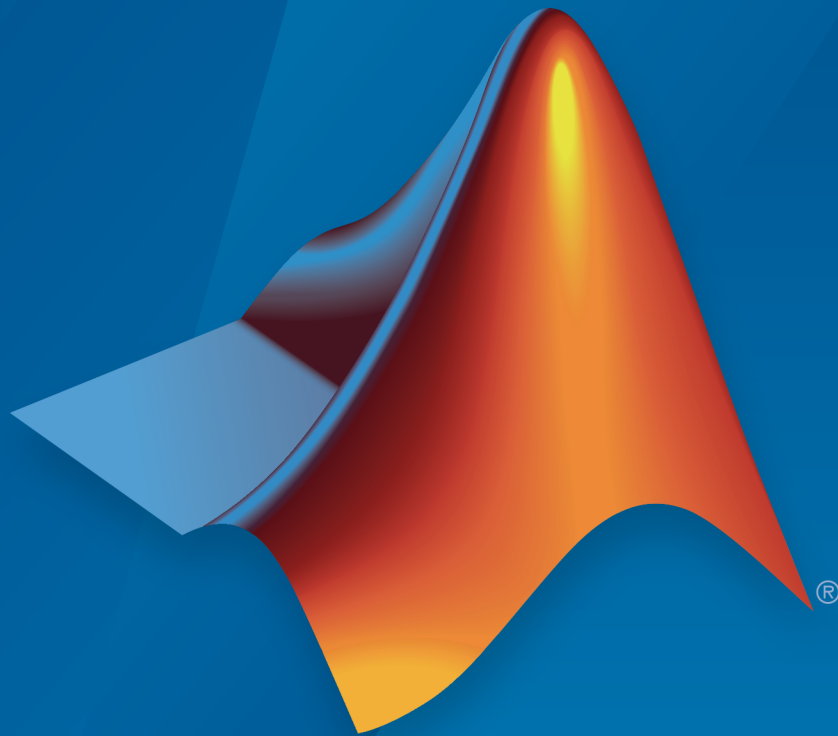


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Trading Toolbox Product Description

Access prices, analyze transaction costs, and send orders to trading systems

Trading Toolbox provides functions for analyzing transaction costs, accessing trade and quote pricing data, defining order types, and sending orders to financial trading markets. The toolbox lets you integrate streaming and event-based data into MATLAB[®], enabling you to develop financial trading strategies and algorithms that analyze and react to the market in real time. You can build algorithmic or automated trading strategies that work across multiple asset classes, instrument types, and trading markets while integrating with industry-standard or proprietary trade execution platforms.

With Trading Toolbox you can analyze and estimate transaction costs before placing an order, as well as attribute costs post-trade. You can analyze transaction costs associated with market impact, timing, liquidity, and price appreciation, and use cost curves to minimize transaction costs for single assets or for a portfolio of assets.

Trading Toolbox lets you access real-time streams of tradable instrument data, including quotes, volumes, trades, market depth, and instrument metadata. You can define order types and specify order routing and filling procedures.

Key Features

- Market impact modeling and cost curve generation using Kissell Research Group models
- Trading cost, sensitivity, and post-trade execution analysis
- Access to current, intraday, event-based, and real-time tradable instrument data
- Data filtering by instrument and exchange
- Definable order types and execution instructions
- Access to FIX-compliant trading systems using FIX Flyer[™] Engine
- Support for Bloomberg[®] EMSX, Trading Technologies[®] X_TRADER[®], CQG[®] Integrated Client, and Interactive Brokers[®] TWS

Installation

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Bloomberg

To install Bloomberg EMSX from Bloomberg L.P., find the latest installation files at <http://www.bloomberg.com>. You need a Bloomberg license to install and run Bloomberg EMSX.

CQG

To install CQG, find the latest installation files at <http://www.cqg.com>. You need a CQG license to install and run CQG.

The Trading Toolbox no longer supports connection using a 32-bit version of MATLAB. To configure CQG to work with a 64-bit version of MATLAB, see <http://www.mathworks.com/matlabcentral/answers/223461-how-can-i-set-up-a-cqg-connection-using-the-trading-toolbox-with-64-bit-version-of-matlab>.

FIX Flyer

To install FIX Flyer, find the latest installation files at the FIX Flyer Download Portal. You need a FIX Flyer license to install and run FIX Flyer.

Interactive Brokers

- 1 Download and install the IB Trader WorkstationSM Desktop Trading Client. Find the latest installation files at <https://www.interactivebrokers.com/en/index.php?f=552>.
- 2 Download and install the Interactive Brokers API software. Find the latest installation files at <http://interactivebrokers.github.io/>.

- 3 Configure IB Trader Workstation to enable connections. Follow these steps in IB Trader Workstation:
 - a Select **File > Global Configuration** under **Application Settings**.
 - b Select **API > Settings** on the left side.
 - c Select **Enable ActiveX and Socket Clients** on the right side.
 - d Click **Apply**, then **OK**.
 - e Restart MATLAB and connect to IB Trader Workstation.

You need an Interactive Brokers license to install and run Interactive Brokers.

Trading Technologies

To install Trading Technologies, find the latest installation files at <http://www.tradingtechnologies.com>. You need a Trading Technologies license to install and run Trading Technologies.

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Supported Providers

This toolbox supports connections to financial trading systems provided by the following corporations:

- Bloomberg EMSX from Bloomberg L.P. (<http://www.bloomberg.com>)

Note: Only the Bloomberg Desktop API is supported.

- CQG (<http://www.cqg.com>)
- FIX Flyer (<http://www.fixflyer.com/>)
- IB Trader Workstation from Interactive Brokers (<http://www.interactivebrokers.com>)

Note: IB Trader Workstation versions 9.69 and 9.7 and later are supported.

- X_TRADER from Trading Technologies (<http://www.tradingtechnologies.com>)

See the MathWorks® website for the system requirements for connecting to these trading systems.

Connection Requirements

To connect to these trading systems, additional requirements apply. The following data service providers require you to install proprietary software on your PC:

- Bloomberg EMSX

Note: You need the Bloomberg Desktop software license for the host on which Trading Toolbox and MATLAB software are running.

- CQG

- FIX Flyer
- Interactive Brokers IB Trader Workstation
- Trading Technologies X_TRADER

You must have a valid license for required client software on your machine.

For more information about how to obtain required software, contact your trading system sales representative.

Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation

This example shows how to connect to the IB Trader Workstation, retrieve historical data, create a market order, and specify a different instrument.

Run the IB Trader Workstation Application

Ensure the IB Trader Workstation application is running, and that API connections are enabled. Follow these steps in IB Trader Workstation.

- 1 To open the Trader Workstation Configuration (Simulated Trading) dialog box, select **File > Global Configuration**.
- 2 Select **API > Settings**.
- 3 Ensure that the **Enable ActiveX and Socket Clients** check box is selected.

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation.

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation and create connection `ib` using the local host and default port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

When the `Accept incoming connection attempt` message appears in the IB Trader Workstation, click **Yes**.

Retrieve Historical and Current Data

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. This object denotes the security. Here, retrieve data for Microsoft® MSFT stock. Specifying **SMART** as the exchange lets Interactive Brokers determine which venue to use for data retrieval. To clarify any ambiguity, set the primary exchange for the destination **NASDAQ**. To retrieve dollar-denominated stock, set the currency type to **USD**. Setting currency type is useful when stocks are dual-listed or multi-listed across different jurisdictions.

```
ibContract = ib.Handle.createContract;  
ibContract.symbol = 'MSFT';  
ibContract.secType = 'STK';  
ibContract.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibContract.primaryExchange = 'NASDAQ';  
ibContract.currency = 'USD';
```

Define the period for which you need data, for example, the last 20 business days, excluding today.

```
bizDayConvention = 13; % i.e. BUS/252
startDate = daysadd(today,-20,bizDayConvention);
endDate = daysadd(today,-1, bizDayConvention);
```

This code uses the `daysadd` function from Financial Toolbox™ to compute the appropriate start and end dates.

Retrieve historical data for the last 20 business days.

```
histTradeData = history(ib,ibContract,startDate,endDate);
```

Note: The `history` function accepts additional parameters that let you obtain other historical data such as option-implied volatility, historical volatility, bid prices, ask prices, or midpoints. If you do not specify anything, the default data returned are last traded prices.

Retrieve current price data from the contract.

```
currentData = getdata(ib,ibContract)
```

```
currentData =
```

```
LAST_PRICE: 34.93
LAST_SIZE: 1
VOLUME: 66113
BID_PRICE: 34.92
BID_SIZE: 157
ASK_PRICE: 34.93
ASK_SIZE: 129
```

Create a Trade Market Order

The IB Trader Workstation supports various order types, including basic types such as limit orders, stop orders, and market orders. For this example, set up a stock contract for Microsoft stock. After setting the order type as `MKT`, then specify the action, in this case `BUY`, and the total quantity to trade.

```
ibMktOrder = ib.Handle.createOrder;
ibMktOrder.action = 'BUY';
ibMktOrder.totalQuantity = 100;
ibMktOrder.orderType = 'MKT';
```

Set a unique order identifier, and send the orders to Interactive Brokers.

```

id = orderid(ib);

result = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibMktOrder,id)

result =

        STATUS: 'Filled'
        FILLED: 100
        REMAINING: 0
    AVG_FILL_PRICE: 34.93
        PERM_ID: '456471585'
        PARENT_ID: 0
    LAST_FILL_PRICE: 34.93
        CLIENT_ID: 0
        WHY_HELD: ''

```

Specify a Different Instrument

You can trade various instruments using the IB Trader Workstation API, including equities, futures, options, futures options, and foreign currencies. Here, use the E-mini Standard and Poor's 500 futures contract on the CME Globex with a December 2013 expiry. Specify the symbol as ES, the security type as a futures contract FUT, the expiry in a YYYYMM date format, the exchange as GLOBEX, and the currency as USD.

```

ibFutures = ib.Handle.createContract;
ibFutures.symbol = 'ES';
ibFutures.secType = 'FUT';
ibFutures.expiry = '201312'; % Dec 2013
ibFutures.exchange = 'GLOBEX';
ibFutures.currency = 'USD';

```

Close the Connection

After retrieving data and sending orders, close the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`.

```
close(ib)
```

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtws`

Related Examples

- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

More About

- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6

External Websites

- <http://www.interactivebrokers.com/en/software/api/api.htm>

Create an Order Using CQG

This example shows how to connect to CQG and create a market order.

Connect to CQG.

```
c = cqg;
```

Establish event handlers.

Start the CQG session. Set up event handlers for instrument subscription, orders, and associated events.

```
startUp(c)

streamEventNames = {'InstrumentSubscribed',...
                    'InstrumentChanged', 'IncorrectSymbol'};
for i = 1:length(streamEventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle, {streamEventNames{i},...
                          @(varargin)cqgrealtimeeventhandler(varargin{:})})
end

orderEventNames = {'AccountChanged', 'OrderChanged', 'AllOrdersCanceled'};
for i = 1:length(orderEventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle, {orderEventNames{i},...
                          @(varargin)cqgordereventhandler(varargin{:})})
end
```

Subscribe to the instrument.

Subscribe to a security tied to the EURIBOR.

```
realtime(c, 'F.US.IE')
pause(2)
```

Create the CQGInstrument object.

To use the instrument for creating an order, import the instrument name `cqgInstrumentName` into the current MATLAB workspace. Then, create the `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`.

```
cqgInstrumentName = evalin('base', 'cqgInstrument');
cqgInst = c.Handle.Instruments.Item(cqgInstrumentName);
```

Set up account credentials.

Set the CQG flags to enable account information retrieval.

```
c.Handle.set('AccountSubscriptionLevel','aslNone');  
c.Handle.set('AccountSubscriptionLevel','aslAccountUpdatesAndOrders');  
pause(2)  
accountHandle = c.Handle.Accounts.ItemByIndex(0);
```

Create the market order.

Create a market order that buys one share of the subscribed security `cqgInst` using the account credentials `accountHandle`.

```
orderType = 1; % Market order flag  
quantity = 1; % Positive quantity is Buy, negative is Sell  
oMarket = createOrder(c,cqgInst,orderType,accountHandle,quantity);  
oMarket.Place
```

Close the connection.

```
close(c)
```

See Also

[close](#) | [cqg](#) | [createOrder](#) | [realtime](#) | [startUp](#)

Related Examples

- “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45
- “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50
- “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8

External Websites

- CQG API Reference Guide

Create an Order Using Bloomberg EMSX

This example shows how to connect to Bloomberg EMSX and create and route a market order.

For details about connecting to Bloomberg EMSX and creating orders, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide*.

Connect to Bloomberg EMSX

- 1 If you are using `emsx` for the first time, you need to install a Java[®] archive file from Bloomberg for `emsx` and other Bloomberg commands to work correctly.

If you already have `blpapi3.jar` downloaded from Bloomberg, you can find it in your Bloomberg folders at `..\blp\api\APIv3\JavaAPI\lib\blpapi3.jar` or `..\blp\api\APIv3\JavaAPI\v3.x\lib\blpapi3.jar`. If you have `blpapi3.jar`, go to step 3.

If `blpapi3.jar` is not downloaded from Bloomberg, then download it as follows:

- a In your Bloomberg terminal, type `WAPI {GO}` to open the API Developer's Help Site screen.
- b Click API Download Center, then click Desktop API.
- c After downloading `blpapi3.jar` on your system, add it to the MATLAB Java class path using `javaaddpath`.

You need to do this for every session of MATLAB. To avoid repeating this at every session, add `javaaddpath` to your `startup.m` file or add the full path for `blpapi3.jar` to your `javaclasspath.txt` file. For details about `javaclasspath.txt`, see "Java Class Path". For details about editing your `startup.m` file, see "Startup Options in MATLAB Startup File".

- 2 Connect to the Bloomberg EMSX test service.

```
c = emsx('://blp/emapisvc_beta')
```

```
c =
```

```
emsx with properties:
```

```
Session: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.Session]
Service: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.impl.aQ]
```

```
    Ippaddress: 'localhost'  
    Port: 8194
```

MATLAB returns `c` as the connection to the Bloomberg EMSX test service with the following:

- Bloomberg EMSX session object
- Bloomberg EMSX service object
- IP address of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service
- Port number of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service

Create the market order request

Create an order request structure `order` for a buy market order of 400 shares of IBM[®]. Specify the broker as EFIX, use any hand instruction, and set the time in force to DAY.

```
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';  
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';  
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';  
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(400);  
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'EFIX';  
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';  
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
```

Create and route the market order

Create and route the market order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and order request structure `order`.

```
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order);  
  
events =  
  
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877  
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1  
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier

- Bloomberg EMSX message

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection

`close(c)`

See Also

`close` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `emsx`

Related Examples

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

More About

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

Create an Order Using X_TRADER

This example shows how to connect to Trading Technologies X_TRADER and create a market order.

Connect to Trading Technologies X_TRADER.

```
c = xtrdr;
```

Create an instrument for a contract.

Create an instrument for a contract of CAISO NP15 EZ Gen Hub 5 MW Peak Calendar-Day Real-Time LMP Futures with an expiration date of August 2014 on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

```
createInstrument(c, 'Exchange', 'CME', 'Product', '2F', ...  
                'ProdType', 'Future', 'Contract', 'Aug14', ...  
                'Alias', 'SubmitOrderInstrument3')
```

Register an event handler for the order server.

Register an event handler to check the order server status.

