# NASDAQ OMX PSX Last Sale

For PSX Trading Venue

### 1 Overview

PSX Last Sale<sup>SM</sup> (PLS) is a direct data feed product offered by NASDAQ OMX to support the PSX Trading Market upon launch. PLS covers the full range of issues including NASDAQ-, New York Stock Exchange (NYSE)-, NYSE Amex-, NYSE Arca-and BATS-listed securities. PLS provides real-time, intra-day trade data from the PSX execution system.

Market data distributors may use the PLS data feed to update real-time stock tickers, portfolio trackers, trade alert programs, time and sale graphs, and other display systems.

For pricing and ordering information:

- Refer to Market Data section of the NASDAQ OMX Trader website.
- Contact the <u>NASDAQ OMX Global Data Products Account Team</u> at +1 301 978 5307 or +45 33 93 33 66.

### 2 Network Protocol Options

For direct data feed subscribers, NASDAQ OMX PSX will offer PLS in the following protocol options:

- o SoupBinTCP
- o MoldUDP64

For network support and ordering information, please refer to the <u>NASDAQ Direct</u> Data Products Specifications Page on the NASDAQ OMX Trader website.

### 3 Architecture

PLS will be made up of a series of sequenced messages. Each message is variable in length based on the message type. The messages that make up the PLS protocol are typically delivered using a higher level protocol that takes care of sequencing and delivery quarantees.

### 4 Data Types

All integer fields are unsigned big-endian (network byte order) binary encoded numbers.

Prices are integer fields, supplied with an associated precision. When converted to a decimal format, prices are in a fixed point format, where the precision defines the number of decimal places. For example, a field flagged as Price (4) has an implied 4 decimal places.

Timestamps reflects the PSX system time at which the outbound message was generated. PSX states time as the number of milliseconds past midnight. The time zone is U.S. Eastern Time.

All alphanumeric fields are left-justified, ASCII fields. Padding spaces appear on the right as necessary.

### **5 Message Formats**

Note: For consistency, NASDAQ OMX has coded the PSX Last Sale (PLS) to use the same data formats as the NASDAQ Last Sale (NLS) 2.0 and BX Last Sale (BLS) 2.0 data feed offerings. Functionality that will not be supported for the PSX market upon implementation has been grayed out.

### 5.1 System Event Message

System Event Messages is used to signal key market or data feed control events.

System Event Message									
Name	Offset	Len	Value	Notes					
Time Stamp	0	4	Timestamp	Time Stan	np				
Message Type	4	1	Alphanumeric	S = Syste	m Event Message				
Event Code	5	1	Alphanumeric		he type of event for which the is being generated. The allowable				
				Code	Value				
				0	Start of Transmissions: Denotes that the PSX Last Sale has started its daily transmission schedule.				
				S	Start of System Hours: This message indicates that NASDAQ is open and ready to start accepting orders.				
				Q	Start of Market Hours: Denotes the start of the regular US market session. Traditionally, only trade transactions reported during the				

	regular market session are considered to be "last sale" eligible.	
М	End of Market Hours: Denotes the end of the regular US session.	
Е	End of System Hours: Indicates that NASDAQ is now closed and will not accept any new orders today.	
С	End of Transmissions: Denotes that the PSX Last Sale has ended its daily transmission schedule.	

### 5.2 Trade Report

The following message is used to relay PSX execution system transactions that are reported for the current business day. Please note that PSX only reports one-side of a trade execution on the PSX Last Sale (PLS) feed and other data feed products.

Trade Report Message							
Name	Offset	Len	Туре	Value/Desc	cription		
Time Stamp	0	4	Timestamp	Denotes the time stamp of the PX system that generated the trade transaction.			
Message Type	4	1	Alphanumeric	T = Trade R	eport		
Market Center Identifier	5	1	Alphanumeric	Denotes the PSX market system that generated the trade report message. The allowable values are:			
				Code	Value		
				Х	PSX execution system		
Issue Symbol	6	8	Alphanumeric	of the securi	security symbol for the issue ity for which the trade report erated. For details on please refer to Appendix B.		
Security Class	14	1	Alphanumeric		e primary listing market for Ilowable values are:		
				Code	Value		
				Q	NASDAQ Listed Issue		
				N	NYSE Listed Issue		
				А	NYSE Amex Issue		
				Р	NYSE Arca Issue		
				Z	BATS Listed Issue		
Trade Control Number	15	10	Alphanumeric		e PSX system internal ber associated with the transaction.		
				Number is specified system refle	that the Trade Control pecific to the PSX host cted in the Market Center ID umber is used as a key field ncellations and trade		

