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FINISS Monitoring Optionen

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1. Overview

Since 2005 FINISS provide a service to download financial market data automatically into SAP over the internet via a SAP job (TBD4).

Most of these rates are „business critical“ and must be uploaded on a daily basis, a failure of these downloads can have serious impacts on the workflow in SAP and wrong financial data including a data gap in Your tables.

The FINISS infrastructure is monitored and supported by the FINISS support team, they also check if the source of the rates (National Banks, Data Provider like Refinitiv, Bloomberg, FastMarkets, Platts etc.) is reachable and deliver rates.

FINISS can **NOT** check if the rates are up-to-date (updated on the same day), we process the rates **“as is”** and deliver the date stamp provided by the source.

There can be different reasons why rates are not updated on a specific day by the source:

- bank holiday in a country
- rates were delayed by the source / late published
- a financial instrument was not traded at this specific day
- a financial instrument exceeded / does not exist anymore
- a RIC/FIGI was changed or deleted
- a currency code has changed
- problems on a data provider system or a website of a National Bank

The downloads are started from the clients SAP system (download the rates from the FINISS server), the client is responsible if these downloads were successful.

If a download failed (client infrastructure or internet problems), the download must be started again.

With our new Monitoring System we are able to help the client to detect missing downloads or old (not updated) rates, this will help to avoid data gaps in your system!

2. FINISS Basis Monitoring

The Basic Monitoring check the data of the main client portfolio if the date stamp is the actual day. If the stamp is not ok (older date) an email is sent to up to 5 client contacts.

We also check if we can see a download from the client login for the actual day in our access logs. If there is no entry it means that no rates were loaded in the client's SAP system. This download is under the responsibility of the client, if there are no downloads there will be gaps in the data history.

The reason for this can be

- Internet problems
- client IT infrastructure (Firewall problems, Proxy problems etc.)

In this case the FINISS Monitoring System will send an E-Mail (from root@finiss.com) up to 5 client contacts:

Von Mir <root@finiss.com> ☆
Betreff **FINISS Download Alert - kein Download von [REDACTED] am 2020-10-04**
Kopie (CC) Mich <tsteinebach@finiss.com> ★

Portfolios für Login [REDACTED] wurden am 2020-10-04 NICHT vom FINISS Server geladen

3. FINISS Data Monitoring

The FINISS Data Monitoring is an add on to the Basic Monitoring, it checks the content of the portfolios! There are 2 different checks:

- Check of Fixed Content Packages (e.g. BOI Paket, RUB Paket etc)
- Check of Portfolios with Refinitiv or Bloomberg rates

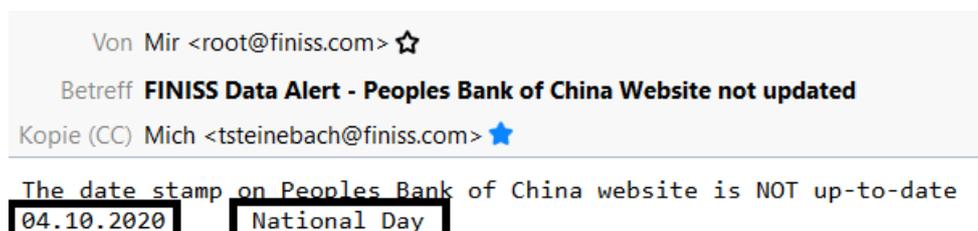
Check of Fixed Content Packages:

The Fixed Content Packages Fixings deliver fixing rates from different National or Central Banks. These Banks publish the rates on their own internet sites, FINISS download the rates and format them into a SAP readable format.

