

Connexus® ALPHA

What is Connexus ALPHA?

It is a cloud edge solution that provides ultralow latency connectivity for global trading firms. The solution is deeply integrated with the Connexus Cloud platform, IPC's flagship, award-winning multi-cloud platform for the global financial markets, an ecosystem that interconnects 7,000 diverse capital market participants across 750 cities in over 60 countries.



What does it do?

Enables hedge funds, funds of funds, proprietary trading firms, market makers, broker/dealers and other market participants to connect to key global liquidity venues through ultra-low latency optimized point-to-point optical fiber connections.

Why are we launching this solution?

In the fast-paced world of electronic trading, having the lowest possible latency to connect to key liquidity venues is a must. With firms having to come up with ever more sophisticated strategies to beat the indices as well as achieve absolute returns, it is imperative they have world-class infrastructure that will give them a competitive edge.

What are the benefits?



Market participants that leverage Connexus ALPHA can gain a valuable speed advantage in executing complex trading strategies while reducing the cost of trades.



Firms can **execute sophisticated ever-changing cross-asset class trading** strategies in a neverending effort to "beat the market" and achieve superior returns.



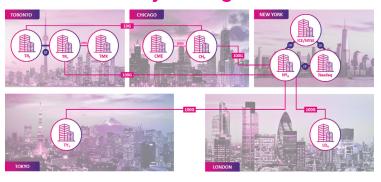
Firms get **speed to market** benefits.

What are the key routes?

Connexus ALPHA will provide ultra-low latency connectivity:

- Between New York and Chicago
- In the New Jersey equity triangle
- To Toronto from New York and Chicago
- Between key liquidity venues within both the Chicago and Toronto metropolitan areas
- For accessing major European liquidity venues in London, Frankfurt and other key continental European locations
- Between the global financial quadrilateral of New York, London, Tokyo and Singapore
- Between key Asia-Pacific liquidity venues in Hong Kong, Singapore, Sydney and Tokyo

Ultra-Low Latency Trading in Americas



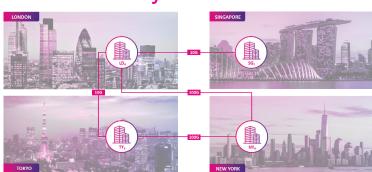
Ultra-Low Latency Trading in Europe



Ultra-Low Latency Trading in Asia-Pacific



Ultra-Low Latency Across Continents





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