Trade Price	25	4	Price (4)	Denotes the transaction.	e report price on the trade
Trade Size	29	4	Integer		e reported number of shares transaction.
Sale Condition Modifier	33	4	Alphanumeric	Sale condition levels as def	on modifier consists of four fined below.
Sale Condition Modifier –	33	1	Alphanumeric	Used for Set Allowable va	tlement Type information. Ilues are:
Level 1				Code	Value
				@	Regular Settlement
				С	Cash Settlement
				N	Next Day Settlement
				R	Seller Settlement
Condition Modifier – Level 2				trade throug	yel is used to define the high reason code. For the PSX ket, the allowable codes are:
				Code	Value
				Code	
					Value
				For non-Reg condition lev transactions	Value Intermarket Sweep
				For non-Reg condition lev transactions	Value Intermarket Sweep Not applicable  NMS securities, this sale rel is used to identify cross For cross-eligible
				For non-Reg condition lev transactions securities, the	Value Intermarket Sweep Not applicable  NMS securities, this sale rel is used to identify cross. For cross-eligible re allowable codes are:
				For non-Reg condition lev transactions securities, the	Value Intermarket Sweep Not applicable  NMS securities, this sale vel is used to identify cross For cross-eligible ne allowable codes are:  Value
				For non-Reg condition lev transactions securities, the Code	Value Intermarket Sweep Not applicable  NMS securities, this sale vel is used to identify cross. For cross-eligible ne allowable codes are:  Value Opening Print
				F <space> For non-Reg condition lev transactions securities, the Code O 5</space>	Value Intermarket Sweep Not applicable  NMS securities, this sale vel is used to identify cross. For cross-eligible ne allowable codes are:  Value Opening Print Re-Opening Print

Sale Condition Modifier –	35	1	1 Alphanumeric	Used for Extended Hours or Sold Codes. Allowable values are:					
Level 3				Code	Value				
				Т	Extended Hours Trade				
				U	Extended Hours Trade – Reported Late or Out of Sequence				
				L	Sold Last – Reported Late But In Sequence				
				Z	Sold – Out of Sequence				
				<space></space>	Not applicable				
Sale Condition Modifier –	36	1	Alphanumeric	Used for spe Allowable va	ecial sale condition codes. alues are:				
Level 4				Code	Value				
				А	Acquisition				
				В	Bunched				
					D	Distribution			
					Н	Price Variation Transaction			
						M	M	PSX Official Close Price	
				Р	Prior Reference Price				
								Q	PSX Official Opening Price
				S	S	Split Trade			
				W	Weighted Average Price				
			X	Cross Trade					
				0	Odd lot execution				
				Х	Odd Lot Cross Execution				
				<space></space>	Not applicable				

### 5.3 Trade Cancel/Error

The following message is used in the event that a PSX trade transaction is cancelled on the same business day that it is reported.

Name	Offset	Len	Туре	Value/Des	cription
Time Stamp	0	4	Timestamp	Denotes the time stamp of the PSX system that generated the trade cancel/error message.	
Message Type	4	1	Alphanumeric	X = Trade Cancel/Error	
Market Center Identifier	5	1	Alphanumeric	Denotes the PSX market system the generated the trade report and cancel/error message. The allowab values are:	
				Code	Value
				Х	PSX Execution System
Issue Symbol	6	8	Alphanumeric	Denotes the security symbol for the issue for which the trade report is being generated. For details on symbology please refer to Appendix B.	
Security Class	14	1	1 Alphanumeric		e primary listing market for Allowable values are:
				Code	Value
				Q	NASDAQ Listed Issue
				N	NYSE Listed Issue
				А	NYSE Amex Issue
				Р	NYSE Arca Issue
				Z	BATS Listed Issue
Original Trade Control	15	10	Alphanumeric	control num	e PSX system internal nber associated with the transaction.
Number				Number is s	that the Trade Control specific to the PSX host ected in the Market Center
Original Trade Price	25	4	Price (4)	Reported pr	ice for the transaction.

Original Trade Size	29	4	Integer	Reported number of shares for transaction.
Original Sale Condition Modifier	33	4	Alphanumeric	Defines the sale condition modifiers as reported on the original trade transaction.

### 5.4 Trade Correction

The following message is used in the event that a TRF trade transaction is corrected on the same business day that it is reported.

