence

Trading Session Field Values

ASCII Value	Name
‘1’	Trading
‘2'	Closed

Snapshot Complete

This message will be emitted as part of a Snapshot to indicate the end of the snapshot
The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	16
Template ID	4
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer
14	8	Sequence Number	The current broadcast Sequence number	Signed 64-bit integer

Order Added

This message will be emitted when an order has been added to the book or as part of a snapshot.
The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	62
Template ID	10
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer
14	20	Token ID	Unique identifier of the Order instrument	20-byte character sequence
34	8	Order ID	Unique identifier of the Order	Signed 64-bit integer

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
42	8	Correlation ID	Correlating ID between this message and the Order feed. This value will always be equal to the Order ID	Signed 64-bit integer
50	1	Side	The side of the order being added	1 byte character
51	8	Quantity	The total quantity being added	Order Quantity
59	8	Price	The price of the new order	FixedPointDecimal
67	1	Retail Indicator	The retail disposition of the order	1 byte character

Order Deleted

This message will be emitted when an order has been removed from the book. This message will not be emitted when an order is fully filled.
The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	36
Template ID	11
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer
14	20	Token ID	Unique identifier of the Order instrument	20-byte character sequence
34	8	Order ID	Unique identifier of the Order	Signed 64-bit integer

Order Reduced

This message will be emitted when an order has been reduced in quantity.
The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	44
Template ID	12
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer
14	20	Token ID	Unique identifier of the Order instrument	20-byte character sequence
34	8	Order ID	Unique identifier of the Order	Signed 64-bit integer
42	8	Quantity	The new quantity	Order quantity

Order Executed

This message will be emitted when an order on the book has been executed against. When the quantity executed reduces the remaining quantity to zero, consumers of this message should consider the order to be removed from the book. Otherwise, any outstanding quantity remains on the book with the same priority as the original order.

The header is sent using the values

Name	Value
Block Length	68
Template ID	13
Schema ID	6
Version	768

The payload is structured using the specification

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer
14	20	Token ID	Unique identifier of the Order instrument	20-byte character sequence
34	8	Order ID	Unique identifier of the Order	Signed 64-bit integer
42	16	Trade ID	Unique identifier of the Trade	2 Signed 64-bit integers
58	8	Quantity	The total quantity executed	Order quantity
66	8	Price	The executed price of the order	Fixed Point Decimal

Common Field Types

Timestamp

Represents a timestamp with nanosecond precision starting from the UNIX epoch.

Length	Type	Name	Description
8	Signed 64-bit integer	Timestamp	Time represented as the number of nanoseconds since the UNIX epoch.

Token ID

Unique identifier of an Instrument. Generally, this will take the form of Base Currency/Quote Currency combination.

Length	Type	Name	Description
20	20-byte character sequence	Token ID	Unique identifier of an Instrument

Order ID

Unique identifier of an Order.

Length	Type	Name	Description
8	Signed 64-bit integer	Order ID	Unique identifier of an Order

Trade ID

Trades are identified using a 128-bit globally unique value. They are expressed as two signed 64-bit integers.

Offset	Length	Type	Name	Description
0	8	Signed 64-bit integer	Upper Bits	The most significant bits of the ID
8	8	Signed 64-bit integer	Lower Bits	The lease significant bits of the ID

Side

This field type describes the Side which an order is on. This value will is either BID/BUY or OFFER/SELL. The value is encoded as a single character value.

ASCII Value	Name
'B'	Buy
'S'	Sell

Order Quantity

This field represents the quantity that is present on an order or has been executed against an order as part of a trade. It is encoded as a signed 64-bit integer. To obtain the true quantity value, consumers of this data need to multiply the quantity by 10^(unit multiplier). The unit multiplier is available on the instrument directory.

Offset	Length	Type	Name
0	8	Signed 64-bit integer	Quantity

For example, an order quantity of 123456789 with a corresponding instrument unit multiplier of -8 would represent the decimal number 1.23456789. This was calculated by 123456789 * 10^(-8).

FixedPointDecimal (Used in Price and MPV)

This field represents a fixed point decimal, encoded as a signed 64-bit integer with a constant exponent of -8.

Offset	Length	Type	Name
0	8	Signed 64-bit integer	Price

For example, a value 123456789 would represent the decimal number 1.23456789.

**Retail Indicator Type*

The Retail Indicator Type describes the retail disposition for an Order when it is added. It is encoded as a single character.