```
sExchange = c.Instrument.Exchange;  
c.Gate.registerevent({'OnExchangeStateUpdate', ...  
                    @(varargin) ttorderserverstatus(varargin{:}, sExchange)})
```

Create an order set and set order properties.

Create an empty order set. Then, set order set properties. Setting the first property to true (1) enables the X_TRADER API to send order rejection notifications. Setting the second property to true (1) enables the X_TRADER API to add order pairs for all order updates to the order tracker list in this order set. Setting the third property to ORD_NOTIFY_NORMAL sets the X_TRADER API notification mode for order status events to normal.

```
createOrderSet(c)  
  
c.OrderSet(1).EnableOrderRejectData = 1;  
c.OrderSet(1).EnableOrderUpdateData = 1;  
c.OrderSet(1).OrderStatusNotifyMode = 'ORD_NOTIFY_NORMAL';
```

Set position limit checks.

```
c.OrderSet(1).Set('NetLimits', false)
```

Register event handlers for order status.

Register event handlers to track events associated with the order status.

```

registerevent(c.OrderSet(1),{'OnOrderFilled',...
                             @(varargin)ttorderevent(varargin{:},c)})
registerevent(c.OrderSet(1),{'OnOrderRejected',...
                             @(varargin)ttorderevent(varargin{:},c)})
registerevent(c.OrderSet(1),{'OnOrderSubmitted',...
                             @(varargin)ttorderevent(varargin{:},c)})
registerevent(c.OrderSet(1),{'OnOrderDeleted',...
                             @(varargin)ttorderevent(varargin{:},c)})

```

Enable order submission.

Open the instrument for trading and enable the X_TRADER API to retrieve market depth information when opening the instrument.

```
c.OrderSet(1).Open(1)
```

Build an order profile with the existing instrument.

```
orderProfile = createOrderProfile(c,'Instrument',c.Instrument(1));
```

Set the customer default property.

Assign the customer defaults for trading an instrument.

```
orderProfile.Customer = '<Default>';
```

Set up the order profile as a market order.

Set up the order profile as a market order for buying 225 shares.

```

orderProfile.Set('BuySell','Buy')
orderProfile.Set('Qty','225')
orderProfile.Set('OrderType','M')

```

Check the order server status.

```

nCounter = 1;
while ~exist('bServerUp','var') && nCounter < 20
    % bServerUp is created by ttorderserverstatus
    pause(1)
    nCounter = nCounter + 1;
end

```

Verify the order server availability and submit the order.

```
if exist('bServerUp','var') && bServerUp
    % Submit the order
    submittedQuantity = c.OrderSet(1).SendOrder(orderProfile);
    disp(['Quantity Sent: ' num2str(submittedQuantity)])
else
    disp('Order server is down. Unable to submit order.')
end
```

The X_TRADER API submits the order to the exchange and returns the number of contracts sent for lot-based contracts or the flow quantity sent for flow-based contracts in the output argument `submittedQuantity`.

Close the connection.

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `createInstrument` | `createOrderProfile` | `createOrderSet` | `xtrdr`

Related Examples

- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4

External Websites

- https://developer.tradingtechnologies.com/x_trader-api

Create an Order Using FIX Flyer

This example shows how to connect to the FIX Flyer Engine, process event data for sending FIX messages, and interact with a counterparty using FIX messages.

FIX is a financial industry protocol that facilitates low latency trading. For details about the FIX protocol, see [FIX Trading Community](#).

Connect to FIX Flyer

Import the FIX Flyer Java libraries.

```
import flyer.apps.*;
import flyer.apps.FlyerApplicationManagerFactory.*;
import flyer.core.session.*;
```

Create the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c` using these arguments:

- User name `username`
- Password `password`
- IP address `ipaddress`
- Port number `port`

```
username = 'user';
password = 'pwd';
ipaddress = '127.0.0.1';
port = 7002;
```

```
c = fixflyer(username,password,ipaddress,port);
```

Add a Listener and Subscribe to FIX Sessions

Add the FIX Flyer event listener to the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c`. To listen for and display the FIX Flyer Engine event data in the Workspace browser, use the sample event handling listener `fixExampleListener`. Use `fixExampleListener` or write a custom event handling listener function.

`fixExampleListener` handles the FIX Flyer Engine events. `e` denotes these events. You can specify `e` as any letter.

```
lh = addListener(c,@(~,e)fixExampleListener(e));
```

`fixExampleListener` returns a handle to the listener `lh`.

Subscribe to FIX sessions and set up the FIX Flyer Application Manager. Register with the FIX Flyer session. Connect the FIX Flyer Application Manager to the FIX Flyer Engine and start the internal receiving thread.

```
c.SessionID = flyer.core.session.SessionID('Alpha',...
                                           'Beta','FIX.4.4');
c.FlyerApplicationManager.registerFIXSession(...
                                           flyer.apps.FixSessionSubscription(...
                                           c.SessionID,true,0));

c.FlyerApplicationManager.connect();
c.FlyerApplicationManager.start();
```

Create a FIX Message

Create a FIX message using a structure array `fixstruct`. The data in the structure represents one FIX message. This message denotes a sell side transaction for 100 shares of symbol ABC. The order type is a previously quoted order. The order handling instruction is a private automated execution. The order transaction time is the current moment. The FIX protocol version is 4.4.

```
fixstruct.BeginString{1,1} = 'FIX.4.4';
fixstruct.CLOrdId{1,1} = '338';
fixstruct.Side{1,1} = '2';
fixstruct.TransactTime{1,1} = datestr(now);
fixstruct.OrdType{1,1} = 'D';
fixstruct.Symbol{1,1} = 'ABC';
fixstruct.HandlInst{1,1} = '1';
fixstruct.OrderQty{1,1} = '100';
```

Send a FIX Message

Send the FIX message `fixstruct` using the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c`.

```
status = sendMessage(c,fixstruct);
```

`status` contains a logical zero for a successful message delivery.

Receive a FIX Message

Receive a FIX message response from the FIX Flyer Engine. The sample event handling listener `fixExampleListener` returns the raw FIX message in the structure `fixResponseStruct`. Display the contents of `fixResponseStruct`.

```
fixResponseStruct
fixResponseStruct =
```

```

BeginString: {'FIX.4.4'}
BodyLength: {'255'}
MsgType: {'8'}
SenderCompID: {'Beta'}
TargetCompID: {'Alpha'}
MsgSeqNum: {'16'}
SendingTime: {'20150602-19:31:56.068'}
PossDupFlag: {'N'}
PossResend: {'N'}
  AvgPx: {'85.47'}
  ClOrdID: {'338'}
  CumQty: {'100'}
  ExecID: {'exec-454053004605080'}
  LastMkt: {'FL'}
  LastPx: {'85.47'}
  LastQty: {'100'}
  OrderID: {'order-454053004596042'}
  OrderQty: {'100'}
  OrdStatus: {'3'}
  Side: {'2'}
  Symbol: {'ABC'}
  Text: {'Done For Day Execution'}
TransactTime: {'20150602-19:31:56.066'}
TradeDate: {'20150602'}
ExecType: {'3'}
LeavesQty: {'0'}
Checksum: {'007'}

```

The fields of the structure `fixResponseStruct` contain FIX tag names from the returned raw FIX message. The values of the structure contain the values of the returned raw FIX message.

Close the FIX Flyer Connection

Close the FIX Flyer Engine connection.

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`addListener` | `fixflyer` | `sendMessage`

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10

External Websites

- FIX Trading Community

Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX

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Write a Custom Event Handler Function

You can process events related to any Bloomberg EMSX orders and routes by writing a custom event handler function to use with Trading Toolbox. For example, you can plot the changes in the number of shares routed. Follow these tasks to write a custom event handler.

- 1 Choose the events that you want to process, monitor, or evaluate.
- 2 Decide how the custom event handler function processes these events.
- 3 Determine the input and output arguments for the custom event handler function.
- 4 Write the code for the custom event handler function.

For details, see “Create Functions in Files”. For a code example of an event handler function, see the function `processEventToBlotter` in the `emsxOrderBlotter.m` file.

Run a Custom Event Handler Function

You can run the custom event handler function by using `timer`. Specify the custom event handler function name as a function handle and pass this function handle as an input argument to `timer`. For details about function handles, see “Create Function Handle”. For example, suppose you want to create an order using `createOrderAndRoute` with the custom event handler function named `eventhandler`. This code assumes a Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, Bloomberg EMSX order `order`, and timer object `t`.

- 1 Run `timer` to execute `eventhandler`. The name-value pair argument `TimerFcn` specifies the event handler function. The name-value pair argument `Period` specifies a 1-second delay between executions of the event handler function. When the name-value pair argument `ExecutionMode` is set to `fixedRate`, the event

handler function executes immediately after it is added to the MATLAB execution queue.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...  
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate');
```

- 2 Start the timer to initiate and execute `eventhandler` immediately.

```
start(t)
```

- 3 Run `createOrderAndRoute` using the custom event handler by setting `useDefaultEventHandler` to `false`.

```
createOrderAndRoute(c,order,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

- 4 Stop the timer to stop data updates.

```
stop(t)
```

If you want to resume data updates, run `start`.

- 5 Delete the timer once you are done with processing data updates for the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
delete(t)
```

Workflow for Custom Event Handler Function

This workflow summarizes the tasks to work with a custom event handler function using Bloomberg EMSX.

- 1 Write a custom event handler function and save it to a file.
- 2 Create a connection using `emsx`.
- 3 Subscribe to Bloomberg EMSX fields using `orders` and `routes`. You can also write custom event handler functions to process subscription events.
- 4 Run the custom event handler function using `timer`. Use a function handle to specify the custom event handler function name to run `timer`.
- 5 Start the timer to execute the custom event handler function immediately using `start`.
- 6 Stop data updates using `stop`.
- 7 Unsubscribe from Bloomberg EMSX fields by using the API syntax.
- 8 Delete the timer using `delete`.

- 9 Close the connection using `close`.

See Also

`timer` | `close` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `delete` | `emsx` | `orders` | `routes` | `start`
| `stop`

Related Examples

- “Create Functions in Files”

More About

- “Create Function Handle”

Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers

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“Workflow for Custom Event Handler Function” on page 1-27

Write a Custom Event Handler Function

You can process events related to any Interactive Brokers data updates by writing a custom event handler function to use with Trading Toolbox. For example, you can request data about all open orders or retrieve account information. Follow these tasks to write a custom event handler.

- 1 Choose the events that you want to process, monitor, or evaluate.
- 2 Decide how the custom event handler function processes these events.
- 3 Determine the input and output arguments for the custom event handler function.
- 4 Write the code for the custom event handler function.

For details, see “Create Functions in Files”. For a code example of an Interactive Brokers event handler function, see `ibExampleEventHandler.m`.

Run a Custom Event Handler Function

You can run the custom event handler function by passing the function name as an input argument into an existing function. Specify the custom event handler function name as a string or function handle. For details about function handles, see “Create Function Handle”.

For example, suppose you want to retrieve real-time data from Interactive Brokers using `realtime` with the custom event handler function named `eventhandler`. You can use either of these syntaxes to run `eventhandler`. This code assumes a IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`, IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`, and Interactive Brokers fields `f`.

Use a character vector.


```
tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f,'eventhandler');
```

Or, use a function handle.

```
tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f,@eventhandler);
```

Workflow for Custom Event Handler Function

This workflow summarizes the tasks to work with a custom event handler function using Interactive Brokers.

- 1 Write a custom event handler function and save it to a file.
- 2 Create a connection to the IB Trader Workstation using `ibtws`.
- 3 Run an existing function to receive data updates. Use the custom event handler function as an input argument.

Caution: To run default event handler and sample event handler functions, you must run one event handler function at a time. After you run one event handler, close the IB Trader Workstation connection. Then, create another connection to run a different event handler with the same existing function. Otherwise, MATLAB assigns multiple existing functions to events and errors occur.

- 4 Close the connection to the IB Trader Workstation using `close`.

See Also

`close` | `ibtws` | `realtime`

More About

- “Create Functions in Files”
- “Create Function Handle”

Workflow Models

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
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Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX

The workflow for Bloomberg EMSX is versatile with many options for alternate flows to create, route, and manage the status of an open order until it is filled.

- 1 Connect to Bloomberg EMSX using `emsx`.
- 2 Set up a subscription for orders and routes to obtain events on subsequent requests using `orders` and `routes`.
- 3 Create a Bloomberg EMSX order. Options in the flow of creating an order are:
 - Create an order using `createOrder`.
 - Route an order using `routeOrder`.
 - Route an order with a strategy using `routeOrderWithStrat`.
 - Route multiple orders with a strategy using `groupRouteOrderWithStrat`.
 - Create an order and route using `createOrderAndRoute`.
 - Create an order and route with a strategy using `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat`.
- 4 Modify an order or route using these functions:
 - Modify an order using `modifyOrder`.
 - Modify a route using `modifyRoute`.
 - Modify a route with a strategy using `modifyRouteWithStrat`.
- 5 Delete an order or route using these functions:
 - Delete an order using `deleteOrder`.
 - Delete a route using `deleteRoute`.
- 6 Obtain information from Bloomberg EMSX using these functions:
 - Obtain broker information using `getBrokerInfo`.
 - Obtain Bloomberg EMSX field information using `getAllFieldMetaData`.
- 7 Explore information about existing orders and routes using these functions:
 - View order transactions with a sample order blotter using `emsxOrderBlotter`.
 - Process the current contents of the event queue using `processEvent`.
- 8 Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection using `close`.

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-13
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER

You can use X_TRADER to monitor market price information and submit orders.

To monitor market price information:

- 1 Connect to Trading Technologies X_TRADER using `xtrdr`.
- 2 Create an event notifier using `createNotifier`.
- 3 Create an instrument and attach it to the notifier using `createInstrument`. Optionally, use `getData` to return information on the instrument that you have created.
- 4 Close the Trading Technologies X_TRADER connection using `close`.

To submit orders to X_TRADER:

- 1 Connect to Trading Technologies X_TRADER using `xtrdr`.
- 2 Create an event notifier using `createNotifier`.
- 3 Create an instrument and attach it to the notifier using `createInstrument`. Optionally, use `getData` to return information on the instrument that you have created.
- 4 Create an order set using `createOrderSet` to define the level of the order status events and event handlers for orders that will be submitted to X_TRADER.
- 5 Define the order using `createOrderProfile`. An order profile contains the settings that define an individual order to be submitted.
- 6 Route the order for execution using the `OrderSet` object created by `createOrderSet` in step 4.
- 7 Close the Trading Technologies X_TRADER connection using `close`.

To monitor market price information and respond to market changes by automatically submitting orders to X_TRADER:

- 1 Connect to Trading Technologies X_TRADER using `xtrdr`.
- 2 Create an event notifier using `createNotifier`.
- 3 Create an instrument and attach it to the notifier using `createInstrument`. Use `getData` to return information on the instrument that you have created.
- 4 Define events by assigning callbacks for validating or invalidating an instrument and performing calculations based on the event. Based on some predefined condition

reached when changes in the incoming data satisfy the condition, event callbacks execute the functions in steps 5, 6, and 7.

- 5** Create an order set using `createOrderSet` to define the level of the order status events and event handlers for orders that will be submitted to X_TRADER.
- 6** Define the order using `createOrderProfile`. An order profile contains the settings that define an individual order to be submitted.
- 7** Route the order for execution using the `OrderSet` object created by `createOrderSet` in step 5.
- 8** Close the Trading Technologies X_TRADER connection using `close`.