Trade Correction Message							
Name	Offset	Len	Туре	Value/Description			
Time Stamp	0	4	Timestamp	Denotes the time stamp of the PSX system that generated the trade correction message.			
Message Type	4	1	Alphanumeric	C = Trade C	Correction		
Market Center Identifier	5	1	Alphanumeric	Denotes the PSX market system that generated the trade report and cancel/error message. The allowable values are:			
				Code	Value		
				Х	PSX Execution System		
Issue Symbol	6	8	Alphanumeric	Denotes the PSX-assigned issue symbol for which the trade correction message is being generated.			
				For details of to Appendix	on symbology, please refer B.		
Security Class	14	1	Alphanumeric	Indicates th for the issue	e primary listing market e. Allowable values are:		
				Code	Value		
				Q	NASDAQ Listed Issue		
				N	NYSE Listed Issue		
				А	NYSE Amex Issue		
				Р	NYSE Arca Issue		
				Z	BATS Listed Issue		
Original Trade Control	15	10	Alphanumeric		e PSX internal control ociated with the given		

Number				trade transaction.
				Please note that the Trade Control Number is specific to the PSX host system reflected in the Market Center ID field.
Original Trade Price	25	4	Price (4)	Reported price on the original trade transaction.
Original Trade Size	29	4	Integer	Reported number of shares on the original trade transaction.
Original Sale Condition Modifier	33	4	Alphanumeric	Indicates sale condition modifiers associated with the original transaction.
Corrected Trade Control Number	37	10	Alphanumeric	Indicates the PSX internal control number associated with the adjusted trade transaction.
				Please note that the Trade Control Number is specific to the PSX host system reflected in the Market Center ID field.
Corrected Trade Price	47	4	Price (4)	Indicates the price for the corrected trade transaction.
Corrected Trade Size	51	4	Integer	Indicates the number of shares for the corrected trade transaction.
Corrected Sale Condition Modifier	55	4	Alphanumeric	Denotes the sale condition modifiers associated with the corrected trade transaction.

#### **5.5** Administrative Messages

To help firms create a full display, PSX supports the following two administrative messages: (1) Trading Action and (2) Symbol Directory.

### **5.5.1 Stock Trading Action**

NASDAQ OMX uses this administrative message to indicate the current trading status of a security to the trading community.

Prior to the start of system hours, NASDAQ OMX will send out a Trading Action spin. In the spin, NASDAQ OMX will send out a Stock Trading Action message with the "T" (Trading Resumption) for all NASDAQ- and other exchange-listed securities that are eligible for trading at the start of the PSX system hours. If a security is absent from the pre-opening Trading Action spin, firms should assume that the security is being treated as halted in the PSX platform at the start of the system hours. Please note that securities may be halted in the PSX system for regulatory or operational reasons.

After the start of system hours, NASDAQ OMX will use the Trading Action message to relay changes in trading status for an individual security. Messages will be sent when a stock is:

- Halted
- Released for quotation
- Released for trading

STOCK TRAI				
Name	Offset	Length	Value	Notes
Time Stamp	0	4	Timestamp	Time Stamp
Message Type	4	1	Alphanumeric	"H" = Stock Trading Action Message.
Issue Symbol	5	8	Alphanumeric	Stock symbol right padded with spaces.
Security Class	13	1	Alphanumeric	Indicates the primary listing market for the issue. Allowable values are:
				Code Value
				Q NASDAQ Listed Issue
				N NYSE Listed Issue
				A NYSE Amex Issue
				P NYSE Arca Issue
				Z BATS-Listed Issue
Trading State	g 14 1 Alphanumeri		Alphanumeric	Indicates the current trading state for the stock on the PSX market. Allowable values:
				Code Value
				H Halted/Paused across all U.S. equity markets
				Q Quotation only period for cross-market halt or pause
				T Trading on PSX
Reason	15	4	Alphanumeric	Trading Action reason.

# 5.5.2 Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restricted Indicator

In February 2011, the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) implemented changes to Rule 201 of the Regulation SHO (Reg SHO). For details, please refer to <a href="SEC Release">SEC Release</a> <a href="Number 34-61595">Number 34-61595</a>. In association with the Reg SHO rule change, NASDAQ introduced the following Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restricted Indicator message format.

For NASDAQ-listed issues, NASDAQ supports a full pre-opening spin of Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restricted Indicator messages indicating the Rule 201 status for all active issues. NASDAQ also sends the Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restricted Indicator message in the event of an intraday status change.

For other exchange-listed issues, NASDAQ relays the Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restricted Indicator message when it receives an update from the primary listing exchange.

NASDAQ processes orders based on the most Reg SHO Restriction status value.

REG SHO RESTRICTION							
Name	Offset	Len	Value	Notes			
Timestamp	0	4	Timestamp	Time at which the market participant position message was generated			
Message Type	4	1	"Y"	Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restricted Indicator			
Stock	5	8	Alphanumeric	Stock symbol right padded with spaces.			
Reg SHO Action	13	1	Alphanumeric	Denotes the Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restriction status for the issue at the time of the message dissemination. Allowable values are:			
				"0" = No price test in place "1" = Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restriction in effect due to an intra-day price drop in security			
				"2" = Reg SHO Short Sale Price Test Restriction remains in effect			

### **5.5.3 Stock Directory**

At the start of each trading day, PSX disseminates stock directory messages for all active symbols in the PSX system.