ASCII Value	Name
'1'	Normal
'2'	Designated Retail

ASCII Value	Name
'3'	Retail Liquidity Provider

Incremental Trading Metric

Name	Value
Block Length	37
Template ID	14
Schema ID	6
Version	768

Offset	Length	Name	Description	Type
0	6	Header	Common SBE Header	-
6	8	Timestamp	The timestamp when the event occurred, in nanoseconds	Signed 64-bit integer
14	20	Token ID	Unique identifier of the Order instrument	20-byte character sequence
34	1	MdEntryType	Type of trading metric	1-byte character
35	8	MDEntryValue	Value of trading metric	FixedPointDecimal

MdEntryType Values

ASCII Value	Name
'3'	IndexValue
'm'	PreliminaryMarkPrice
'n'	FinalMarkPrice
'p'	PreliminaryFundingRate
'f'	FinalFundingRate
'C'	OpenInterest

UDP Broadcast Protocol

Introduction

This section describes the implementation and protocol of the UDP Broadcast functionality present in the Binary Market Data Gateway.

The Binary Market Data Gateway can be configured to broadcast Market Data updates to a UDP Endpoint. This Endpoint can be configured to be either a Standard UDP Address or a UDP Multicast Address. Market Data updates received from the Cluster will be sent to this configured endpoint.

Protocol Definition

Header Definition

All messages broadcast from the Binary Market Data Gateway use a shared header. This header is defined using a pure binary format and is encoded in BIG_ENDIAN form. The current size of the header is in total 20 bytes, reading implementations are encouraged to always read the version to determine the size of the header and following content.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	1	Version and Flags
2	8	Current Session Id
10	8	Sequence Number
18	2	Message Count

The Binary Market Data Gateway will ensure that a single Header is broadcast per UDP Datagram emitted to the network from its host address. The underlying Data Link Layer may split this packet into multiple fragments, but they will be reassembled before being delivered to a receiving application by this layer.

Version and Flags

The second byte of the header encodes information about the version and optional bits for flags presented by the broadcast endpoint.

Bit Offset	Length (in bits)	Description
0	4	Protocol Version
4	1	Reserved Flag
5	1	Reserved Flag
6	1	Reserved Flag
7	1	Reserved Flag

Message Types

The Binary Market Data Gateway supports the following types of messages.

Value	Message Type
0	Heartbeat
1	Reserved
2	Market Data Message
3-7	Not Used

In its current implementation only the values 0 and 2 will be broadcast from the Binary Market Data Gateway. Value 1 is reserved as it was used by earlier versions of the application. The remainder are currently available for future use.

Current Session Id

The Current Session Id is an identifier for the current session of the Binary Market Data Gateway. This Session Id changes daily at 16:00 UTC, or whenever the Binary Market Data Gateway loses connectivity from upstream components or restarts.

When the Session Id changes, a receiving client must request a new snapshot of Market Data from the Gateway, to ensure it has the correct view of the current market data.

Sequence Number

The Header Value contains the current Sequence Number that the Binary Market Data Gateway has sent up to. Each Market Data message that is sent will increase the Sequence Number by the number of messages contained within the Datagram.

As part of consumption of UDP Market Data it is expected that some loss may occur on the network. In situations where a client detects loss through the Sequence Number incrementing by a larger than expected value between messages it is required to request a new snapshot of Market Data from the Gateway to ensure that it has a correct view of the current market data.

Heartbeat Message (Message Type 0)

In the absence of other messages, a heartbeat message will be sent every 15 seconds, indicating the current Session ID and Sequence Number.

A heartbeat will not increment the sequence number.

The Header portion of a Sequenced Message is encoded using a pure binary format in BIG_ENDIAN format.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	20	Common Header
20	0	Payload

Heartbeat Message Example

Datagram 1

Byte Offset	Length	Description	Example Value	Notes
0	1	Message Type	0 (Heartbeat Message)	
1	1	Protocol Version and Framing	16	Protocol Version 1, No Flags Set
2	8	Session Id	17065462840000000	The current Session ID
10	8	Sequence Number	5	The current Sequence Number
18	2	Message Count	0	

Market Data Message (Message Type 2)

Each Market Data Message datagram contains one or more messages to be processed by listening clients. The first message within the datagram has a sequence number equal to the field found in the Header. Subsequent messages increment this value by one, but these sequence numbers are not encoded as part of the datagram itself and are instead implicit. Clients should expect the Sequence Number in a subsequent message to be the previous message Sequence Number plus the number of messages within the Datagram.

The Header portion of a Sequenced Message is encoded using a pure binary format in BIG_ENDIAN format.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	20	Common Header
20	-	Payload

The Payload portion of the Market Data Message is then divided into sections for each Message containing the length of message and payload bytes. This is again encoded using a pure binary format in BIG_ENDIAN.