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using X_TRADER” on page 1-16
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

Workflow for Interactive Brokers

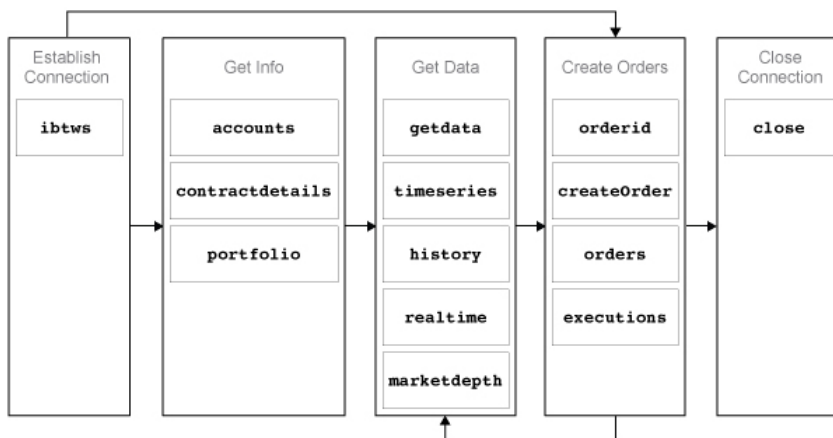
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“Create Interactive Brokers Orders” on page 2-7

“Request Interactive Brokers Informational Data” on page 2-7

This diagram shows the functions that you can use with the IB Trader Workstation to monitor market price information and submit orders.



Request Interactive Brokers Market Data

To request current, intraday, real-time, historical, or market depth data:

- 1 Connect to the IB Trader Workstation using `ibtws`.
- 2 Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object.
- 3 Request current data for a security using `getdata`.
- 4 Request intraday data for a security using `timeseries`.
- 5 Request real-time data for a security using `realtime`.
- 6 Request historical data for a security using `history`.
- 7 Request market depth data for a security using `marketdepth`.

- 8 Close the IB Trader Workstation connection using `close`.

Create Interactive Brokers Orders

To submit orders to the IB Trader Workstation:

- 1 Connect to the IB Trader Workstation using `ibtw`.
- 2 Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object.
- 3 Create the IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object.
- 4 Request a unique order identifier using `orderId`.
- 5 Create and submit the order using `createOrder`.
- 6 Request open order data using `orders`.
- 7 Request executed order data using `executions`.
- 8 Close the IB Trader Workstation connection using `close`.

Request Interactive Brokers Informational Data

To request information from the IB Trader Workstation:

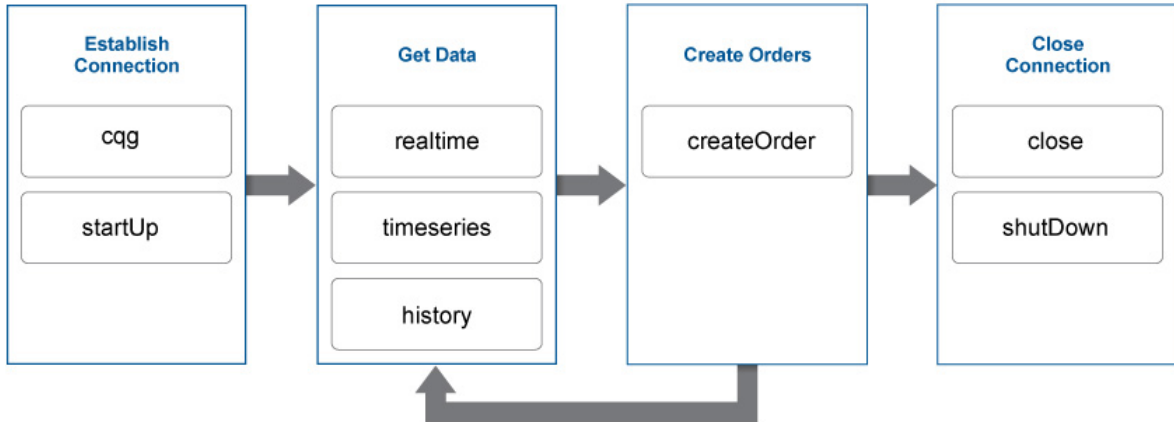
- 1 Connect to the IB Trader Workstation using `ibtw`.
- 2 Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object.
- 3 Request contract detailed data using `contractdetails`.
- 4 Request account information using `accounts`.
- 5 Request portfolio data using `portfolio`.
- 6 Close the IB Trader Workstation connection using `close`.

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation” on page 1-7
- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Workflow for CQG

This diagram shows the functions you can use with CQG to monitor market price information and submit orders.



To request current, intraday, or historical data:

- 1 Create the CQG connection object using `cqq`.
- 2 Define the CQG event handlers.
- 3 Connect to CQG using `startUp`.
- 4 Subscribe to a CQG instrument to request real-time data using `realtime`.
- 5 Request intraday data for a security using `timeseries`.
- 6 Request historical data for a security using `history`.
- 7 Close the CQG connection using `close` or `shutDown`.

To submit orders to CQG:

- 1 Create the CQG connection object using `cqq`.
- 2 Define the CQG event handlers.
- 3 Connect to CQG using `startUp`.
- 4 Create the CQG account credentials object.

- 5 Subscribe to a CQG instrument to request real-time data using `realtime`.
- 6 Create and submit the order using `createOrder`.
- 7 Close the CQG connection using `close` or `shutDown`.

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using CQG” on page 1-11
- “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45
- “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50
- “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57

Workflow for FIX Flyer

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“Receive a FIX Message” on page 2-11

Send FIX messages using the FIX Flyer Engine to:

- Request market data
- Create and manage orders
- Request news information
- Request other available information using the FIX protocol

Create a FIX Message

Create a FIX message using a structure array or table. To convert between structure arrays or tables and FIX message strings, use these functions:

- 1 Convert a structure array that contains FIX tags as fields to a cell array of FIX message strings using `struct2fix`.
- 2 Convert a table that contains FIX tags as variables to a cell array of FIX message strings using `table2fix`.

Request Data and Create Orders Using FIX Messages

To request market data, submit orders, and request other information using FIX messages, you can use the FIX Flyer Engine with these functions:

- 1 Connect to the FIX Flyer Engine using `fixflyer`.
- 2 To monitor events associated with the connection and FIX messages, add an event handling listener using `addListener`.
- 3 Send a FIX message to the FIX Flyer Engine using `sendMessage`.
- 4 Close the FIX Flyer connection using `close`.

Receive a FIX Message

Receive a FIX message string from the counterparty after completing a transaction. To convert between FIX message strings and structure arrays or tables, use these functions:

- 1 Convert a FIX message to a structure array using `fix2struct`.
- 2 Convert a FIX message to a table using `fix2table`.

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using FIX Flyer” on page 1-19

External Websites

- [FIX Trading Community](#)

Transaction Cost Analysis

- “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2
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- “Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks” on page 3-38

Analyze Trading Execution Results

This example shows how to conduct post-trade analysis using transaction cost analysis from the Kissell Research Group. Post-trade analysis includes implementation shortfall, alpha capture, benchmark costs, broker value add, and Z-Score. For details about these metrics, see “Post-Trade Analysis Metrics Definitions” on page 3-6. You can use post-trade analysis to evaluate portfolio returns and profits. You can measure performance of brokers and algorithms.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit KRGPostTradeAnalysisExample.m`.

Retrieve Market-Impact Parameters and Load Transaction Data

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data `PostTradeData` from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData.mat PostTradeData
```

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Determine Implementation Shortfall Costs

Determine the components of the implementation shortfall costs in basis points. The components are:

- Fixed cost `ISFixed`

- Delay cost `ISDelayCost`
- Execution cost `ISExecutionCost`
- Opportunity cost `ISOpportunityCost`

For details about the cost components, see “Post-Trade Analysis Metrics Definitions” on page 3-6.

```

PostTradeData.ISDollars =...
    PostTradeData.OrderShares .* PostTradeData.ISDecisionPrice;
PostTradeData.ISFixed =...
    PostTradeData.ISFixedDollars ./ PostTradeData.ISDollars*10000;
PostTradeData.ISDelayCost =...
    PostTradeData.OrderShares .*...
    (PostTradeData.ISArrivalPrice-PostTradeData.ISDecisionPrice).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.ISDollars*1000;
PostTradeData.ISExecutionCost =...
    PostTradeData.TradedShares .*...
    (PostTradeData.AvgExecPrice-PostTradeData.ISArrivalPrice).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.ISDollars*1000;
PostTradeData.ISOpportunityCost =...
    (PostTradeData.OrderShares-PostTradeData.TradedShares).*...
    (PostTradeData.ISEndPrice-PostTradeData.ISArrivalPrice).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.ISDollars*1000;

```

Determine the total implementation shortfall cost `ISCost`.

```

PostTradeData.ISCost = PostTradeData.ISFixed +...
    PostTradeData.ISDelayCost + PostTradeData.ISExecutionCost +...
    PostTradeData.ISOpportunityCost;

```

Determine Profit

Determine the alpha capture `Alpha_CapturePct`. Divide realized profit `Alpha_Realized` by potential profit `Alpha_TotalPeriod`.

```

PostTradeData.Alpha_Realized =...
    (PostTradeData.ISEndPrice-PostTradeData.AvgExecPrice).*...
    PostTradeData.TradedShares .* PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./...
    (PostTradeData.TradedShares .* PostTradeData.ISArrivalPrice)*10000;
PostTradeData.Alpha_TotalPeriod =...
    (PostTradeData.ISEndPrice-PostTradeData.ISArrivalPrice).*...
    PostTradeData.TradedShares .* PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./...
    (PostTradeData.TradedShares .* PostTradeData.ISArrivalPrice)*10000;
lenAlpha_Realized = length(PostTradeData.Alpha_Realized);

```

```

PostTradeData.Alpha_CapturePct = zeros(lenAlpha_Realized,1);
for ii = 1:lenAlpha_Realized
    if PostTradeData.Alpha_TotalPeriod(ii) > 0
        PostTradeData.Alpha_CapturePct(ii) = ...
            PostTradeData.Alpha_Realized(ii) ./...
            PostTradeData.Alpha_TotalPeriod(ii);
    else
        PostTradeData.Alpha_CapturePct(ii) = ...
            -(PostTradeData.Alpha_Realized(ii) -...
            PostTradeData.Alpha_TotalPeriod(ii)) ./...
            PostTradeData.Alpha_TotalPeriod(ii);
    end
end

```

Determine Benchmark and Trading Costs

Determine benchmark costs in basis points. Here, the benchmark prices are:

- Close price of the previous day `PrevClose_Cost`
- Open price `Open_Cost`
- Close price `Close_Cost`
- Arrival cost `Arrival_Cost`
- Period VWAP `PeriodVWAP_Cost`

```

PostTradeData.PrevClose_Cost =...
    (PostTradeData.AvgExecPrice-PostTradeData.PrevClose).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.PrevClose*10000;
PostTradeData.Open_Cost =...
    (PostTradeData.AvgExecPrice-PostTradeData.Open).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.Open*10000;
PostTradeData.Close_Cost = (PostTradeData.AvgExecPrice-PostTradeData.Close).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.Close*10000;
PostTradeData.Arrival_Cost = (PostTradeData.AvgExecPrice-...
    PostTradeData.ArrivalPrice).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.ArrivalPrice*10000;
PostTradeData.PeriodVWAP_Cost = (PostTradeData.AvgExecPrice-...
    PostTradeData.PeriodVWAP).*...
    PostTradeData.SideIndicator ./ PostTradeData.PeriodVWAP*10000;

```

Estimate market-impact `miCost` and timing risk `tr` costs.

```

PostTradeData.Size = PostTradeData.TradedShares ./ PostTradeData.ADV;
PostTradeData.Price = PostTradeData.ArrivalPrice;

```

```
PostTradeData.miCost = marketImpact(k,PostTradeData);  
PostTradeData.tr = timingRisk(k,PostTradeData);
```

Determine Broker Value Add and Z-Score

Determine the broker value add using the arrival cost and market impact.

```
PostTradeData.ValueAdd = (PostTradeData.Arrival_Cost-PostTradeData.miCost) * -1;
```

Determine the Z-Score using the broker value add and timing risk.