Market data redistributors should process this message to populate the Financial Status Indicator (required display field) and the Market Category (recommended display field) for NASDAQ-listed issues.

STOCK DIRECTORY							
Name	Offse t	Len	Value	Notes			
Timestamp	0	4	Timestamp	Time at which the directory message was generated. Refer to Data Types for field processing notes.			
Message Type	4	1	"R"	Stock Directory Message			
Stock	5	8	Alphanumeric	Denotes the security symbol for the issue in the NASDAQ execution system.			
Market Category	13	1	Alphanumeric	Indicates Listing market or listing market tier for the issue			
				Code Definition			
				NASDAQ-Listed Instruments			
				Q NASDAQ Global Select Market <sup>SM</sup>			
				G NASDAQ Global Market <sup>SM</sup>			
				S NASDAQ Capital Market®			
				Non-NASDAQ-Listed Instruments			
				N New York Stock Exchange (NYSE)			
				A NYSE MKT			
				P NYSE Arca			
				Z BATS Z Exchange			
				<space> Not available</space>			
Financial Status Indicator	tatus		Alphanumeric	For NASDAQ-listed issues, this field indicates when a firm is not in compliance with NASDAQ continued listing requirements.			
				Code Definition			
				NASDAQ-Listed Instruments			
				D Deficient			
				E Delinquent			
				Q Bankrupt			
				S Suspended			

	1	1			,
				G	Deficient and
				I	Bankrupt
				H	Deficient and
				<del>                                   </del>	Delinquent
				J	Delinquent and Bankrupt
				K	Deficient, Delinquent
					and Bankrupt
				С	Creations and/or
					Redemptions
					Suspended for
					Exchange Traded Product
				N	Normal (Default):
				''	Issuer Is NOT
					Deficient, Delinquent,
					or Bankrupt
				Non-NASE	DAQ-Listed Instruments
				<space></space>	Not available. Firms
					should refer to SIAC
					feeds for code if
					needed.
Round Lot	15	4	Integer	Donotos th	e number of shares
Size	13	4	Integer		ent a round lot for the
Size				issue	
Round Lots	19	1	Alphanumeric		NASDAQ system limits
Only				order entry	
				Code	Definition
				Y	NASDAQ OMX system
				'	only accepts round
					lots orders for this
					security.
				N	NASDAQ OMX system
					does not have any
					order size restrictions
					for this security. Odd
					and mixed lot orders are allowed.
Issue	20	1	Alphanumeric	Identifies t	he security class for
Classificati		_			s assigned by NASDAQ.
on				See Appendix for allowable	
				values.	
Issue Sub-	21	2	Alphanumeric		he security sub-type
Туре					e as assigned by
				_	See Appendix for
A t.l	22	4	A limborary	allowable v	
Authenticit	23	1	Alphanumeric		an issue or quoting
У	İ				record is set-up in
1				NIVCDVO ~	ctome in a
				NASDAQ sy	stems in a tion, test, or demo

				should onl	Definition
				T	Live/Production
Short Sale Threshold Indicator	24	1	Alphanumeric	T Test Indicates if a security is subject to mandatory close-out of short sales under SEC Rule 203(b)(3).	
				Code	Definition
				Y	Issue is restricted under SEC Rule 203(b)(3)
				N	Issue is not restricted
				<space< td=""><td>Threshold Indicator not</td></space<>	Threshold Indicator not
				>	available
IPO Flag	25	1	Alphanumeric		f the NASDAQ security
					or IPO release. This
					ended to help NASDAQ
				•	rticipant firms comply
				Code	A Rule 5131(b).  Definition
					-Listed Instruments
				Y Y	NASDAQ listed
				'	instrument is set up
					as a new IPO security
				N	NASDAQ listed
					instrument is not set
					up as a new IPO
					security
				Non-NAS	DAQ-Listed Instruments
				<space></space>	Not available
LULD	26	1	Alphanumeric	Indicates	which Limit Up / Limit
Reference					e band calculation
Price Tier					is to be used for the
				instrumen	
				for details Code	. Definition
				1	Tier 1 NMS Stocks
					and select ETPs
				2	Tier 2 NMS Stocks
				<space></space>	Not applicable
ETP Flag	27	1	Alphanumeric		whether the security is
Lii ilag		_	/ iipiiaiiaiiiciic		ge traded product
				(ETP):	go dada product
				Code	Definition
				Υ	Instrument is an ETP
				N	Instrument is not an