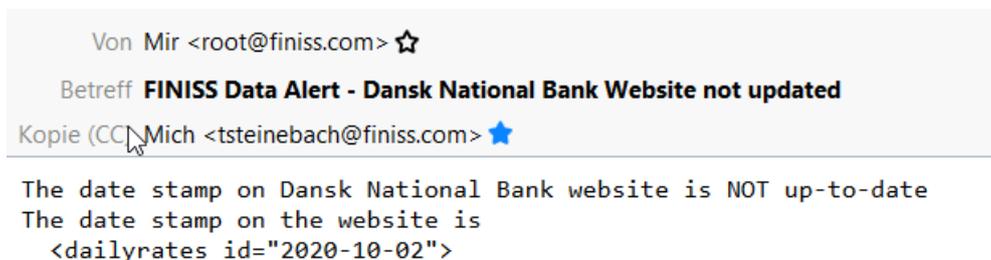
The Data Monitoring checks each client portfolio if the rates are up-to-date, if the date stamp is not ok (older date) an email is send to up to 5 client contacts.

There are 3 checks for each portfolio:

1. Check the date on the internet site of the publisher (National Bank), if the date is not ok we check if there is a public holiday in this country. In this case we send the following email:



if the date stamp is not ok (no holiday), the email looks like this:



- Next check is the date stamp in the client portfolio. If it is not up-to-date (public holiday or technical problems at the source or FINISS) we send an email with a list of the outdated instruments:

Von Mir <root@finiss.com> ☆
Betreff **FINISS Data Alert for [REDACTED] Portfolio POBC_CNY_FIXING**
Kopie (CC) Mich <tsteinebach@finiss.com> ★

The CNY reference rates are NOT up-to-date

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- The last check controls if the portfolio is empty (due to a changed internet site or a technical problem), if the portfolio is empty we send the following email:

Von Mir <root@finiss.com> ☆
Betreff **Portfolio [REDACTED] for Login [REDACTED] is empty**
Kopie (CC) Mich <tsteinebach@finiss.com> ★

Portfolio [REDACTED] is empty

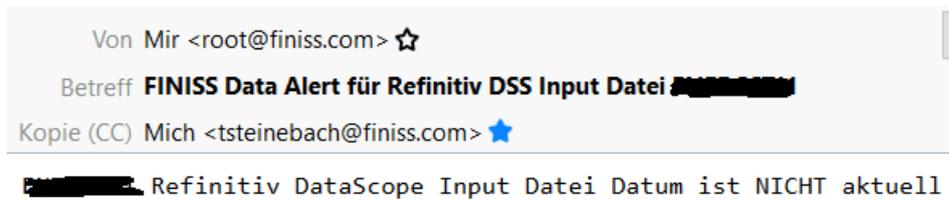
All emails are also sent to the FINISS Support Team, if there is a technical problem they will contact the client!

Check of Portfolios with Refinitiv or Bloomberg rates

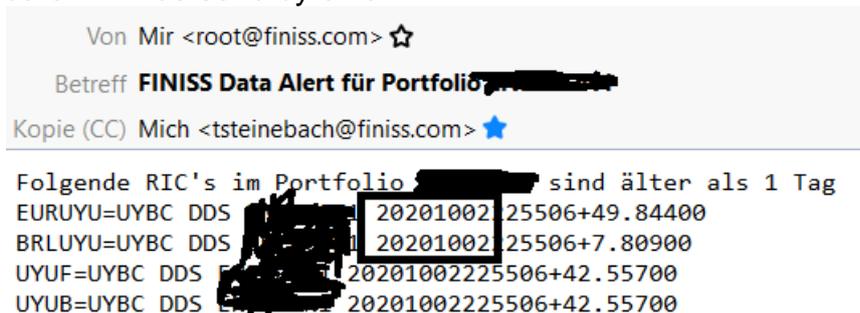
These Checks monitor the date stamps inside a portfolio. For these source the date stamps for all included instruments (RIC's, FIGI's oder TICKER) will be checked if it is equal to the current date (updated today).

There are 3 checks for each portfolio:

1. Check if the date stamp of the input file (e.g. from Refinitiv DataScope Select) is actual, if not the following email is send:



2. Check off he date stamp for each instrument inside this portfolio. If an onstrument is not up-to-date it will be send by email:



We can change the check to only report instruments which are older than 2 or 3 days (for instruments which are not updated daily. We also can add instruments to a blacklist, these instruments will be ignored in the check!