```
PostTradeData.zScore = PostTradeData.ValueAdd./PostTradeData.tr;
```

For details about the preceding calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.

See Also

krq | marketImpact | timingRisk

More About

- “Post-Trade Analysis Metrics Definitions” on page 3-6
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

Post-Trade Analysis Metrics Definitions

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“Benchmark Costs” on page 3-7
“Broker Value Add” on page 3-7
“Z-Score” on page 3-7

After executing a transaction, Kissell Research Group provides various metrics for analyzing the results of a transaction. For an example using these metrics, see “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2.

For details about these calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.

Implementation Shortfall

Implementation shortfall (IS) determines the total cost of implementing an investment decision. IS subtracts the actual return from the paper return of a stock or portfolio after including all visible costs including commissions, fees, and taxes. The Kissell Research Group IS cost formula decomposes costs into fixed, delay, execution, and opportunity cost components.

IS Component	Description
Fixed cost	Cost component that is not dependent upon the implementation strategy.
Delay cost	Cost component that represents the loss in investment value between the time the managers make the investment decision and the order releases to the market.
Execution cost	Cost component that is the difference between the execution price and the stock price at the time the order releases to the market.

IS Component	Description
Opportunity cost	Cost component that represents the foregone profit or loss resulting from not being able to execute the order to completion within the allotted time period.

Portfolio managers and traders use IS to understand the trading cost environment.

Alpha Capture

Alpha capture, or profit, is the realized profit divided by the potential profit. Realized profit is based on the difference between end price and average execution price. Potential profit is based on the difference between end price and arrival price. Portfolio managers and traders use alpha capture to measure portfolio performance.

Benchmark Costs

The benchmark cost compares the average execution price to a specific benchmark price. A benchmark price can be any price such as the close price. Traders use benchmark costs to measure strategy and transaction performance.

Broker Value Add

The broker value add metric is a measure of the overall broker performance. A positive value indicates that the broker performed better than expected and a negative value indicates the broker under-performed expectations. This metric is the difference between the estimated trading cost and the actual cost incurred by the investor. You can estimate trading costs using `marketImpact`, `priceAppreciation`, and `timingRisk`. This metric reflects performance given all market conditions on the day and buying and selling behavior from all other participants.

Traders use this metric to measure broker performance.

Z-Score

Z-Score is the broker value add metric divided by timing risk. You can estimate timing risk using `timingRisk`. The Z-Score specifies the number of standard deviations away from the estimated cost. If the Z-Score is greater than or equal to two standard deviations, then the actual cost varies greatly from the estimated cost.

Traders use this metric to measure broker performance.

References

- [1] Kissell, Robert. “The Expanded Implementation Shortfall: Understanding Transaction Cost Components.” *Journal of Trading*. Vol. 1, Number 3, Summer 2006, pp. 6-16.

Related Examples

- “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2

Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description

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“TradeData Variable Descriptions” on page 3-9
“PortfolioData Variable Descriptions” on page 3-11
“PostTradeData Variable Descriptions” on page 3-11

The following descriptions define the data sets in the tables inside the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`. There are three tables that contain example data: `TradeData`, `PortfolioData`, and `PostTradeData`.

TradeData Variable Descriptions

The table `TradeData` provides example data for a transaction. This table contains data for a collection of stocks in the transaction. For examples of using this data set, see “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15 and “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19.

Real transaction data comes from a data source such as Bloomberg.

Table Variable	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol.
Side	Side (buy or sell).
SideIndicator	Side indicator. 1 is a buy (add shares to portfolio). -1 is a sell (remove shares from portfolio).
AvgExecPrice	Average execution price.
ArrivalPrice	Arrival price. This price specifies the interest of traders and represents the cost attributable to brokers or algorithms.
PeriodVWAP	Volume weighted average price (VWAP). The VWAP compares the execution price to the interval VWAP price. The VWAP benchmark determines whether the executing broker achieves a fair and reasonable price on the day.

Table Variable	Description
CCYRate	Currency rate.
Volatility	A statistical measure of the dispersion of daily returns for a given security. Volatility is the standard deviation of daily log price returns over time. Kissell Research Group uses a 30-day historical period. Annualize volatility by multiplying by the square root of 250.
POV	Percentage of volume.
SectorCategory	Market sector category (Energy, Industrials, Materials, and so on).
OrderSizeCategory	Order size category (Large, Medium, or Small).
VolatilityCategory	Volatility category (High, Medium, or Low).
POVRateCategory	Percentage of volume rate category (Aggressive, Passive, or Normal).
MktCapCategory	Market capitalization category (LC is large-cap, MC is mid-cap, SM is small-cap).
MomentumCategory	Momentum category (Favorable, Neutral, or Adverse).
MktMovementCategory	Market movement category (Favorable, Neutral, or Adverse).
ADV	Average daily volume.
Price	Stock price.
Size	Size (number of shares divided by average daily volume).
Alpha_bp	Alpha estimate in basis points.
Shares	Number of shares.

PortfolioData Variable Descriptions

The table `PortfolioData` provides example data for a portfolio of stocks. This table contains data for a collection of stocks in the portfolio. To use this data set, see `portfolioCostCurves`.

Real portfolio data comes from a portfolio belonging to a company or portfolio manager.

Table Variable	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol.
Price_Local	Local price of the stock.
Price_Currency	Stock price with a different currency if the stock trades outside the United States. If the stock trades in the United States, the value equals the local price.
ADV	Average daily volume.
Volatility	Volatility.
Shares	Number of shares.

PostTradeData Variable Descriptions

The table `PostTradeData` provides example data for an executed transaction. This table contains data for a collection of stocks in the transaction. To use this data set, see “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2.

Real executed transaction data comes from a data source such as Bloomberg.

Table Variable	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol.
Side	Side (buy or sell).
SideIndicator	Side indicator. 1 is a buy (add shares to portfolio). -1 is a sell (remove shares from portfolio).
Date	Executed transaction date.
DecisionTime	Decision time. The time the portfolio manager decides to buy, sell, short, or

Table Variable	Description
	cover a position. If no other timestamp is available, set this time to when the portfolio manager enters the order into the trading system. If the portfolio manager does not have a timestamp for this decision, investors use the close time of the previous day, open time, or arrival time.
ArrivalTime	Arrival time. The time when the trading system enters the order into the market for execution. You can obtain it from the first order or trade from the electronic audit trail.
EndTime	End time. The time the portfolio manager specifies to complete the order. Typically this time is the end of the day or the time of the last trade.
AvgExecPrice	Average executed price.
OrderShares	Number of shares in the transaction.
TradedShares	Number of shares in the executed transaction.
Volatility	Volatility.
ADV	Average daily volume.
POV	Percentage of volume.
CCYRate	Currency rate.
MICategory	Market-impact category.
PrevClose	Close price of the previous day.
Open	Open price.
Close	Close price.
ArrivalPrice	Arrival price. This price specifies the interest of traders and represents the cost attributable to brokers or algorithms.

Table Variable	Description
PeriodVWAP	Volume weighted average price (VWAP). The VWAP compares the execution price to the interval VWAP price. The VWAP benchmark determines whether the executing broker achieves a fair and reasonable price on the day.
Broker	Broker name.
Algorithm	Trading algorithm (Dark Pool, TWAP, Arrival, and so on).
Manager	Portfolio manager name.
Trader	Trader name.
SectorCategory	Market sector category (Energy, Industrials, Materials, and so on).
OrderSizeCategory	Order size category (Large, Medium, or Small).
VolatilityCategory	Volatility category (High, Medium, or Low).
POVRateCategory	Percentage of volume rate category (Aggressive, Passive, or Normal).
MktCapCategory	Market capitalization category (LC is large-cap, MC is mid-cap, SM is small-cap).
StockMomentumCategory	Stock momentum category (Favorable, Neutral, or Adverse).
MktMovementCategory	Market movement category (Favorable, Neutral, or Adverse).
StepOut	Investor field designation. This field is optional for grouping and summary analysis. This field refers to a process where a broker (broker #1) receives an order from a client. Then this broker gives that order to another broker (broker #2) for its execution. Broker #1 receives credit for the trade but its performance applies to broker #2 who executed the trade.

Table Variable	Description
ISDecisionPrice	Decision price. The stock price when the portfolio manager decides to buy, sell, short, or cover a position.
ISArrivalPrice	Midpoint of the bid-ask spread at the time an order enters the market.
ISEndPrice	End price. The stock price at the specified end time of the order.
ISFixedDollars	Dollars associated with fixed fees that include the commission, taxes, clearing and settlement charges, and so on.

References

- [1] Kissell, Robert. "A Practical Framework for Transaction Cost Analysis." *Journal of Trading*. Vol. 3, Number 2, Summer 2008, pp. 29-37.
- [2] Kissell, Robert. "The Expanded Implementation Shortfall: Understanding Transaction Cost Components." *Journal of Trading*. Vol. 1, Number 3, Summer 2006, pp. 6-16.

Related Examples

- "Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs" on page 3-15
- "Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs" on page 3-19
- "Analyze Trading Execution Results" on page 3-2

More About

- "Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis" on page 3-37

Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs

This example shows how to evaluate changes in trading costs due to liquidity, volatility, and market sensitivity to order flow and trades. With transaction cost analysis from the Kissell Research Group, you can simulate the trading cost environment for a collection of stocks. Sensitivity analysis enables you to estimate future trading costs for different market conditions to determine the appropriate portfolio contents that meet the needs of the investors.

Here, evaluate changes in trading costs due to decreasing average daily volume by 50% and doubling volatility. The example data uses the percentage of volume (POV) trade strategy.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit KRGSensitivityAnalysisExample.m`.

Retrieve Market-Impact Parameters and Load Transaction Data

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',', 'ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData.mat
```

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate Initial Trading Costs

Estimate initial trading costs using the example data `TradeData`. The trading costs are:

- Instantaneous trading cost `itc`
- Market-impact cost `mi`
- Timing risk `tr`
- Price appreciation `pa`

Group all four trading costs into a numeric matrix `initTCA`.

```
itc = iStar(k,TradeData);  
mi = marketImpact(k,TradeData);  
tr = timingRisk(k,TradeData);  
pa = priceAppreciation(k,TradeData);  
initTCA = [itc mi tr pa];
```

Create Scenario

Set variables to create the scenario. Here, the scenario decreases average daily volume by 50% and doubles volatility. The stock price, volume, estimated alpha, and trade strategy remain unchanged from the example data. You can modify the values of these variables to create different scenarios. The fields are:

- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Stock price
- Volume
- Alpha estimate
- POV trade strategy
- Trade time trade strategy

```
adjADV = 0.5;  
adjVolatility = 2.0;  
adjPrice = 1.0;  
adjVolume = 1.0;  
adjAlpha = 1.0;  
adjPOV = 1.0;  
adjTradeTime = 1.0;
```

Adjust the example data based on the scenario variables.

```

TradeDataAdj = TradeData;
TradeDataAdj.Size = TradeData.Size .* (1./adjADV);
TradeDataAdj.ADV = TradeData.ADV .* adjADV;
TradeDataAdj.Volatility = TradeData.Volatility .* adjVolatility;
TradeDataAdj.Price = TradeData.Price .* adjPrice;
TradeDataAdj.Alpha_bp = TradeData.Alpha_bp .* adjAlpha;

```

TradeDataAdj contains the adjusted data. Size doubles because average daily volume decreases by 50%.

Convert POV trade strategy to the trade time trade strategy.

```

[~,povFlag,timeFlag] = krg.krgDataFlags(TradeData);
if povFlag
    TradeDataAdj.POV = TradeData.POV.*adjPOV;
    TradeDataAdj.TradeTime = TradeDataAdj.Size .*...
        ((1-TradeDataAdj.POV) ./ TradeDataAdj.POV) .* (1./adjVolume);
elseif timeFlag
    TradeDataAdj.TradeTime = tradedata.TradeTime .* adjTradeTime;
    TradeDataAdj.POV = TradeDataAdj.Size ./...
        (TradeDataAdj.Size + TradeDataAdj.TradeTime .* adjVolume);
end

```

Estimate Trading Costs for Scenario

Estimate the trading costs based on the adjusted data. The numeric matrix newTCA contains the trading costs for the scenario.

```

itc = iStar(k,TradeDataAdj);
mi = marketImpact(k,TradeDataAdj);
tr = timingRisk(k,TradeDataAdj);
pa = priceAppreciation(k,TradeDataAdj);
newTCA = [itc mi tr pa];

```

Subtract the trading costs from the scenario from the initial trading costs.

```

rawWI = newTCA - initTCA;
wi = table(rawWI(:,1),rawWI(:,2),rawWI(:,3),rawWI(:,4),...
    'VariableNames',{'ITC','MI','TR','PA'});

```

The table wi contains the full impact of this scenario on the trading costs.

Display trading costs for the first three rows in wi.

```

wi(1:3,:)

```

ans =

ITC	MI	TR	PA
43.05	0.65	290.80	-9.49
408.29	124.52	443.16	8.47
80.92	13.79	114.97	0.93

The variables in w_i are:

- Instantaneous trading cost
- Market-impact cost
- Timing risk
- Price appreciation

For details about the preceding calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.

See Also

`iStar` | `krG` | `marketImpact` | `priceAppreciation` | `timingRisk`

Related Examples

- “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2

More About

- “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs

This example shows how to determine the cost of liquidating individual stocks in a portfolio using transaction cost analysis from the Kissell Research Group. Compare the individual stocks in a portfolio using various metrics in a scatter plot.

The example data uses the percentage of volume trade strategy to calculate costs. You can also use the trade time trade strategy to run the analysis by replacing the percentage of volume data with trade time data.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit KRGPortfolioLiquidityExample.m`.

Retrieve Market-Impact Parameters and Load Transaction Data

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
    ',' , 'ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data `TradeData` from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData.mat TradeData
```

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate Trading Costs

Estimate market-impact costs `mi`.

```
TradeData.mi = marketImpact(k,TradeData);
```

Estimate the timing risk `tr`.

```
TradeData.tr = timingRisk(k,TradeData);
```

Estimate the liquidity factor lf.

```
TradeData.lf = liquidityFactor(k,TradeData);
```

For details about the preceding calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.

Display Portfolio Plots

Create a scatter plot that shows the following:

- Size
- Volatility
- Market impact
- Timing risk
- Liquidity factor

```
figure
axOrder = subplot(2,3,1);
nSymbols = 1:length(TradeData.Size);
scatter(nSymbols,TradeData.Size*100,10,'filled')
grid on
box on
title(' Order Size (%ADV)')
axOrder.YAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%.1f%%';

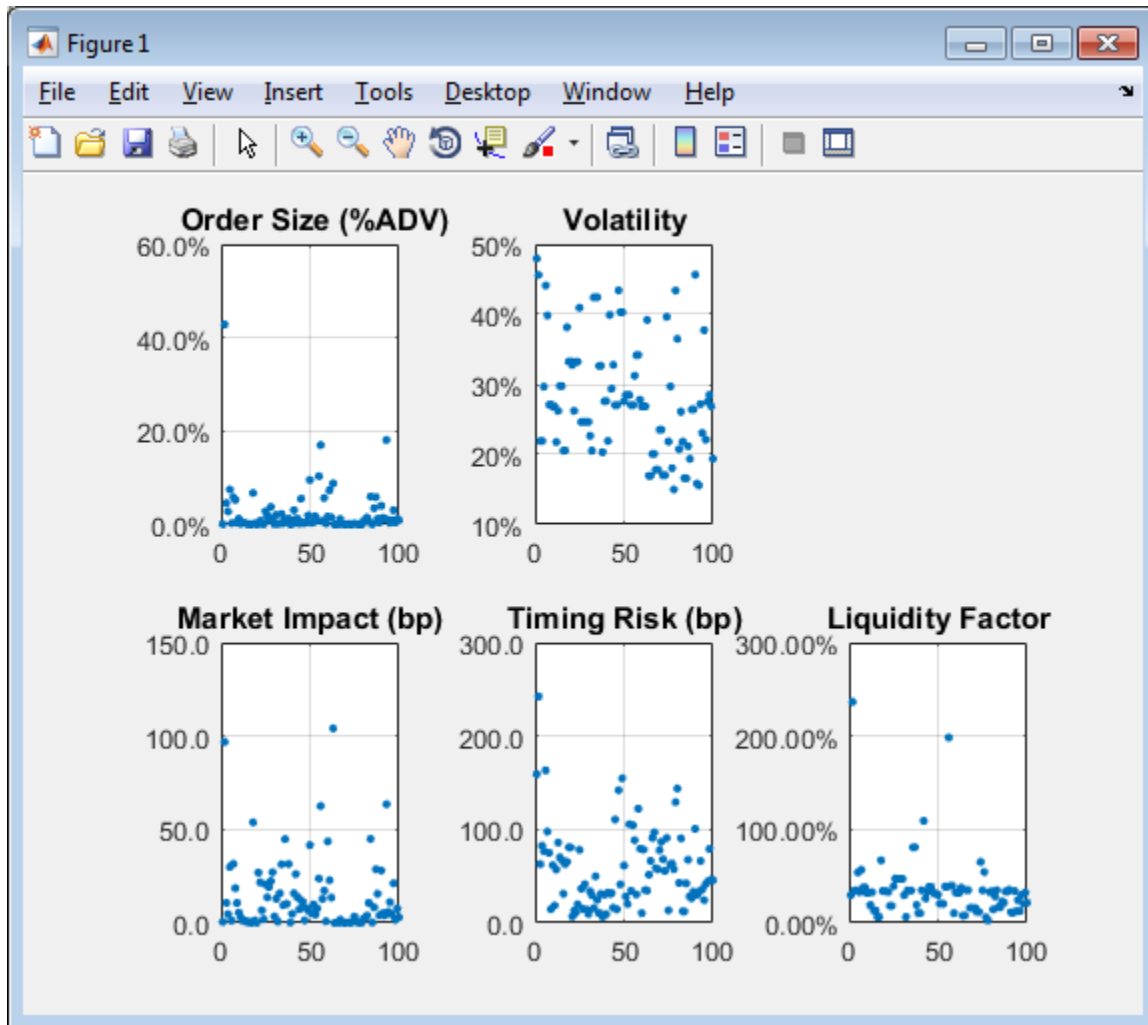
axVolatility = subplot(2,3,2);
scatter(nSymbols,TradeData.Volatility*100,10,'filled')
grid on
box on
title('Volatility')
axVolatility.YAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%g%%';

axMI = subplot(2,3,4);
scatter(nSymbols,TradeData.mi,10,'filled')
grid on
box on
title('Market Impact (bp)')
axMI.YAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%.1f';

axTR = subplot(2,3,5);
scatter(nSymbols,TradeData.tr,10,'filled')
grid on
```

```
box on
title('Timing Risk (bp)')
axTR.YAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%.1f';

axLF = subplot(2,3,6);
scatter(nSymbols,TradeData.lf*100,10,'filled')
grid on
box on
title('Liquidity Factor')
axLF.YAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%.2f%%';
```



This figure demonstrates a snapshot view into the trading and liquidation costs, volatility, and size of the stocks in the portfolio. You can modify this scatter plot to include other variables from TradeData.

See Also

`krq` | `liquidityFactor` | `marketImpact` | `timingRisk`

More About

- “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy

This example shows how to optimize the strategy for a single stock by minimizing trading costs using transaction cost analysis from the Kissell Research Group. The optimization minimizes trading costs associated with the percentage of volume trading strategy and a specified risk aversion parameter *Lambda*. This formula describes the trading cost minimization.

$$\min[(MI + PA) + \textit{Lambda} \cdot TR]$$

Trading costs are market impact *MI*, price appreciation *PA*, and timing risk *TR*. For details, see `marketImpact`, `priceAppreciation`, and `timingRisk`. This example finds a local minimum for this formula. For details about searching for the global minimum, see “Troubleshooting and Tips”.

Here, you can optimize the percentage of volume trade strategy. To optimize trade time and trade schedule strategies, see “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28 and “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit KRGSsingleStockOptimizationExample.m`.

Retrieve Market-Impact Parameters and Create Example Data

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',', 'ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact data, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Create Single Stock Data

The structure `tradeData` contains data for a single stock. Use a structure or table to define this data. The fields are:

- Number of shares
- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Stock price
- Initial percentage of volume trade strategy
- Alpha estimate

```
tradeData.Shares = 100000;
tradeData.ADV = 1000000;
tradeData.Volatility = 0.25;
tradeData.Price = 35;
tradeData.POV = 0.5;
tradeData.Alpha_bp = 50;
```

Define Optimization Parameters

Define risk aversion level `Lambda`. Set `Lambda` from 0 to Inf.