					ETP	
				<space></space>		
ETP Leverage Factor	28	4	Integer	Tracks the integral relationship of the ETP to the underlying index. Example: If the underlying Index increases by a value of 1 and the ETP's Leverage factor is 3, indicates the ETF will increase/decrease (see Inverse) by 3.  Note: Leverage Factor of 1 indicates the ETP is NOT leveraged.		
				This field is used for LULD Tier I		
Inverse Indicator	32	1	Alphanumeric	price band calculation purposes.  Indicates the directional relationship between the ETP and underlying index.		
				Code	Definition	
				Υ	ETP is an Inverse ETP	
				N	ETP is not an Inverse ETP	
				Example: An ETP Leverage Factor of 3 and an Inverse value of 'Y' indicates the ETP will decrease by a value of 3.		

### 5.5.4 Market-Wide Circuit Breaker (MWCB) Messaging

### 5.5.4.1 MWCB Decline Level Message

Informs data recipients what the daily MWCB breach points are set to for the current trading day.

MWCB Decline Level Message						
Name	Offset	Length	Value	Notes		
Timestamp	0	4	Timestamp	Time at which the MWCB Decline Level message was generated		
Message Type	4	1	"V"	Market wide circuit breaker Decline Level Message.		
Level 1	5	8	Price (8)	Denotes the MWCB Level 1 Value.		
Level 2	13	8	Price (8)	Denotes the MWCB Level 2 Value.		

Level 3	21	8	Price (8)	Denotes the MWCB Level 3
				Value.

### 5.5.4.2 MWCB Status Message

Informs data recipients when a MWCB has breached one of the established levels

MWCB Bre	MWCB Breach Message						
Name	Offset	Length	Value	Notes			
Timestam	0	4	Timestamp	Time at which the MWCB Breaker			
р				Status message was generated			
Message	4	1	"W"	Market-Wide Circuit Breaker Status			
Type				message			
Breached Level	5	1	Alphanumeric	Denotes the MWCB Level that was breached.			
				"1" = Level 1 "2" = Level 2 "3" = Level 3			

### **6 Contact Information**

Questions about the PLS entitlement and display guidelines may be directed to NASDAQ OMX Global Data products at +1 301 978 5307 or dataproducts@nasdagomx.com.

Questions about PLS transmissions may be directed to NASDAQ OMX Global Software Development at <a href="mailto:devsupport@nasdagomx.com">devsupport@nasdagomx.com</a>.

#### Appendix A - Last Sale Processing

#### SEC Vendor Display Rule

The Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) has established certain display standards for market data vendors. For more information, please contact the <u>SEC</u> directly.

PLS carries only trade transactions executed on the PSX system. Since PLS is <u>not</u> a consolidated trade data feed, it should not be used to feed market data displays that are subject to the SEC Vendor Display Rule.

#### **Issue Statistic Calculations**

PLS only provides raw trade data from the PSX execution system. If needed, firms should create their own algorithms for issue- and market center-level statistics. To help in the process, PSX offers the following guidelines.

### a) Last Sale and Volume Calculation

Within the market data industry, the term "last sale" has been widely used in conjunction with the SEC Vendor Display Rule. "Last Sale" is typically used to denote the most recent round or mixed lot trade transaction reported by a market center with an eligible sale condition code for the regular U.S. market session. For consolidated PSX displays, firms should use the time stamp field from the Trade Report message to determine the proper trade sequence order for last sale calculations as well as time and sales displays.

To facilitate a "Last Sale" calculation, PLS includes the sale condition modifier for the PSX execution system transactions. The Sale Condition Modifier field consists of four levels. A trade should only be applied to the high, low, last sale, and volume calculations if all four sales condition modifiers so allow.

**Condition – Level 1** denotes the settlement type of the transaction. If a transaction has a special settlement code, firms should not include transaction in high, low, or last sale price calculations. If the transaction has a regular settlement type, firms should process the next levels to determine proper processing.

Code	Value	High/Low	Last Sale	Volume
@	Regular Settlement	Yes, if other levels do not overrule	Yes, if other levels do not overrule	Yes, if other levels do not overrule
С	Cash Settlement	No	No	Yes
N	Next Day Settlement	No	No	Yes
R	Seller Settlement	No	No	Yes

#### Sale Condition - Level 2

For Reg NMS eligible securities, this sale condition level is used to define the trade through reason code. For the PSX trading market, the allowable codes are:

Code	Value	High/Low	Last Sale	Volume
F	Intermarket Sweep Order	Yes	Yes	Yes
<space></space>	Not applicable	See other levels	See other levels	See other levels

For non-Reg NMS securities, this sale condition level is used to identify cross transactions. For the cross eligible securities, the allowable codes are:

Code	Value	High/Low	Last Sale	Volume
0	Opening Print	Yes	Yes	Yes
5	Re-Opening Print	Yes	Yes	Yes
6	Closing Print	Yes	Yes	Yes
<space></space>	1 1			See other levels

**Sale Condition – Level 3** indicates if the transaction was reported during regular market hours with a "sold" code or during the extended trading hours session. Historically, only trades that occur during normal market hours and in proper sequence have been included in the "last sale" calculation.

