



## **Markit joins RIXML.org as an Associate Member**

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RIXML.org, a consortium of buy-side, sell-side and vendor firms committed to the development and implementation of the first open standard for investment research, is pleased to announce that **Markit**, a leading global financial information services company, has joined RIXML.org as an Associate member.

“RIXML.org welcomes Markit as an associate member,” said Jack Roehrig, Executive Director, RIXML.org. “They bring a great deal of expertise to our organization and have established themselves as a significant player in the Fixed Income Research delivery space.”

As an Associate Member, Markit will add much value through direct participation in RIXML Technology working groups, with their fellow associate and steering members, to help develop future releases of the schema.

### **About RIXML.org**

RIXML.org is a consortium of buy-side, sell-side and vendor firms that was formed to define an open standard to improve the process of categorizing, aggregating, comparing, sorting and distributing global investment and financial research. For more information about the RIXML specification and RIXML.org, please visit the website at [www.rixml.org](http://www.rixml.org).

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