```
Lambda = 1;
```

Define lower `LB` and upper `UB` bounds of strategy input for optimization.

```
LB = 0;
UB = 1;
```

Define the function handle `fun` for the objective function. To access the code for this function, enter `edit krgSingleStockOptimizer.m`.

```
fun = @(pov)krgSingleStockOptimizer(pov,k,tradeData,Lambda);
```

Minimize Trading Costs for the Trade Strategy

Minimize the trading costs for the percentage of volume trade strategy. `fminbnd` finds the optimal value for the percentage of volume trade strategy based on the lower and upper bound values. `fminbnd` finds a local minimum for the trading cost minimization formula.

```
[tradeData.POV,totalcost] = fminbnd(fun,LB,UB);
```

Display the optimized trade strategy `tradeData.POV`.

```
tradeData.POV
```

```
ans =
```

```
0.35
```

Estimate Trading Costs for Optimized Strategy

Estimate the trading costs `povCosts` using the optimized trade strategy.

```
mi = marketImpact(k,tradeData);  
pa = priceAppreciation(k,tradeData);  
tr = timingRisk(k,tradeData);  
povCosts = [totalcost mi pa tr];
```

Display trading costs.

```
povCosts
```

```
100.04      56.15      4.63      39.27
```

The trading costs are:

- Total cost
- Market impact
- Price appreciation
- Timing risk

For details about the preceding calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.

References

- [1] Kissell, Robert. "Algorithmic Trading Strategies." Ph.D. Thesis. Fordham University, May 2006.
- [2] Kissell, Robert. *The Science of Algorithmic Trading and Portfolio Management*. Elsevier/Academic Press, 2013.
- [3] Glantz, Morton, and Robert Kissell. *Multi-Asset Risk Modeling*. Elsevier/Academic Press, 2013.

[4] Kissell, Robert, and Morton Glantz. *Optimal Trading Strategies*. AMACOM, Inc., 2003.

See Also

fminbnd | krg | marketImpact | priceAppreciation | timingRisk

Related Examples

- “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28
- “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32
- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15
- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19

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- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy

This example shows how to optimize the strategy for a single stock by minimizing trading costs using transaction cost analysis from the Kissell Research Group. The optimization minimizes trading costs associated with the trade time trading strategy and a specified risk aversion parameter *Lambda*. This formula describes the trading cost minimization.

$$\min[(MI + PA) + \textit{Lambda} \cdot TR]$$

Trading costs are market impact *MI*, price appreciation *PA*, and timing risk *TR*. For details, see `marketImpact`, `priceAppreciation`, and `timingRisk`. This example finds a local minimum for this formula. For details about searching for the global minimum, see “Troubleshooting and Tips”.

Here, you can optimize the trade time trade strategy. To optimize percentage of volume and trade schedule strategies, see “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24 and “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit`
`KRGSingleStockOptimizationExample.m`.

Retrieve Market-Impact Parameters and Create Example Data

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com', 'username', 'pwd');  
cd(f, 'MI_Parameters');  
mget(f, 'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');  
  
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv', 'delimiter', ...  
                  ', ', 'ReadRowNames', false, 'ReadVariableNames', true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact data, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Create Single Stock Data

The structure `tradeData` contains data for a single stock. Use a structure or table to define this data. The fields are:

- Number of shares
- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Stock price
- Initial trade time trade strategy
- Alpha estimate

```
tradeData.Shares = 100000;
tradeData.ADV = 1000000;
tradeData.Volatility = 0.25;
tradeData.Price = 35;
tradeData.TradeTime = 0.5;
tradeData.Alpha_bp = 50;
```

Define Optimization Parameters

Define risk aversion level `Lambda`. Set `Lambda` from 0 to Inf.

```
Lambda = 1;
```

Define lower `LB` and upper `UB` bounds of strategy input for optimization.

```
LB = 0;
UB = 1;
```

Define the function handle `fun` for the objective function. To access the code for this function, enter `edit krgSingleStockOptimizer.m`.

```
fun = @(tradetime)krgSingleStockOptimizer(tradetime,k,tradeData,Lambda);
```

Minimize Trading Costs for the Trade Strategy

Minimize the trading costs for the trade time trade strategy. `fminbnd` finds the optimal value for the trade time trade strategy based on the lower and upper bound values. `fminbnd` finds a local minimum for the trading cost minimization formula.

```
[tradeData.TradeTime,totalcost] = fminbnd(fun,LB,UB);
```

Display the optimized trade strategy `tradeData.TradeTime`.

```
tradeData.TradeTime
```

```
ans =
```

```
0.19
```

Estimate Trading Costs for Optimized Strategy

Estimate the trading costs `tradeTimeCosts` using the optimized trade strategy.

```
mi = marketImpact(k,tradeData);  
tr = timingRisk(k,tradeData);  
pa = priceAppreciation(k,tradeData);  
tradeTimeCosts = [totalcost mi pa tr];
```

Display trading costs.

```
tradeTimeCosts
```

```
tradeTimeCosts =
```

```
100.04      56.15      4.63      39.27
```

The trading costs are:

- Total cost
- Market impact
- Price appreciation
- Timing risk

For details about the preceding calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.

References

- [1] Kissell, Robert. "Algorithmic Trading Strategies." Ph.D. Thesis. Fordham University, May 2006.
- [2] Kissell, Robert. *The Science of Algorithmic Trading and Portfolio Management*. Elsevier/Academic Press, 2013.
- [3] Glantz, Morton, and Robert Kissell. *Multi-Asset Risk Modeling*. Elsevier/Academic Press, 2013.

[4] Kissell, Robert, and Morton Glantz. *Optimal Trading Strategies*. AMACOM, Inc., 2003.

See Also

fminbnd | krg | marketImpact | priceAppreciation | timingRisk

Related Examples

- “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24
- “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32
- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15
- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19

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- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy

This example shows how to optimize the strategy for a single stock by minimizing trading costs using transaction cost analysis from the Kissell Research Group. The optimization minimizes trading costs associated with the trade schedule trading strategy and a specified risk aversion parameter *Lambda*. This formula describes the trading cost minimization.

$$\min[(MI + PA) + \textit{Lambda} \cdot TR]$$

Trading costs are market impact *MI*, price appreciation *PA*, and timing risk *TR*. For details, see `marketImpact`, `priceAppreciation`, and `timingRisk`.

This example requires you to install the Optimization Toolbox™. For background information, see “Optimization Theory Overview”.

Here, you can optimize the trade schedule trade strategy. The optimization finds a local minimum for this formula. For ways to search for the global minimum, see “Local vs. Global Optima”. To optimize percentage of volume and trade time strategies, see “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24 and “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit KRGSsingleStockOptimizationExample.m`.

Retrieve Market-Impact Parameters

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',', 'ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Create Single Stock Data

The structure `tradeData` contains data for a single stock. Use a structure or table to define this data. The fields are:

- Number of shares
- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Stock price
- Alpha estimate

```
tradeData.Shares = 100000;
tradeData.ADV = 1000000;
tradeData.Volatility = 0.25;
tradeData.Price = 35;
tradeData.Alpha_bp = 50;
```

Define the number of trades and the volume per trade for the initial strategy. The fields `VolumeProfile` and `TradeSchedule` define the initial trade schedule trade strategy.

```
numIntervals = 26;
tradeData.VolumeProfile = ones(1,numIntervals) * ...
    tradeData.ADV/numIntervals;
tradeData.TradeSchedule = ones(1,numIntervals) .* ...
    (tradeData.Shares./numIntervals);
```

Define Optimization Parameters

Define risk aversion level `Lambda`. Set `Lambda` from 0 to `Inf`.

```
Lambda = 1;
```

Define lower `LB` and upper `UB` bounds of shares traded per interval for optimization.

```
LB = zeros(1,numIntervals);
UB = ones(1,numIntervals) .* tradeData.Shares;
```

Specify constraints `Aeq` and `Beq` to denote that shares traded in the trade schedule must match the total number of shares.

```
Aeq = ones(1,numIntervals);
```

```
Beq = tradeData.Shares;
```

Define optimization options for maximum number of function evaluations 'MaxFunEvals' and iterations 'MaxIter'. 'MaxFunEvals' and 'MaxIter' are set to large values so that the optimization can iterate many times to find a local minimum.

```
options = optimoptions('fmincon','MaxFunEvals',100000,'MaxIter',100000);
```

Define the function handle `fun` for the objective function. To access the code for this function, enter `edit krgSingleStockOptimizer.m`.

```
fun = @(tradeschedule)krgSingleStockOptimizer(tradeschedule,k,...  
tradeData,Lambda);
```

Minimize Trading Costs for the Trade Strategy

Minimize the trading costs for the trade schedule trade strategy. `fmincon` finds the optimal value for the trade schedule trade strategy based on the lower and upper bound values. `fmincon` finds a local minimum for the trading cost minimization formula.

```
[tradeData.TradeSchedule,totalcost,exitflag] = fmincon(fun,...  
tradeData.TradeSchedule,[],[],Aeq,Beq,LB,UB,[],options);
```

To check whether `fmincon` found a local minimum, display the reason why the function stopped.

```
exitflag
```

```
exitflag =
```

```
1.00
```

`fmincon` returns 1 when it finds a local minimum. For details, see `exitflag`.

Display the optimized trade strategy `tradeData.TradeSchedule`.

```
tradeData.TradeSchedule
```

```
ans =
```

```
Columns 1 through 5
```

```
35563.33    18220.14    11688.59    8256.81    6057.39
```


...

Estimate Trading Costs for Optimized Strategy

Estimate trading costs `tradeScheduleCosts` using the optimized trade strategy.

```
mi = marketImpact(k,tradeData);
pa = priceAppreciation(k,tradeData);
tr = timingRisk(k,tradeData);
tradeScheduleCosts = [totalcost mi pa tr];
```

Display trading costs.

```
tradeScheduleCosts
```

```
tradeScheduleCosts =
```

```
          97.32          47.66          6.75          42.91
```

The trading costs are:

- Total cost
- Market impact
- Price appreciation
- Timing risk

For details about the preceding calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.

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See Also

fmincon | krg | marketImpact | optimoptions | priceAppreciation | timingRisk

Related Examples

- “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24
- “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28
- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15
- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19

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- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis

With Kissell Research Group transaction cost analysis, you can estimate trading costs, conduct sensitivity analysis, estimate portfolio liquidation costs, and optimize trading strategies.

To estimate different trading costs, use these functions:

- 1 To retrieve market-impact parameters, create the Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object using `krq`.
- 2 Estimate instantaneous trading costs using `iStar`.
- 3 Estimate market-impact costs using `marketImpact`.
- 4 Estimate a range of market-impact costs for a collection of stocks using `costCurves`.
- 5 Estimate a range of market-impact costs for a portfolio using `portfolioCostCurves`.
- 6 Estimate price appreciation costs using `priceAppreciation`.
- 7 Estimate timing risk costs using `timingRisk`.
- 8 Estimate and compare liquidation costs using `liquidityFactor`.

Related Examples

- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15
- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19
- “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24
- “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28
- “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32
- “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2

Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks

This example shows how to estimate four different trading costs for a collection of stocks using Kissell Research Group transaction cost analysis. For more functionality, see “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37.

Retrieve Market-Impact Parameters and Load Transaction Data

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',', 'ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data `TradeData` from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData.mat TradeData
```

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate Trading Costs

Estimate instantaneous trading cost `itc` using `TradeData`.

```
itc = iStar(k,TradeData);
```

Estimate market-impact cost `mi`.

```
mi = marketImpact(k,TradeData);
```

Estimate timing risk `tr`.

```
tr = timingRisk(k,TradeData);
```

Estimate price appreciation pa.

```
pa = priceAppreciation(k,TradeData);
```

See Also

iStar | krg | marketImpact | priceAppreciation | timingRisk

More About

- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

Sample Code for Workflows

- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35
- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45
- “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50
- “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57

Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates

This example shows how to connect to X_TRADER and listen for price update event data.

Connect to X_TRADER

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Create an Event Notifier

The event notifier is the X_TRADER mechanism that lets you define MATLAB functions to use as callbacks for specific events.

```
createNotifier(X)
```

Create an Instrument

Create an instrument and attach it to the notifier.

```
createInstrument(X, 'Exchange', 'CME', 'Product', '2F', ...  
                'ProdType', 'Future', 'Contract', 'Aug13', ...  
                'Alias', 'PriceInstrument1')  
X.InstrNotify(1).AttachInstrument(X.Instrument(1))
```

Define Events

Assign callbacks for validating or invalidating an instrument, and for handling data updates for a previously validated instrument.

```
registerevent(X.InstrNotify(1), {'OnNotifyFound', ...  
                                @(varargin) ttinstrumentfound(varargin{:})})  
registerevent(X.InstrNotify(1), {'OnNotifyNotFound', ...  
                                @(varargin) ttinstrumentnotfound(varargin{:})})  
registerevent(X.InstrNotify(1), {'OnNotifyUpdate', ...  
                                @(varargin) ttinstrumentupdate(varargin{:})})
```

Monitor Events

Set the update filter to monitor the desired fields. In this example, events are monitored for updates to last price, last quantity, previous last quantity, and a change in prices. Listen for this event data.

```
X.InstrNotify(1).UpdateFilter = 'Last$,LastQty$,~LastQty$,Change$';  
X.Instrument(1).Open(0)
```


The last command tells X_TRADER to start monitoring the attached instruments using the specified event settings.

Close the Connection

```
close(X)
```

See Also

`close` | `createInstrument` | `createNotifier` | `xtrdr`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using X_TRADER” on page 1-16
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4

Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates

This example shows how to connect to X_TRADER and turn on event handling for level-two market data (for example, bid and ask orders in the market for an instrument) and then create a figure window to display the depth data.