Code	Value	High/Low	Last Sale	Volume
Т	Extended Hours Trade	No	No	Yes
U	Extended Hours Trade - Reported Late or Out of Sequence	No	No	Yes
L	Sold Last – Reported Late But In Sequence	Yes	Yes	Yes
Z	Sold – Out of Sequence	Yes	No (except if first regular market trade of day)	Yes
<space></space>	Not applicable	See other levels	See other levels	See other levels

### **Sale Condition – Level 4** indicates special trading situations.

For the PSX execution system, this sale condition level is used to denote when a trade record contains the PSX Official Opening Price or PSX Official Closing Price values. Since PSX also reports the underlying cross execution transaction to the

tape, the PSX Opening and Closing report volume should <u>not</u> be included in the daily volume calculation.

For the Cross Trade (X) modifiers, firms should defer to the Level 2 and Level 3 sale condition codes to determine whether to include the trade in the high, low, and last sale calculation statistics.

As outlined in the table below, PSX also observes special processing rules for the Prior Reference Price (P), Weighted Average Price (W), and Odd Lot Execution (o) codes.

Code	Value	High/Low	Last Sale	Volume
А	Acquisition	Yes	Yes	Yes
В	Bunched	Yes	Yes	Yes
D	Distribution	Yes	Yes	Yes
Н	Price Variation Trade	No	No	Yes
М	PSX Official Close Price	Yes for PSX market center only	Yes for PSX market center only	No
0	Odd lot execution	No	No	Yes*
Р	Prior Reference Price	Yes	No (except if first regular market trade of day)	Yes
Q	PSX Official Opening Price	Yes for PSX market center only displays	No	No
S	Split Trade	Yes	Yes	Yes
W	Weighted Average Price	No	No	Yes
X	Cross Trade	Yes (if sent with an eligible Level 2 modifier)	Yes (if sent with an eligible Level 2 modifier)	Yes

Code	Value	High/Low	Last Sale	Volume
X	Odd Lot Cross Trade	No	No	Yes
<space></space>	Not applicable	See other levels	See other levels	See other levels

#### b) Last Trade Calculation

The term "Last Trade" is more widely applied within the market data industry. Many firms use the term "last trade" to refer to the most recent trade transaction reported in sequence. In addition to the "last sale" codes, many firms include odd lots and extended trading hour executions in the "last trade" price calculations.

### c) Net Change Calculation

PLS does <u>not</u> include a net change indicator field. Data feed recipient must perform their own calculation for last sale eligible and last trade eligible transactions. The formula should be as follows:

Net Change for Issue Symbol = Current Trade Price - Adjusted Previous Close Price

To obtain the Adjusted Previous Close, firms will need to apply dividends to the previous day's closing price value. NASDAQ OMX offers several products to support NASDAQ-listed securities:

 For NASDAQ-listed securities, firms may obtain dividend information via the NASDAQ Daily List product page on the NASDAQ OMX Trader website.

For NYSE-, NYSE Amex-, NYSE Arca- and BATS-listed securities, firms should contact the listing exchange directly to inquire about corporate action data delivery options.

Dividend adjustments are typically applied to the closing price on the day prior to exdate and reflected on the ex-date, the next business day. Cash dividends of \$0.01 or greater should be subtracted from the closing price. For stock dividends, the closing price should be divided by the dividend amount.

#### **Appendix B - Stock Symbol Convention**

For NASDAQ-listed issues, NASDAQ OMX currently restricts its symbol length to a maximum of 8 characters. For common stock issuances, NASDAQ, PSX and BX will only assign root symbols of 1 to 4 characters in length with possible fifth and or sixth character denoting a suffix. In certain instances, a dot "." delimiter may be applied to symbols after the root and between the suffix eg., XXXX.A. For subordinate securities, NASDAQ and BX will assign a 5 character symbol for which the last character relays information about the issue class or issue type. For the current list of fifth and or six character symbol suffixes, please refer to Ticker Symbol Convention page on the NASDAQ OMX Trader website.

For NYSE-, NYSE MKT- and NYSE Arca-listed securities with subordinate issue types, please refer to <u>Ticker Symbol Convention</u> page on the NASDAQ OMX Trader website.

