Against a backdrop of difficult market conditions, Compagnie Financière Tradition reported first-half consolidated turnover of **CHF 743.6 million**, down 5.7% at current exchange rates from CHF 788.3 million a year ago. At **constant exchange rates**, consolidated turnover was down slightly by **1.7%**.

In the second quarter, consolidated turnover was **CHF 364.7 million**, down 6.8% from the same quarter last year or 3.4% at constant exchange rates.

The United Kingdom, and North and South America are still the Group’s major revenue generators, contributing 35.0% and 30.7% of turnover respectively, against 34.3% and 35.0% in 2008. Asia accounted for 22.8% of turnover during the period (H1 2008: 21.0%), and continental Europe for 11.5% (H1 2008: 9.7%).

**With a presence in 27 countries, Compagnie Financière Tradition is a leading interdealer broker (IDB) in the international market. The Group provides broking services for a complete range of financial products (money market products, bonds, interest rate, currency and credit derivatives, equities, equity derivatives, interest rate futures and index futures) and non-financial products (precious metals, and energy and environmental products).**

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