Connect to X_TRADER

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Create an Event Notifier

Create an event notifier and enable depth updates. The event notifier is the X_TRADER mechanism lets you define MATLAB functions to use as callbacks for specific events.

```
createNotifier(X)  
X.InstrNotify(1).EnableDepthUpdates = 1;
```

Create an Instrument

```
createInstrument(X, 'Exchange', 'CME', 'Product', '2F', 'ProdType', 'Future', ...  
                'Contract', 'Aug13', 'Alias', 'PriceInstrumentDepthUpdate')
```

Attach an Instrument to a Notifier

Assign one or more notifiers to an instrument. A notifier can have one or more instruments attached to it.

```
X.InstrNotify(1).AttachInstrument(X.Instrument(1))
```

Define Events

Assign callbacks for validating or invalidating an instrument, and updating the example order book window.

```
registerevent(X.InstrNotify(1), {'OnNotifyFound', ...  
                                @ttinstrumentfound})  
registerevent(X.InstrNotify(1), {'OnNotifyNotFound', ...  
                                @ttinstrumentnotfound})  
registerevent(X.InstrNotify(1), {'OnNotifyDepthData', ...  
                                @ttinstrumentdepthupdate})
```

Set Up the Figure Window

Set up the figure window to display depth data.

```
f = figure('Numbertitle', 'off', 'Tag', 'TTPriceUpdateDepthFigure', ...
```

```

        'Name', ['Order Book - ' X.Instrument(1).Alias])
pos = f.Position;
f.Position = [pos(1) pos(2) 360 315];
f.Resize = 'off';

```

Create Controls

Create controls for the last price data.

```

bspc = 5;
bwid = 80;
bhgt = 20;

uicontrol('Style','text','String','Exchange',...
          'Position',[bspc 4*bspc+3*bhgt bwid bhgt])
uicontrol('Style','text','String','Product',...
          'Position',[2*bspc+bwid 4*bspc+3*bhgt bwid bhgt])
uicontrol('Style','text','String','Type',...
          'Position',[3*bspc+2*bwid 4*bspc+3*bhgt bwid bhgt])
uicontrol('Style','text','String','Contract',...
          'Position',[4*bspc+3*bwid 4*bspc+3*bhgt bwid bhgt])
ui.Exchange = uicontrol('Style','text','Tag','',...
                       'Position',[bspc 3*bspc+2*bhgt bwid bhgt]);
ui.Product = uicontrol('Style','text','Tag','',...
                      'Position',[2*bspc+bwid 3*bspc+2*bhgt bwid bhgt]);
ui.Type = uicontrol('Style','text','Tag','',...
                   'Position',[3*bspc+2*bwid 3*bspc+2*bhgt bwid bhgt]);
ui.Contract = uicontrol('Style','text','Tag','',...
                       'Position',[4*bspc+3*bwid 3*bspc+2*bhgt bwid bhgt]);
uicontrol('Style','text','String','Last Price',...
          'Position',[bspc 2*bspc+bhgt bwid bhgt])
uicontrol('Style','text','String','Last Qty',...
          'Position',[2*bspc+bwid 2*bspc+bhgt bwid bhgt])
uicontrol('Style','text','String','Change',...
          'Position',[3*bspc+2*bwid 2*bspc+bhgt bwid bhgt])
ui.Last = uicontrol('Style','text','Tag','',...
                   'Position',[bspc bspc bwid bhgt]);
ui.Quantity = uicontrol('Style','text','Tag','',...
                       'Position',[2*bspc+bwid bspc bwid bhgt]);
ui.Change = uicontrol('Style','text','Tag','',...
                     'Position',[3*bspc+2*bwid bspc bwid bhgt]);

```

Create a Table

Create a table containing order information.

```
data = { ' ' };
data = data(ones(10,4));
uibook = uitable('Data',data,'ColumnName',...
    {'Bid','Bid Size','Ask','Ask Size'},...
    'Position',[5 105 350 205]);
```

Store Data

```
setappdata(0,'TTOrderBookHandle',uibook)
setappdata(0,'TTOrderBookUIData',ui)
```

Listen for Event Data

Listen for event data with depth updates enabled.

```
X.Instrument(1).Open(1)
```

	Bid	Bid Size	Ask	Ask Size
1	46	20	55	15

Exchange	Product	Type	Contract
CME	2F	FUTURE	2F May13
Last Price	Last Qty	Change	
51	20	5	

The last command instructs X_TRADER to start monitoring the attached instruments using the specified event settings.

Close the Connection

```
close(X)
```

See Also

`close` | `createInstrument` | `createNotifier` | `getData` | `xtrdr`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using X_TRADER” on page 1-16
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4

Submit X_TRADER Orders

This example shows how to connect to X_TRADER and submit orders.

Connect to X_TRADER

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Create an Instrument

```
createInstrument(X, 'Exchange', 'CME', 'Product', '2F', ...  
                'ProdType', 'Future', 'Contract', 'Aug13', ...  
                'Alias', 'SubmitOrderInstrument1')
```

Register Event Handlers

Register event handlers for the order server. The callback `ttorderserverstatus` is assigned to the event `OnExchangeStateUpdate` to verify that the requested instrument's exchange order server is running. Otherwise, no orders can be submitted.

```
sExchange = X.Instrument.Exchange;  
registerevent(X.Gate, {'OnExchangeStateUpdate', ...  
                    @(varargin)ttorderserverstatus(varargin{:}, sExchange)})
```

Create an Order Set

The `OrderSet` object sends orders to X_TRADER.

Set properties of the `OrderSet` object and detail the level of the order status events. Enable order update and reject (failure) events so you can assign callbacks to handle these conditions.

```
createOrderSet(X)  
X.OrderSet(1).EnableOrderRejectData = 1;  
X.OrderSet(1).EnableOrderUpdateData = 1;  
X.OrderSet(1).OrderStatusNotifyMode = 'ORD_NOTIFY_NORMAL';
```

Set Position Limit Checks

Set whether the order set checks self-imposed position limits when submitting an order.

```
X.OrderSet(1).Set('NetLimits', false)
```

Set a Callback Function

Set a callback to handle the `OnOrderFilled` events. Each time an order is filled (or partially filled), this callback is invoked.

```
registerevent(X.OrderSet(1),{'OnOrderFilled',...
                             @(varargin)ttorderevent(varargin{:},X)}
```

Enable Order Submission

You must first enable order submission before you can submit orders to X_TRADER.

```
X.OrderSet(1).Open(1)
```

Build an Order Profile

Build an order profile using an existing instrument. The order profile contains the settings that define a submitted order. The valid `Set` parameters are shown:

```
orderProfile = createOrderProfile(X);
orderProfile.Instrument = X.Instrument(1);
orderProfile.Customer = '<Default>';
```

Sample: Create a Market Order

Create a market order to buy 100 shares.

```
orderProfile.Set('BuySell','Buy')
orderProfile.Set('Qty',100)
orderProfile.Set('OrderType','M')
```

Sample: Create a Limit Order

Create a limit order by setting the `OrderType` and limit order price.

```
orderProfile.Set('OrderType','L')
orderProfile.Set('Limit$','127000')
```

Sample: Create a Stop Market Order

Create a stop market order and set the order restriction to a stop order and a stop price.

```
orderProfile.Set('OrderType','M')
orderProfile.Set('OrderRestr','S')
orderProfile.Set('Stop$','129800')
```

Sample: Create a Stop Limit Order

Create a stop limit order and set the order restriction, type, limit price, and stop price.

```
orderProfile.Set('OrderType','L')
orderProfile.Set('OrderRestr','S')
orderProfile.Set('Limit$','128000')
orderProfile.Set('Stop$','127500')
```

Check the Order Server Status

Check the order server status before submitting the order and add a counter so the example doesn't delay.

```
nCounter = 1;
while ~exist('bServerUp','var') && nCounter < 20
    pause(1)
    nCounter = nCounter + 1;
end
```

Verify the Order Server Availability

Verify that the exchange's order server in question is available before submitting the order.

```
if exist('bServerUp','var') && bServerUp
    submittedQuantity = X.OrderSet(1).SendOrder(orderProfile);
    disp(['Quantity Sent: ' num2str(submittedQuantity)])
else
    disp('Order Server is down. Unable to submit order')
end
```

Close the Connection

```
close(X)
```

See Also

[close](#) | [createInstrument](#) | [createOrderProfile](#) | [createOrderSet](#) | [xtrdr](#)

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using X_TRADER” on page 1-16
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2

- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4

Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order

This example shows how to connect to Bloomberg EMSX, create an order, and interact with the order.

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

Connect to Bloomberg EMSX

Connect to the Bloomberg EMSX test service. Display the current event queue contents using `processEvent`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
processEvent(c)

c =

    emsx with properties:

        Session: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.Session]
        Service: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.impl.aQ]
        Ippaddress: 'localhost'
        Port: 8194

SessionConnectionUp = {
    server = localhost/127.0.0.1:8194
}

SessionStarted = {
}

ServiceOpened = {
    serviceName = //blp/emapisvc_beta
}
```

MATLAB returns `c` as the connection to the Bloomberg EMSX test service with the following:

- Bloomberg EMSX session object
- Bloomberg EMSX service object
- IP address of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service
- Port number of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service

`processEvent` displays events associated with connecting to Bloomberg EMSX.

Set Up the Order Subscription

Subscribe to order events using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` associated with these Bloomberg EMSX fields.

```
fields = {'EMSX_TICKER', 'EMSX_AMOUNT', 'EMSX_FILL'};

[events,subs] = orders(c,fields)

events =

        MSG_TYPE: {'E'}
    MSG_SUB_TYPE: {'O'}
    EVENT_STATUS: 4
        ...

subs =

com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@4bc3dc78
```

`events` contains fields for the events associated with the existing Bloomberg EMSX orders. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Create the Order

Create an order request structure `order` for a buy market order of 400 shares of IBM. Specify the broker as `EFIX`, use any hand instruction, and set the time in force to `DAY`.

```
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(400);
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'EFIX';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
```

Create the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and the order request structure `order`.

```
events = createOrder(c,order)

order_events =

    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 354646
```

```
MESSAGE: 'Order created'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating the order. `createOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Modify the Order

Define the structure `modorder` that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`

This code modifies order number `354646` for 200 shares of IBM. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modorder.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(354646);  
modorder.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';  
modorder.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(200);
```

Modify the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and modify order structure `modorder`.

```
events = modifyOrder(c,modorder)
```

```
events =
```

```
EMSX_SEQUENCE: 354646  
MESSAGE: 'Order Modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying an order. `modifyOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Delete the Order

Define the structure `ordernum` that contains the order sequence number `354646` for the order to delete. Delete the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and the delete order number structure `ordernum`.

```
ordernum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 354646;
events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum)
events =
    STATUS: '0'
    MESSAGE: 'Order deleted'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting an order. `deleteOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Stop the Order Subscription

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX Connection

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `deleteOrder` | `emsx` | `modifyOrder` | `orders`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-13
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

More About

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route

This example shows how to connect to Bloomberg EMSX, set up a route subscription, create and route an order, and interact with the route.

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

Connect to Bloomberg EMSX

Connect to the Bloomberg EMSX test service. Display the current event queue contents using `processEvent`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
processEvent(c)

c =

    emsx with properties:

        Session: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.Session]
        Service: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.impl.aQ]
        Ippaddress: 'localhost'
        Port: 8194

SessionConnectionUp = {
    server = localhost/127.0.0.1:8194
}

SessionStarted = {
}

ServiceOpened = {
    serviceName = //blp/emapisvc_beta
}
```

MATLAB returns `c` as the connection to the Bloomberg EMSX test service with the following:

- Bloomberg EMSX session object
- Bloomberg EMSX service object
- IP address of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service
- Port number of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service

`processEvent` displays events associated with connecting to Bloomberg EMSX.

Set Up the Route Subscription

Set up the route subscription for Bloomberg EMSX fields `EMSX_BROKER` and `EMSX_WORKING` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`. Return the status for existing routes.

```
fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_WORKING'};

[events,subs] = routes(c,fields)

events =

        MSG_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
    MSG_SUB_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
    EVENT_STATUS: [5x1 int32]
    ...

subs =

com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@463b9287
```

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Create and Route the Order

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and the order request structure `order`.

```
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order)
```

```
events =  
  
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877  
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1  
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Modify the Route

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 50 shares of IBM for order sequence number 335877 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877)  
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';  
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(50);  
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and modify route request `modroute`.

```
events = modifyRoute(c,modroute)  
  
events =  
  
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0  
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0  
    MESSAGE: 'Route modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Delete the Modified Route

Define the structure `routenum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` and the route number `EMSX_ROUTE_ID` associated with the modified route.

```
routenum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 0;
routenum.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 0;
```

Delete the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and delete route number structure `routenum`.

```
events = deleteRoute(c,routenum)
```

```
events =
```

```
    STATUS: '1'
    MESSAGE: 'Route cancellation request sent to broker'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting a route. `deleteRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Stop the Route Subscription

Unsubscribe from route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX Connection

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `deleteRoute` | `emsx` | `modifyRoute` | `routeOrder` | `routes`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-13
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

More About

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route

This example shows how to connect to Bloomberg EMSX, set up an order and route subscription, create and route an order, and interact with the route.

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the WAPI <GO> option from the Bloomberg terminal.

Connect to Bloomberg EMSX

Connect to the Bloomberg EMSX test service. Display the current event queue contents using `processEvent`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
processEvent(c)

c =

    emsx with properties:

        Session: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.Session]
        Service: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.impl.aQ]
        Ippaddress: 'localhost'
        Port: 8194

    SessionConnectionUp = {
        server = localhost/127.0.0.1:8194
    }

    SessionStarted = {
    }

    ServiceOpened = {
        serviceName = //blp/emapisvc_beta
    }
```

MATLAB returns `c` as the connection to the Bloomberg EMSX test service with the following:

- Bloomberg EMSX session object
- Bloomberg EMSX service object
- IP address of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service

- Port number of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service

`processEvent` displays events associated with connecting to Bloomberg EMSX.

Set Up the Order and Route Subscription

Subscribe to order events using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` associated with these Bloomberg EMSX fields.

```
fields = {'EMSX_TICKER', 'EMSX_AMOUNT', 'EMSX_FILL'};
```

```
[events,osubs] = orders(c,fields)
```

```
events =
```

```
        MSG_TYPE: {'E'}
MSG_SUB_TYPE: {'O'}
EVENT_STATUS: 4
...
```

```
osubs =
```

```
com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@4bc3dc78
```

`events` contains fields for the events associated with the existing Bloomberg EMSX orders. `osubs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Subscribe to route events for the Bloomberg EMSX fields `EMSX_BROKER` and `EMSX_WORKING` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`. Return the status for existing routes.

```
fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_WORKING'};
```

```
[events,rsubs] = routes(c,fields)
```

```
events =
```

```
        MSG_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
MSG_SUB_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
EVENT_STATUS: [5x1 int32]
...
```

```
rsubs =
```

```
com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@463b9287
```

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `rsubs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Create and Route the Order

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and the order request structure `order`.

```
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order)

events =
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Modify the Route

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`

- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 50 shares of IBM for order sequence number 335877 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(50);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and modify route request `modroute`.