### **Appendix C - Trading Action Reason Codes**

For NASDAQ-listed issues, NASDAQ acts as the primary market and has the authority to institute a trading halt or trading pause in an issue due to news dissemination or regulatory reasons.

For CQS issues, NASDAQ, BX and PSX abide by any regulatory trading halts and trading pauses instituted by the primary or listing market as appropriate.

For all issue types, NASDAQ, BX and/or PSX may also halt trading for operational reasons.

NASDAQ, BX and/or PSX will send out a trading action message to inform its market participants when the trading status of an issue changes. For informational purposes, NASDAQ and PSX also attempt to provide the reason for each trading action update. For bandwidth efficiency reasons, NASDAQ, BX and PSX use a 4-byte code for the reason on its outbound data feeds.

REASON CODES FOR TRADING HALT ACTIONS		
Code	Value	
T1	Halt News Pending	
T2	Halt News Disseminated	
T5	Single Security Trading Pause In Affect	
Т6	Regulatory Halt — Extraordinary Market Activity	
Т8	Halt ETF	
T12	Trading Halted; For Information Requested by Listing Market	
H4	Halt Non-Compliance	
H9	Halt Filings Not Current	
H10	Halt SEC Trading Suspension	
H11	Halt Regulatory Concern	
01	Operations Halt; Contact Market Operations	
LUDP	Volatility Trading Pause	
LUDS	Volatility Trading Pause – Straddle Condition	
MWC1	Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt – Level 1	
MWC2	Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt – Level 2	
MWC3	Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt – Level 3	
MWC0	Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt – Carry over from previous day	
IPO1	IPO Issue Not Yet Trading	

M1	Corporate Action
M2	Quotation Not Available
<space></space>	Reason Not Available

REASON CODE	REASON CODES FOR QUOTATION/TRADING RESUMPTION ACTIONS		
Code	Value		
Т3	News and Resumption Times		
T7	Single Security Trading Pause / Quotation Only Period		
R4	Qualifications Issues Reviewed/Resolved; Quotations/Trading to Resume		
R9	Filing Requirements Satisfied/Resolved; Quotations/Trading To Resume		
C3	Issuer News Not Forthcoming; Quotations/Trading To Resume		
C4	Qualifications Halt ended; Maintenance Requirements Met; Resume		
С9	Qualifications Halt Concluded; Filings Met; Quotes/Trades To Resume		
C11	Trade Halt Concluded By Other Regulatory Auth.; Quotes/Trades Resume		
MWCQ	Market Wide Circuit Breaker Resumption		
R1	New Issue Available		
R2	Issue Available		
IPOQ	IPO Security Released for Quotation (NASDAQ OMX Securities)		
IPOE	IPO Security — Positioning Window Extension (NASDAQ OMX Securities)		
<space></space>	Reason Not Available		

For the current list of regulatory halts, please refer to the  $\underline{\text{Trading Halts page}}$  on the NASDAQ OMX Trader website.

### **Appendix D -** Issue Classification Values

Identifies the security class for the issue as assigned by NASDAQ

CODES FOR ISSUE CLASSIFICATION VALUES		
Code	Value	
Α	American Depositary Share	
В	Bond	
С	Common Stock	
F	Depository Receipt	
I	144A	
L	Limited Partnership	
N	Notes	
0	Ordinary Share	
Р	Preferred Stock	
Q	Other Securities	
R	Right	
S	Shares of Beneficial Interest	
Т	Convertible Debenture	
U	Unit	
V	Units/Benif Int	
W	Warrant	

### **Appendix E -** Issue Sub-Type Values

CODES FOR ISSUE CLASSIFICATION VALUES		
Code	Value	
Α	Preferred Trust Securities	
Al	Alpha Index ETNs	
В	Index Based Derivative	
С	Common Shares	
СВ	Commodity Based Trust Shares	
CF	Commodity Futures Trust Shares	
CL	Commodity-Linked Securities	
CM	Commodity Index Trust Shares	
СО	Collateralized Mortgage Obligation	
СТ	Currency Trust Shares	
CU	Commodity-Currency-Linked Securities	
CW	Currency Warrants	
D	Global Depositary Shares	
E	ETF-Portfolio Depositary Receipt	
EG	Equity Gold Shares	
EI	ETN-Equity Index-Linked Securities	
EN	Exchange Traded Notes	
EU	Equity Units	
F	HOLDRS	
FI	ETN-Fixed Income-Linked Securities	
FL	ETN-Futures-Linked Securities	
G	Global Shares	
1	ETF-Index Fund Shares	
IR	Interest Rate	
IW	Index Warrant	
IX	Index-Linked Exchangeable Notes	
J	Corporate Backed Trust Security	
L	Contingent Litigation Right	
LL	Identifies securities of companies that are set up as a Limited Liability	
	Company (LLC)	
M	Equity-Based Derivative	
MF	Managed Fund Shares	
ML	ETN-Multi-Factor Index-Linked Securities	
MT	Managed Trust Securities	
N	NY Registry Shares	
0	Open Ended Mutual Fund	
Р	Privately Held Security	
PP	Poison Pill	
PU	Partnership Units	
Q	Closed-End Funds	
R	Reg-S	
RC	Commodity-Redeemable Commodity-Linked Securities	

