

Media Release

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ANZ launches online corporate banking solution in Vietnam

ANZ today announced the official launch of ANZ Transactive, an online corporate banking platform, in Vietnam offering clients a fast, convenient and secure cash management service through advanced payments, collections and liquidity management services.

ANZ Transactive helps significantly reduce transaction processing time, and the multichannel functionality allows access either through iPad, laptops or desktops, therefore helping clients act on their business decisions on a timely basis. Vietnam is the third market in Asia where ANZ is launching its Asia Pacific regional platform.

Tareq Muhmood, ANZ CEO Vietnam said: "ANZ Transactive further strengthens our capability to support clients with increasing straight-through processing and cross-border transaction needs. This new tool will help our clients better manage their liquidity and cashflow, save time and management cost, enhance risk management, optimise return on funds and make informed business decisions."

"Vietnam is an important, high-growth market for ANZ and our continued investment in technology and improved platforms demonstrates our strong commitment in this market," Mr Muhmood added.

In Asia, transaction volumes have multiplied by 100 since ANZ Transactive was first launched in Hong Kong and Singapore in December 2011 and the number of clients using the platform has increased 50-fold. In Vietnam, the transaction volumes show a 37% growth year-on-year in the first six months of 2013.

ANZ was among the first international banks to operate in Vietnam, establishing its first office in 1993. ANZ has 10 branches and transaction points in Vietnam offering a full range of services including Retail Banking, Commercial Banking for small, medium and emerging businesses, as well as Institutional Banking.

In 2013, ANZ was named the "Best Retail bank in Vietnam" by *The Asian Banker* magazine. In 2012, ANZ was voted "The Best International Trade Bank in Vietnam" by *Trade Finance* magazine, the second year running and was ranked "Best Foreign FX Provider" and the "Best Fixed Income Bank" in Vietnam by *Asiamoney* magazine.

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