

# **European-Style Cash-Settled Options**

MEFF is the **first market in Europe** to introduce European-style cash-settled options, a groundbreaking innovation that enhances **efficiency**, **flexibility**, **and accessibility** in the derivatives market.

# Leaders in establishing a New Standard for Options Trading on Stocks

Since March 3, 2025, MEFF has become the first market to list this standardized product, which offers a new way to trade equity options with reduced capital requirements and no early exercise risk, setting a benchmark in the European financial landscape.

These options are initially available for Banco Santander, Banco Sabadell, BBVA, Endesa, Iberdrola, Inditex, Repsol and Telefónica, providing institutional and retail investors with a powerful tool for strategic trading.

# **Key Benefits Benefits for Traders**

### > No early exercise risk

Execute strategies with precision, without the possibility of early exercise.

#### Cash settlement model

No need to own the underlying asset, reducing capital exposure.

# Higher market efficiency

Enhanced liquidity and seamless access to trade popular Spanish equities.

## **Benefits for Investors**

### Optimized capital allocation

Lower capital requirements for more flexible portfolio management.

#### > Regulated and transparent market

Trade within a standardized, fully regulated framework.

# → Accesible on MEFF's trading system

Available via MEFF's order book and prearranged trades ensuring optimal market access.

# Accessible and Efficient Trading for All Investors

Whether you are an institutional investor looking for strategic portfolio solutions or a trader seeking efficient and flexible options, MEFF's European-style cash-settled Options provide a new way to trade with confidence.

Get in touch with our expert and learn how these options can enhance your trading strategy.

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#### **About MEFF**

MEFF is the leading derivatives exchange for Spanish underlyings, committed to providing innovative and efficient trading solutions for both domestic and international markets. As part of BME Group, MEFF offers a wide range of products, including futures and options on equities and indices, and works to promote market liquidity, transparency, and investor protection. With a strong focus on technological advancement and regulatory compliance, MEFF collaborates closely with market participants and regulators to create a robust and future-proof trading environment.

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