RF	ETN-Redeemable Futures-Linked Securities
RT	REIT
RU	Commodity-Redeemable Currency-Linked Securities
S	SEED
SC	Spot Rate Closing
SI	Spot Rate Intraday
Т	Tracking Stock
TC	Trust Certificates
TU	Trust Units
U	Portal
V	Contingent Value Right
W	Trust Issued Receipts
WC	World Currency Option
Х	Trust
Υ	Other
Z	Not Applicable

#### Appendix F - Documentation Version Control Log

#### December 5, 2014: PLS Version 2.00

The PLS Specification was updated to include missing Issue Sub-Type Codes (Appendix E):

- AI Alpha Indexes ETNs
- CO Collateralized Mortgage Obligation
- EU Equity Units
- F HOLDRS
- IR Interest Rate
- IW Index Warrant
- J Corporate Backed Trust Security
- PP Poison Pill
- Q Closed -End Funds
- RT REIT
- SC Spot Rate Closing
- SI Spot Rate Intraday
- WC World Currency Option
- X Trust
- Y Other
- Z N/A

#### October 1, 2013: PLS Version 2.00

The PLS Specification was updated to reflect the following changes:

Conversion to a binary format

### August 2, 2013: PLS Version 2.00

The PLS Specification was updated to reflect the following changes:

- Removed internal tracking number from multiple messages
- Inclusion of the Appendices for Issue Classification and Issue Sub-Type
- Updated offsets in the Symbol Directory Message
- Updated offsets and lengths in the MWCB Decline Level Message

#### July 10, 2013: PLS Version 2.00

The PLS Specification was updated to reflect the following changes:

- Added Enhanced Symbol Directory
- Added Market-Wide Circuit Breaker (MWCB) Messaging
  - MWCB Decline Level Message
  - MWCB Status Message
- · Addition of an internal tracking number to multiple messages
- Addition of 'C' to the Financial Status Indicator field in the Symbol Directory Message
- Addition of 'x' Sale Condition Level 4

#### April 23, 2013: PLS Version 1.1

NASDAQ OMX added the following Event Codes in the System Event Message:

- S Start of System Hours: This message indicates that NASDAQ is open and ready to start accepting orders.
- E End of System Hours: Indicates that NASDAQ is now closed and will not accept any new orders today.

#### March 11, 2013: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

NASDAQ OMX added the following Trading Action Reason Code for LULD to reflect when the National Best Bid is below the lower price band and/or the National Best Offer is above than the upper price band and the NMS Stock is not in a Limit State.

• LUDS - Volatility Trading Pause - Straddle Condition

#### January 9, 2013: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

NASDAQ OMX added the following Trading Action Reason Code:

• MWC0 - Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt - Carry over from previous day

#### January 8, 2013: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

Released a new version of the PLS documentation to support the following changes:

- NASDAQ OMX removed the Trading Action State, "P", from the Stock Trading Message.
- Corrected the specifications of the Stock Trading Action message.

#### November 6, 2012: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

Released a new version of the PLS documentation to support the following changes:

- Added the "P" value to the Trading State in the Stock Trading Message.
- Modified the values for the Trading Action Reason Codes. Added the following codes:
  - LUDP Volatility Trading Pause
  - o MWC1 Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt Level 1
  - o MWC2 Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt Level 2
  - MWC3 Market Wide Circuit Breaker Halt Level 3
  - o MWCQ Market Wide Circuit Breaker Resumption

#### November 1, 2011: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

NASDAQ OMX added a new Market Center code, "Z", for BATS-listed securities to the Market Category and Security Class fields.

#### July 14, 2010: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

NASDAQ OMX added a new Regulation SHO Short Sale Price Test Restricted Indicator message format to be introduced in the fourth quarter of 2010.

#### July 2, 2010: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

NASDAQ OMX added new Action Trading code(s) to the Stock Trading Action message for the NASDAQ Volatility Guard trading pause.

#### May 25, 2010: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

Inclusion of two new Trading Action Reason code values (T5 and T7) for single security trading pause situations

#### February 26, 2010: PSX Last Sale (PLS) 1.1

Initial release of PSX documentation.

(Note: For cross market consistency, PSX is using the same version numbers as the NASDAQ and BX markets. There will be no PLS 1.0.)