```
events = modifyRoute(c,modroute)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0
    MESSAGE: 'Route modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Delete the Route

Define the structure `routenum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the routed order and route number `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`.

```
routenum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 0;
routenum.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 0;
```

Delete the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and delete route number structure `routenum`.

```
events = deleteRoute(c,routenum)
```

```
events =
```

```
    STATUS: '1'
```

```
MESSAGE: 'Route cancellation request sent to broker'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting a route. `deleteRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Stop the Order and Route Subscription

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX Connection

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `deleteRoute` | `emsx` | `modifyRoute` | `orders` | `routes`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-13
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16

More About

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order

This example shows how to connect to the IB Trader Workstation, request open order data, create IB Trader Workstation `IContract` and `IOrder` objects, and execute the order. For details about the `IContract` and `IOrder` objects, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

This example uses the sample event handler function `ibExampleOrderEventHandler` to populate an order blotter figure with Interactive Brokers order information. Use this event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit IBOrderWorkflow.m`.

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation and create connection `ib` using the local host and port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

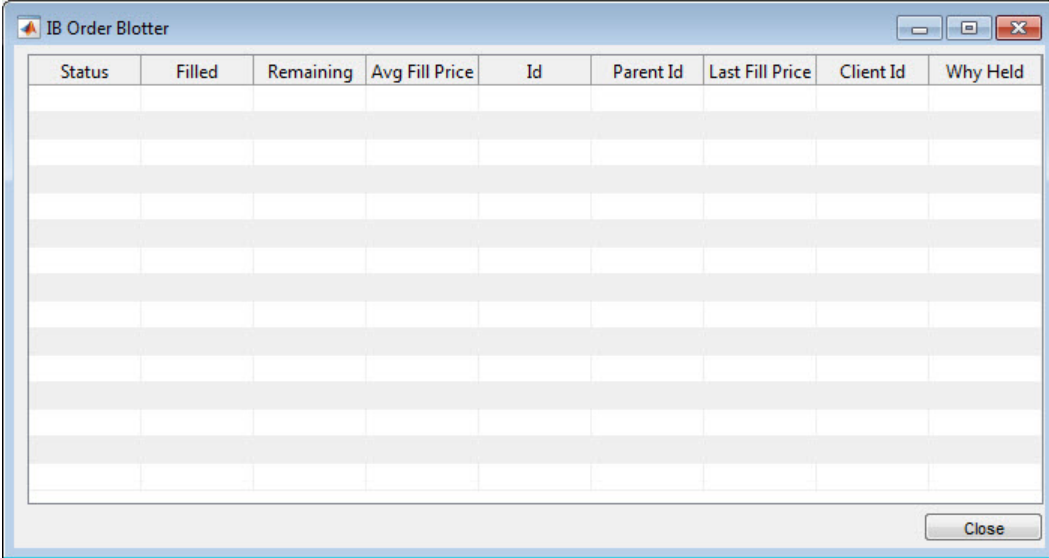
Create an Example Order Blotter

Create an example order blotter that the event handler populates.

This MATLAB code creates a MATLAB figure to contain the Interactive Brokers order information.

```
f = findobj('Tag','IBOrderBlotter');
if isempty(f)
    f = figure('Tag','IBOrderBlotter','MenuBar','none',...
        'NumberTitle','off','Name','IB Order Blotter')
    pos = f.Position;
    f.Position = [pos(1) pos(2) 687 335];
    colnames = {'Status','Filled','Remaining','Avg Fill Price','Id',...
        'Parent Id','Last Fill Price','Client Id','Why Held'};
    data = cell(15,9);
    uitable(f,'Data',data,'RowName',[],'ColumnName',colnames,...
        'Position',[10 30 677 300],'Tag','OrderDataTable')
    uicontrol('Style','text','Position',[10 5 592 20],...
        'Tag','IBOrderMessage')
    uicontrol('Style','pushbutton','String','Close',...
        'Callback','evalin(''base'', 'close(ib);close(findobj(''''Tag''',''IBOrderBlotter''))');'),...
        'Position',[607 5 80 20])
end
```

MATLAB displays the IB Order Blotter.



The screenshot shows a window titled "IB Order Blotter" with a standard Windows-style title bar (minimize, maximize, close buttons). The main content is a table with the following columns: Status, Filled, Remaining, Avg Fill Price, Id, Parent Id, Last Fill Price, Client Id, and Why Held. The table is currently empty, showing only the header row. A "Close" button is located in the bottom right corner of the window.

Status	Filled	Remaining	Avg Fill Price	Id	Parent Id	Last Fill Price	Client Id	Why Held
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Request Open Order Data

Request information for all open orders using only this client and the sample event handler `ibExampleOrderEventHandler`.

```
o = orders(ib,true,@ibExampleOrderEventHandler);
```

`o` is an empty double because `ibExampleOrderEventHandler` displays the data for all open orders in the IB Order Blotter.


```
ibContract =  
  
    Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Control_module.IContract
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation IOrder object `ibOrder` for a buy market order for two shares.

```
ibOrder = ib.Handle.createOrder;  
ibOrder.action = 'BUY';  
ibOrder.totalQuantity = 2;  
ibOrder.orderType = 'MKT'  
  
ibOrder =  
  
    Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Control_module.IOrder
```

`ibOrder` contains the action, total quantity, and order type.

Create the Interactive Brokers Order

Obtain the next valid order identification number using IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`.

```
id = orderid(ib);
```

Execute the buy market order for two shares using the unique order identifier `id` and sample event handler `ibExampleOrderEventHandler`.

```
createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id,@ibExampleOrderEventHandler)
```

MATLAB displays order information in the IB Order Blotter. The IB Order Blotter shows the open order and the filled order.

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation” on page 1-7
- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

More About

- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26

External Websites

- [Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide](#)

Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data

This example shows how to connect to the IB Trader Workstation, create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object, and request historical data. For details about the `IContract` object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide. To access the code for this example, enter `edit IBHistoricalDataWorkflow.m`.

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation and Create the `IContract` Object

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation and create connection `ib` using the local host and port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

MATLAB returns `ib` as the connection to the IB Trader Workstation with the Interactive Brokers ActiveX® object, the local host, and the port number that you choose.

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. Here, this object describes a security with these property values:

- XYZ symbol
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange
- USD currency

XYZ is a sample symbol name and EX is a sample primary exchange name. To create orders for your security, substitute the symbol name in `ibContract.symbol` and primary exchange name in `ibContract.primaryExchange`.

```
ibContract = ib.Handle.createContract;  
ibContract.symbol = 'XYZ';  
ibContract.secType = 'STK';  
ibContract.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibContract.primaryExchange = 'EX';  
ibContract.currency = 'USD'
```

```
ibContract =
```

```
Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Control_module.IContract
```

Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data

Request the last 5 days of historical data using `ibContract`.

```
startdate = floor(now) - 5;
enddate = floor(now);
```

```
d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate)
```

```
d =
```

```
Columns 1 through 5
```

736308.00	751.83	755.85	743.83	749.46
736309.00	742.69	745.71	736.75	738.20
736312.00	743.08	748.73	724.17	748.48
736313.00	752.50	758.08	744.43	750.45

```
Columns 6 through 9
```

12513.00	9107.00	751.28	0
15984.00	11121.00	740.39	0
17125.00	11355.00	736.61	0
1935.00	2371.00	751.67	0

`d` contains the historical data for 5 days.

Each row of `d` contains historical data for 1 day. The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Close the Connection

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`.

```
close(ib)
```

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtw` | `timeseries`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation” on page 1-7
- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

More About

- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6

External Websites

- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data

This example shows how to connect to the IB Trader Workstation, create IB Trader Workstation `IContract` objects, and request real-time data. For details about the `IContract` object, see *Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide*.

This example uses the sample event handler function `ibExampleRealtimeEventHandler` to handle events associated with requesting real-time data. Use this event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Here, `AAA`, `BBB`, and `DDDD` are sample symbol names. `EX` is a sample primary exchange name. To create orders for your securities, substitute symbol names in `ibContract.symbol` and primary exchange names in `ibContract.primaryExchange`.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit IBStreamingDataWorkflow.m`.

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation and Create the Real-Time Data Display Figure

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation and create connection `ib` using the local host and port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws(' ',7496);
```

MATLAB returns `ib` as the connection to the IB Trader Workstation with the Interactive Brokers ActiveX object, the local host, and the port number that you choose.

To display real-time data, create an example figure.

This MATLAB code creates a MATLAB figure to contain the Interactive Brokers real-time data.

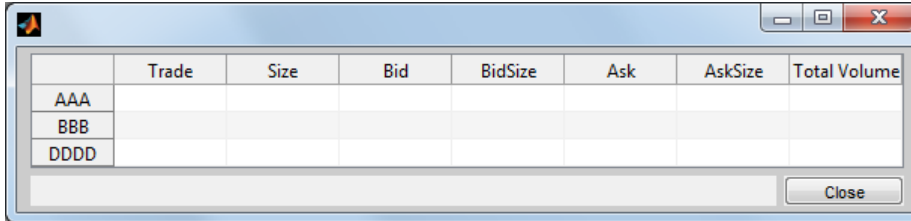
```
f = findobj('Tag','IBStreamingDataWorkflow');
if isempty(f)
    f = figure('Tag','IBStreamingDataWorkflow','MenuBar','none',...
        'NumberTitle','off')
    pos = f.Position;
    f.Position = [pos(1) pos(2) pos(3)+37 109];
    colnames = {'Trade','Size','Bid','BidSize','Ask','AskSize',...
        'Total Volume'};
    rownames = {'AAA','BBB','DDDD'};
    data = cell(3,6);
    uitable(f,'Data',data,'RowName',rownames,'ColumnName',colnames,...
        'Position',[10 30 582 76],'Tag','SecurityDataTable')
    uicontrol('Style','text','Position',[10 5 497 20],'Tag','IBMessage')
```

```

uicontrol('Style','pushbutton','String','Close',...
'Callback',...
'evalin('base','close(ib);close(findobj(''Tag'',''IBStreamingDataWorkflow''));')',...
'Position',[512 5 80 20])
end

```

MATLAB displays the empty figure.



	Trade	Size	Bid	BidSize	Ask	AskSize	Total Volume
AAA							
BBB							
DDDD							

Create IB Trader Workstation IContract Objects

Create the IB Trader Workstation IContract object for the first security. Here, this object describes a security with these property values:

- AAA symbol
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange
- USD currency

```

ibContract1 = ib.Handle.createContract;
ibContract1.symbol = 'AAA';
ibContract1.secType = 'STK';
ibContract1.exchange = 'SMART';
ibContract1.primaryExchange = 'EX';
ibContract1.currency = 'USD';

```

Create the IB Trader Workstation IContract object for the second security symbol BBB.

```

ibContract2 = ib.Handle.createContract;
ibContract2.symbol = 'BBB';
ibContract2.secType = 'STK';
ibContract2.exchange = 'SMART';
ibContract2.primaryExchange = 'EX';
ibContract2.currency = 'USD';

```

Create the IB Trader Workstation IContract object for the third security symbol DDDD.

```

ibContract3 = ib.Handle.createContract;
ibContract3.symbol = 'DDDD';
ibContract3.secType = 'STK';
ibContract3.exchange = 'SMART';
ibContract3.primaryExchange = 'EX';
ibContract3.currency = 'USD';

```

Display the data in the `symbol` property of `ibContract1`.

```
ibContract1.symbol
```

```
ans =
    AAA
```

Request real-time data for the three securities. Set `f` to 100 to retrieve the Option Volume tick type. For details about other generic market data tick types, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleRealtimeEventHandler` to process the real-time data events or write a custom event handler function.

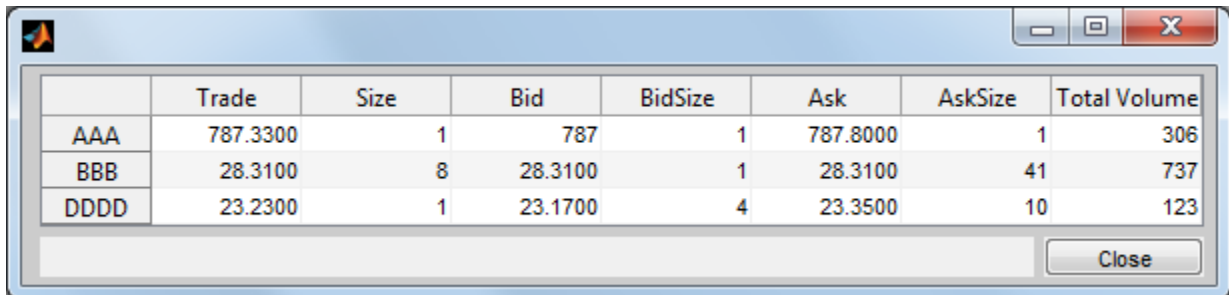
```

contracts = {ibContract1;ibContract2;ibContract3};
f = '100';

tickerID = realtime(ib,contracts,f,...
    @(varargin)ibExampleRealtimeEventHandler(varargin{:}));

```

MATLAB displays the figure populated with real-time data for stock symbols AAA, BBB, and DDDD.



	Trade	Size	Bid	BidSize	Ask	AskSize	Total Volume
AAA	787.3300	1	787	1	787.8000	1	306
BBB	28.3100	8	28.3100	1	28.3100	41	737
DDDD	23.2300	1	23.1700	4	23.3500	10	123

Close the Connection

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`.

```
close(ib)
```

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtw` | `timeseries`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation” on page 1-7
- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32

More About

- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26

External Websites

- [Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide](#)

Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order

This example shows how to connect to the IB Trader Workstation, create IB Trader Workstation `IContract` and `IComboLegList` objects, and create a combination order for a calendar spread. A calendar spread is one of many combination order strategies. This strategy takes advantage of different stock option expiration dates. This example creates a buy order on a calendar spread for Google[®]. For details about `IContract` objects, `IComboLegList` objects, and combination orders, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

This example uses the sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler` to handle events associated with creating a combination order. Use this event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

To access the code for this example, enter `edit IBCombinationOrder.m`.

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation and create connection `ib` using the local host and port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws(' ',7496);
```

MATLAB returns `ib` as the connection to the IB Trader Workstation with the Interactive Brokers ActiveX object, the local host, and the port number that you choose.

Create IB Trader Workstation `IContract` Objects

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract1`. Here, this object describes the first call option in the calendar spread. Create an `IContract` object with these property values:

- Google symbol.
- Stock option.
- Expiry date is August 2014.
- Strike price is \$535.00.
- Call option.
- Number of shares is 100.
- Aggregate exchange.

- Primary exchange
- USD currency.

Here, EX is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `ibContract1.primaryExchange`.

```
ibContract1 = ib.Handle.createContract;  
ibContract1.symbol = 'GOOG';  
ibContract1.secType = 'OPT';  
ibContract1.expiry = '201408';  
ibContract1.strike = 535;  
ibContract1.right = 'C';  
ibContract1.multiplier = '100';  
ibContract1.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibContract1.primaryExchange = 'EX';  
ibContract1.currency = 'USD';
```

Request contract details for `ibContract1`.

```
[cd1,ibContractID1] = contractdetails(ib,ibContract1);
```

`cd1` returns the contract details data for `ibContract1`. `ibContractID1` returns the request identifier for this contract details request.

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract2`. Here, this object describes the second call option in the calendar spread. Create an `IContract` object with these property values:

- Google symbol.
- Stock option.
- Expiry date is September 2014.
- Strike price is \$535.00.
- Call option.
- Number of shares is 100.
- Aggregate exchange.
- Primary exchange
- USD currency.

Here, EX is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `ibContract2.primaryExchange`.

```

ibContract2 = ib.Handle.createContract;
ibContract2.symbol = 'GOOG';
ibContract2.secType = 'OPT';
ibContract2.expiry = '201409';
ibContract2.strike = 535;
ibContract2.right = 'C';
ibContract2.multiplier = '100';
ibContract2.exchange = 'SMART';
ibContract2.primaryExchange = 'EX';
ibContract2.currency = 'USD';

```

Request contract details for `ibContract2`.

```
[cd2,ibContractID2] = contractdetails(ib,ibContract2);
```

`cd2` returns the contract details data for `ibContract12`. `ibContractID2` returns the request identifier for this contract details request.

