

# CQG Spreader System Specifications

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CQG Spreader is a tool for spread traders needing sophisticated order management and ultra-low latency trade execution. Customers can easily create, trade, and manage multi-legged, intermarket, intramarket, and cross-exchange spreads as well as effectively manage incomplete spread orders. With CQG Spreader, traders can manage spreads across accounts and asset classes.

## Recommended Specifications

- **Operating System:** Windows® 7, Windows Vista, or Windows XP. Windows 2000 is not supported.
- **Processor:** Intel® Xeon® processor W5500 series or Intel Core™ i5 or i7.
- **Memory:** 4GB RAM. 6GB or better for Vista or Windows 7 (64-bit operating system).
- **Hard Drive:** 320GB Performance RAID 0 (2 x 160GB WD Raptor SATA 1.5GB/s 10,000 RPM HDDs with 6GB-10GB of free hard drive space. 30%-40% of free disk space is advisable for overall system performance. Solid-state drive (SSD) is encouraged.
- **Video Card:** 256Mb recommended with 128Mb per port supporting DirectX version 9.x or higher.

## System Setting Requirements

Hibernate and stand by modes cannot be used with CQG Spreader. Hard drive power-saving features should also be disabled.

## Internet Access

CQG Spreader requires Internet service via a high-speed connection, such as DSL, cable, or fixed wireless/wireless local loop (WLL). Wireless Internet connections are not recommended, especially broadband over a WiFi card. Dial-up is not supported.

## Monitor Setups

These specifications are appropriate for single and dual monitor setups. If you have three or four monitors, you will need a higher performance processor and video card.

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