

Global Financial Trading Solutions



Combine a reliable low-latency trading network, leading edge financial technology solutions and expert managed services to facilitate electronic trading across the globe.

What is Global Financial Trading Solutions?

The foundation of Telstra's Global Financial Trading Solutions, is a low-latency Ethernet Private Line Network linking global financial hubs and providing low round trip delay, so you can execute trades faster. From our portfolio of four key services, you can build a complete trading solution that best suits your business requirements. Meanwhile, our global approach to service management and reporting gives you a simple and efficient way to manage all your trading technology.

Benefits

Improved regulatory compliance

Telstra provides you with the high performance servers, storage and network capability needed for data capture, sharing, processing and archiving. This allows for real-time risk management and helps you comply with regulatory requirements relating to trading transactions.

Capitalise on arbitrage opportunities

Reduce trading time and risks by co-locating your core trading infrastructure inside the exchange or at high density data centres, connected via our low latency networks. With lower trading times and faster access to market data, you can capitalise on arbitrage opportunities.

Focus on revenue generation

Delivered as an end-to-end service through a single technology provider, Telstra's Global Financial Trading Solutions helps reduce IT complexity and allows you to focus on your trading strategies.

Support your business growth in key emerging markets

Asia Pacific is a major growth area for high frequency algorithm trading, and is a region where Telstra has been operating for 30 years. With our local expertise and infrastructure, Telstra can support your Asia Pacific expansion and help you gain access to new pools of liquidity and trading partners in a flexible, scalable and secure manner.

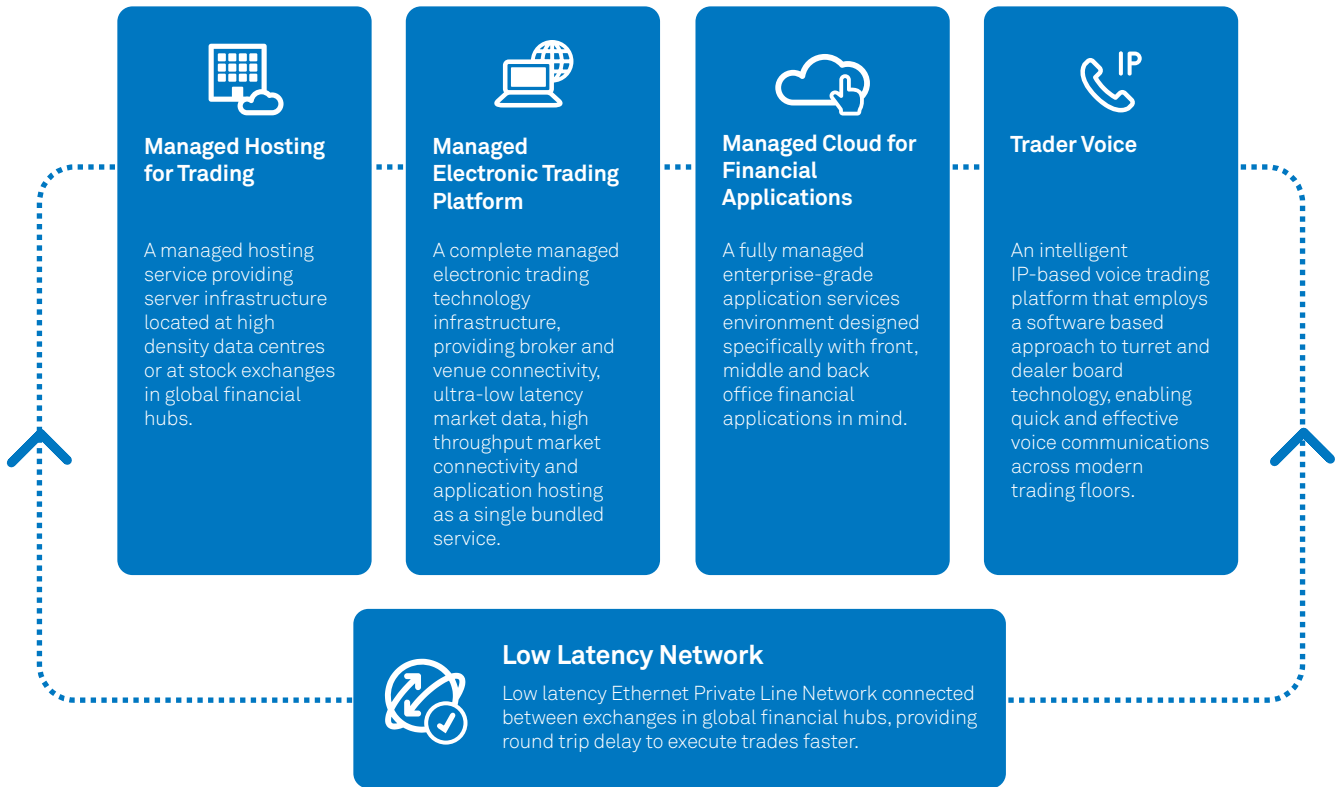
Agility at a known cost

An OPEX-based service model allows you to move the underlying technology and personnel costs away from your balance sheet. This helps to lower your total costs of ownership and frees up capital for other areas of your business. With the right infrastructure employed from the outset, supported by experienced finance-specific technology experts, your projects will be delivered faster and better.

Peace of mind

Delivered by experienced financial services specialists who understand how your organisation operates, you can be confident that the technology behind your business is expertly managed. Global support is provided 24/7, 365 days a year with performance levels governed by service level agreements.

Highly customisable. Flexible. Scalable. Delivered on demand. Service management.



Features

Business Continuity & Disaster Recovery

- Fully redundant connectivity – duplication of physical components across locations and resilient links between locations
- Data centers and services run live-live.

Data Security

- Intraday snapshots with data backed up to tape daily/weekly/monthly and tapes moved to secure offsite location periodically
- IPS, IDS and network firewalling to prevent unauthorised access.

Global Support

- 24 x 7 support desk provides expert assistance whenever you need it
- Dedicated support and operations staff to sustain network, engineering and market data.

Trading Infrastructure

- Provisioning and management of trading application infrastructure services, such as client onboarding, feed handlers and execution gateways
- Allows for high flexibility and rapid scaling to support growth and new requirements.

Market Access & Market Data

- Provisioning and management of exchange and counterplay order routing
- Receive market data direct or through your preferred feed handler.

Low Latency Connectivity

- Choice of bandwidth levels allows you to select speeds to best match your business requirements
- Enjoy peace of mind with service availability and speeds governed by SLAs .

Global VoIP

- High level of voice quality and reliable call completion provided across a secure private network
- Enterprise call features help increase productivity for a distributed workforce.

Tele/Video Conferencing

- Enjoy real-time communications without the need for travel
- 'In-the-same-room' experience allows for closer collaboration
- Richer information sharing capabilities makes meetings more interactive and productive.