Length	Description
2	Payload Length
-	Payload Bytes

Market Data Message Example

Datagram 1

Byte Offset	Length	Description	Example Value	Notes
0	1	Message Type	2 (Market Data Message)	
1	1	Protocol Version and Framing	16	Protocol Version 1, No Flags Set
2	8	Session Id	17065462840000000	
10	8	Sequence Number	1	
18	2	Message Count	2	
20	2	Message 1 Length	16	
22	16	Message 1 Payload	USD/BTC;1.1;1.2	(Message Sequence Number 1)
38	2	Message 2 Length	16	
40	16	Message 2 Payload	USD/ETH;1.1;1.2	(Message Sequence Number 2)

Datagram 2

Byte Offset	Length	Description	Example Value	Notes
0	1	Message Type	2 (Market Data Message)	
1	1	Protocol Version and Framing	16	Protocol Version 1, No Flags Set

Byte Offset	Length	Description	Example Value	Notes
2	8	Session Id	17065462840000000	
10	8	Sequence Number	3	
18	2	Message Count	2	
20	2	Message 1 Length	16	
22	16	Message 1 Payload	USD/BTC;1.1;1.2	(Message Sequence Number 3)
38	2	Message 2 Length	16	
40	16	Message 2 Payload	USD/ETH;1.1;1.2	(Message Sequence Number 4)

TCP Snapshot Protocol

Introduction

This section describes the implementation and protocol of the TCP Snapshot functionality present in the Binary Market Data Gateway.
Once a Snapshot has been received from a client the Binary Market Data Gateway will then perform a disconnect.

Login Token

The login token is comprised of your username and passphrase and in your request should be passed in this format “username:passphrase”.

Protocol Definition

Header Definition

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length

Snapshot Request
This message is encoded as Message Type 1.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	n	Login Token

Snapshot Request Accepted Response
This message is encoded as Message Type 2.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type

Byte Offset	Length	Description
1	2	Message Length

Snapshot Request Rejected Response
This message is encoded as Message Type 3.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	1	Rejection Reason

Rejection Reasons

Value	Description
T	Bad Token
A	Authentication Failure

Snapshot Header Message
This message is encoded as Message Type 4.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length

Snapshot Message
This message is encoded as Message Type 5.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	n	Snapshot Message Payload

Snapshot Footer Message
This message is encoded as Message Type 6.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length

Snapshot Session Start Message
This message is encoded as Message Type 8.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	8	Session Identifier

Interaction Model

- Upon connecting to the Snapshot Gateway, the client sends a Login request to the Snapshot Gateway.

- The Snapshot Gateway validates the Login Request and issues a Login Accepted Response upon successful validation.
- The Snapshot Gateway then begins the process of sending a Snapshot by issuing a Snapshot Session Start message.
- The Snapshot Gateway will then send a number of Snapshot Messages
  - The Snapshot begins by sending Instrument Directory messages framed by the Snapshot Message header.
  - The Snapshot then contains Instrument Trading Status messages for each instrument
  - The Snapshot then contains the Trading Session status
  - The Snapshot then contains an OrderAdded entry for each order present on the Exchange
- The Snapshot Gateway will finally issue a Snapshot Footer Message to denote the completion of the Snapshot.
- The Snapshot Gateway will then disconnect the client.

TCP Streaming Protocol

Introduction

This section describes the implementation and protocol of the TCP Unicast functionality present in the Binary Market Data Gateway.
The Binary Market Data Gateway can be configured to listen for Streaming requests from a TCP Endpoint. Market Data updates received from the Cluster will be made available to clients which request streams from this endpoint.
When a client connects to the streaming endpoint it will receive a Snapshot, followed by a number of streamed updates. The connection remains active until the client decides to disconnect or the Gateway disconnects from the Cluster.

Login Token

The login token is comprised of your username and passphrase and in your request should be passed in this format “username:passphrase”.

Protocol Definition

Header Definition

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length

Login Request
This message is encoded as Message Type 1.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	n	Login Token

Login Request Accepted Response

This message is encoded as Message Type 2.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length

Login Request Rejected Response

This message is encoded as Message Type 3.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	1	Rejection Reason

Rejection Reasons

Value	Description
T	Bad Token
A	Authentication Failure

Snapshot Header Message

This message is encoded as Message Type 4.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length

Snapshot Message

This message is encoded as Message Type 5.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	n	Snapshot Message Payload

Snapshot Footer Message

This message is encoded as Message Type 6.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length

Stream Data Message

This message is encoded as Message Type 7.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	n	Stream Message Payload

Streaming Session Start Message

This message is encoded as Message Type 8.

Byte Offset	Length	Description
0	1	Message Type
1	2	Message Length
3	8	Session Identifier

Interaction Model

- Upon connecting to the Unicast Gateway, the client sends a Login request to the Unicast Gateway.
- The Unicast Gateway validates the Login Request and issues a Login Accepted Response upon successful validation.
- The Unicast Gateway then begins the process of sending a Snapshot by issuing a Snapshot Header message.
- The Unicast Gateway will then send a number of Snapshot Messages
  - The Snapshot begins by sending Instrument Directory messages framed by the Snapshot Message header.
  - The Snapshot then contains Instrument Trading Status messages for each instrument
  - The Snapshot then contains the Trading Session status
  - The Snapshot then contains an OrderAdded entry for each order present on the Exchange
- The Unicast Gateway will finally issue a Snapshot Footer Message to denote the completion of the Snapshot.
- The Unicast Gateway will then begin streaming data to the Client through Stream Data messages, these are framed using the Stream Data message.