Create IB Trader Workstation `IComboLegList` Object

To define the legs of the combination order, create the IB Trader Workstation `IComboLegList` object `comboLegs`.

```
comboLegs = ib.Handle.createComboLegList;
```

Here, this combination order has two legs. Add the first leg to `comboLegs`. The first leg contains these property values:

- IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract1`.
- One-to-one leg ratio.
- Sell the call option.
- Aggregate exchange.
- Identify an open or close order based on the parent security.
- IB Trader Workstation routes the order without a designated broker.
- Blank designated broker.

```

ibLeg1 = comboLegs.Add;
ibLeg1.conId = ibContractID1;
ibLeg1.ratio = 1;
ibLeg1.action = 'SELL';
ibLeg1.exchange = 'SMART';
ibLeg1.openClose = 0;

```

```
ibLeg1.shortSaleSlot = 0;  
ibLeg1.designatedLocation = '';
```

Add the second leg to `comboLegs`. The second leg contains these property values:

- IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract2`.
- One-to-one leg ratio.
- Buy the call option.
- Aggregate exchange.
- Identify an open or close order based on the parent security.
- IB Trader Workstation routes the order without a designated broker.
- Blank designated broker.

```
ibLeg2 = comboLegs.Add;  
ibLeg2.conId = ibContractID2;  
ibLeg2.ratio = 1;  
ibLeg2.action = 'BUY';  
ibLeg2.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibLeg2.openClose = 0;  
ibLeg2.shortSaleSlot = 0;  
ibLeg2.designatedLocation = '';
```

Create the Interactive Brokers Combination Order

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `orderContract` for the combination order. Create an `IContract` object with these property values:

- Google symbol
- Combination order type BAG
- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange
- USD currency
- IB Trader Workstation `IComboLegList` object `comboLegs`

Here, `EX` is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `orderContract.primaryExchange`.

```
orderContract = ib.Handle.createContract;  
orderContract.symbol = 'GOOG';
```



```
orderContract.secType = 'BAG';  
orderContract.exchange = 'SMART';  
orderContract.primaryExchange = 'EX';  
orderContract.currency = 'USD';  
orderContract.comboLegs = comboLegs;
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`. Here, the combination order is a market order to buy one combination of the two legs.

```
ibOrder = ib.Handle.createOrder;  
ibOrder.action = 'BUY';  
ibOrder.totalQuantity = 1;  
ibOrder.orderType = 'MKT';
```

Request the next valid order identification number `id` using `orderid`.

```
id = orderid(ib);
```

Execute the combination order `ibOrder` using these arguments:

- IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`
- Combination order `IContract` object `orderContract`
- IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`
- Order identifier `id`
- Sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler`

```
d = createOrder(ib,orderContract,ibOrder,id,@ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
d =
```

```
768413.00
```

`d` returns the unique order identifier for this combination order.

Close the Connection

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`.

```
close(ib)
```

See Also

`close` | `contractdetails` | `createOrder` | `ibtws` | `orderid`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation” on page 1-7
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

More About

- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26

External Websites

- [Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide](#)

Create CQG Orders

This example shows how to connect to CQG, define the event handlers, subscribe to the security, define the account handle, and submit orders for execution.

Create the CQG Connection

Create the CQG connection object using `cqg`.

```
c = cqg;
```

Define Event Handlers

Register the sample event handler `cqgconnectioneventhandler` to track events associated with the connection status.

```
eventNames = {'CELStarted', 'DataError', 'IsReady', ...
              'DataConnectionStatusChanged', ...
              'GWConnectionStatusChanged', ...
              'GWEnvironmentChanged'};
for i = 1:length(eventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle, {eventNames{i}, ...
                          @(varargin)cqgconnectioneventhandler(varargin{:})})
end
```

`cqgconnectioneventhandler` is assigned to the events in `eventNames`.

Set the API configuration properties. For example, to set the time zone to Eastern Time, enter the following.

```
c.APIConfig.TimeZoneCode = 'tzEastern';
```

`c.APIConfig` is a CQG configuration object. For details about setting API configuration properties, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Establish the connection to CQG.

```
startUp(c)
```

```
CELStarted
DataConnectionStatusChanged
GWConnectionStatusChanged
```

The connection event handler displays event names for a successful CQG connection.

Register an event handler to track events associated with a CQG instrument subscription.

```
streamEventNames = {'InstrumentSubscribed', 'InstrumentChanged', ...  
                    'IncorrectSymbol'};  
for i = 1:length(streamEventNames)  
    registerevent(c.Handle, {streamEventNames{i}, ...  
                          @(varargin)cqgrealtimeeventhandler(varargin{:})})  
end
```

Register an event handler to track events associated with a CQG order and account.

```
orderEventNames = {'AccountChanged', 'OrderChanged', 'AllOrdersCanceled'};  
for i = 1:length(orderEventNames)  
    registerevent(c.Handle, {orderEventNames{i}, ...  
                          @(varargin)cqgordereventhandler(varargin{:})})  
end
```

Subscribe to the CQG Instrument

With the connection established, subscribe to the CQG instrument. The instrument must be successfully subscribed first before it is available for transactions. You must format the instrument name in the CQG long symbol view. For example, to subscribe to a security tied to the EURIBOR, enter the following.

```
realtime(c, 'F.US.IE')  
pause(2)
```

```
F.US.IEK13 subscribed
```

`pause` causes MATLAB to wait 2 seconds before continuing to give time for CQG to subscribe to the instrument.

Create the CQG instrument object.

To use the instrument in `createOrder`, import the name of the instrument `cqgInstrumentName` into the current MATLAB workspace. Then, create the CQGInstrument object `cqgInst`.

```
cqgInstrumentName = evalin('base', 'cqgInstrument');  
cqgInst = c.Handle.Instruments.Item(cqgInstrumentName);
```

Set Up Account Credentials

Set the CQG flags to enable account information retrieval.

```
set(c.Handle, 'AccountSubscriptionLevel', 'aslNone')
set(c.Handle, 'AccountSubscriptionLevel', 'aslAccountUpdatesAndOrders')
pause(2)
```

```
ans =
    AccountChanged
```

The CQG API shows that account information changed.

Set up the CQG account credentials.

Retrieve the `CQGAccount` object into `accountHandle` to use your account information in `createOrder`. For details about creating a `CQGAccount` object, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

```
accountHandle = c.Handle.Accounts.ItemByIndex(0);
```

Create CQG Market, Limit, Stop, and Stop Limit Orders

Create a market order that buys one share of the subscribed security `cqgInst` using the account credentials `accountHandle`.

```
quantity = 1;

oMarket = createOrder(c,cqgInst,1,accountHandle,quantity);
oMarket.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged
```

The `CQGOrder` object `oMarket` contains the order. The CQG API executes the market order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

To use a string for the security, subscribe to the security 'EZC' as shown above. Then, create a market order that buys one share of the security 'EZC' using the defined account credentials `accountHandle`.

```
cqgInstrumentName = 'EZC';
quantity = 1;

oMarket = createOrder(c,cqgInstrumentName,1,accountHandle,quantity);
oMarket.Place

ans =
```

OrderChanged

The `CQGOrder` object `oMarket` contains the order. The CQG API executes the market order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

To create a limit order, you can use the bid price. Extract the CQG bid object `qtBid` from the previously defined `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`. For details about the `CQGInstrument` object, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

```
qtBid = cqgInst.get('Bid');
```

Create a limit order that buys one share of the previously subscribed security `cqgInst` using the previously defined account credentials `accountHandle` and `qtBid` for the limit price.

```
quantity = 1;
limitprice = qtBid.get('Price');

oLimit = createOrder(c,cqgInst,2,accountHandle,quantity,limitprice);
oLimit.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged
```

The `CQGOrder` object `oLimit` contains the order. The CQG API executes the limit order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

To create a stop order, you can use the trade price. Extract the CQG trade object `qtTrade` from the previously defined `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`.

```
qtTrade = cqgInst.get('Trade');
```

Create a stop order that buys one share of the previously subscribed security `cqgInst` using the previously defined account credentials `accountHandle` and `qtTrade` for the stop price.

```
quantity = 1;
stopprice = qtTrade.get('Price');

oStop = createOrder(c,cqgInst,3,accountHandle,quantity,stopprice);
oStop.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged
```

The `CQGOrder` object `oStop` contains the order. The CQG API executes the stop order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

To create a stop limit order, use both the bid and trade prices defined above. Create a stop limit order that buys one share of the subscribed security `cqgInst` using the defined account credentials `accountHandle`.

```
quantity = 1;

oStopLimit = createOrder(c,cqgInst,4,accountHandle,quantity,...
    limitprice,stopprice);
oStopLimit.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged
```

The `CQGOrder` object `oStopLimit` contains the order. The CQG API executes the stop limit order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

Close the CQG Connection

```
shutDown(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `cqg` | `createOrder` | `history` | `realtime` | `shutDown` | `startUp` | `timeseries`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using CQG” on page 1-11
- “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57
- “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8

External Websites

- CQG API Reference Guide

Request CQG Historical Data

This example shows how to connect to CQG, define event handlers, and request historical data.

Connect to CQG

Create the CQG connection object using `cqg`.

```
c = cqg;
```

Define Event Handlers

Register the sample event handler `cqgconnectioneventhandler` to track events associated with connection status.

```
eventNames = {'CELStarted', 'DataError', 'IsReady', ...  
             'DataConnectionStatusChanged'};  
for i = 1:length(eventNames)  
    registerevent(c.Handle, {eventNames{i}}, ...  
                @(varargin)cqgconnectioneventhandler(varargin{:}))  
end
```

`cqgconnectioneventhandler` is assigned to the events in `eventNames`.

Set the API configuration properties. For example, to set the time zone to Eastern Time, enter the following.

```
c.APIConfig.TimeZoneCode = 'tzEastern';
```

`c.APIConfig` is a CQG configuration object. For details about setting API configuration properties, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Create the CQG connection.

```
startUp(c)
```

```
CELStarted  
DataConnectionStatusChanged
```

The connection event handler displays event names for a successful CQG connection.

Register an event handler to build and initialize the output data matrix `cqgHistoryData`.


```

histEventNames = {'ExpressionResolved', 'ExpressionAdded', ...
    'ExpressionUpdated'};
for i = 1:length(histEventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle, {histEventNames{i}, ...
        @(varargin)cqgexpressioneventhandler(varargin{:})})
end

```

Pass an Additional Optional Request Property

Pass an additional optional request property by creating the structure `x` and setting the optional property.

```
x.UpdatesEnabled = false;
```

For additional optional properties you can set, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Request CQG Historical Data

Request daily data for instrument `XYZ.XYZ` for the last 10 days using the additional optional request property `x`. `XYZ.XYZ` is a sample instrument name. To request historical data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```

instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = floor(now) - 10;
enddate = floor(now);
period = 'hpDaily';

```

```
history(c, instrument, startdate, enddate, period, x)
```

MATLAB writes the variable `cqgHistoryData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgHistoryData`.

```

cqgHistoryData
cqgHistoryData =
  1.0e+05 *
    7.3533    0.0063    0.0063
    7.3533    0.0064    0.0064
    7.3533    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066

```

```
7.3534    0.0064    0.0064
```

Each row in `cqgHistoryData` represents data for 1 day. The columns in `cqgHistoryData` show the numerical representation of the timestamp, the close price, and the open price for the instrument during the day.

Close the CQG Connection

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `cqg` | `createOrder` | `history` | `realtime` | `shutDown` | `startUp` | `timeseries`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using CQG” on page 1-11
- “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57
- “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8

External Websites

- CQG API Reference Guide

Request CQG Intraday Tick Data

This example shows how to connect to CQG, define event handlers, and request intraday and timed bar data.

Connect to CQG and Define Event Handlers

Create the CQG connection object using `cqg`.

```
c = cqg;
```

Register the sample event handler `cqgconnectioneventhandler` to track events associated with the connection status.

```
eventNames = {'CELStarted', 'DataError', 'IsReady', ...
              'DataConnectionStatusChanged'};
for i = 1:length(eventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle, {eventNames{i}}, ...
                 @(varargin)cqgconnectioneventhandler(varargin{:}))
end
```

`cqgconnectioneventhandler` is assigned to the events in `eventNames`.

Set the API configuration properties. For example, to set the time zone to Eastern Time, enter the following.

```
c.APIConfig.TimeZoneCode = 'tzEastern';
```

`c.APIConfig` is a CQG configuration object. For details about setting API configuration properties, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Create the CQG connection.

```
startUp(c)
```

```
CELStarted
DataConnectionStatusChanged
```

The connection event handler displays event names for a successful CQG connection.

Register an event handler to build and initialize the output data structure `cqgTickData` used for storing intraday tick data.

```
rawEventNames = {'TicksResolved', 'TicksAdded'};
```

```
for i = 1:length(rawEventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle,{rawEventNames{i},...
        @(varargin)cqgintradayeventhandler(varargin{:})})
end
```

Request CQG Intraday Tick Data

Pass an additional optional request property by creating the structure `x`, and setting the optional property. To see only bid tick data, for example, set `TickFilter` to `'tfBid'`.

```
x.TickFilter = 'tfBid';
```

`TickFilter` and `SessionsFilter` are the only valid additional optional properties for calling `timeseries` without a timed bar request. For additional property values you can set, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Request intraday tick data for instrument `XYZ.XYZ` for the last 2 days using the additional optional request property `x`. `XYZ.XYZ` is a sample instrument name. To request intraday tick data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```
instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = now - 2;
enddate = now;
```

```
timeseries(c,instrument,startdate,enddate,[],x)
pause(1)
```

`pause` causes MATLAB to wait 1 second before continuing to give time for CQG to subscribe to the instrument. MATLAB writes the variable `cqgTickData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgTickData`.

```
cqgTickData
```

```
cqgTickData =
    Timestamp: {2x1 cell}
    Price: [2x1 double]
    Volume: [2x1 double]
    PriceType: {2x1 cell}
    CorrectionType: {2x1 cell}
    SalesConditionLabel: {2x1 cell}
    SalesConditionCode: [2x1 double]
```

```

ContributorId: {2x1 cell}
ContributorIdCode: [2x1 double]
MarketState: {2x1 cell}

```

Display data in the `Timestamp` property of `cqgTickData`.

```

cqgTickData.Timestamp

ans =
    '4/17/2013 2:14:00 PM'
    '4/18/2013 2:14:00 PM'

```

Request CQG Timed Bar Data

Register an event handler to build and initialize the output data matrix `cqgTimedBarData` used for storing timed bar data.

```

aggEventNames = {'TimedBarsResolved', 'TimedBarsAdded',
                 'TimedBarsUpdated', 'TimedBarsInserted',
                 'TimedBarsRemoved'};
for i = 1:length(aggEventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle, {aggEventNames{i}, ...
                      @(varargin)cqgintradayeventhandler(varargin{:})})
end

```

Pass additional optional request properties by creating the structure `x`, and setting the optional property.

```
x.UpdatesEnabled = false;
```

Request timed bar data for instrument `XYZ.XYZ` for the last fraction of a day using the additional optional request property `x`. `XYZ.XYZ` is a sample instrument name. To request timed bar data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```

instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = now - .1;
enddate = now;
intraday = 1;

timeseries(c, instrument, startdate, enddate, intraday, x)
pause(1)

```

MATLAB writes the variable `cqgTimedBarData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgTimedBarData`.

cqgTimedBarData

```
cqgTimedBarData =
  1.0e+09 *
  0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
  0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
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  ...
```

`cqgTimedBarData` returns timed bar data for the specified instrument. The columns of `cqgTimedBarData` display data corresponding to the timestamp, open price, high price, low price, close price, mid-price, HLC3, average price, and tick volume.

Close the CQG Connection

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `cqg` | `createOrder` | `history` | `realtime` | `shutDown` | `startUp` | `timeseries`

Related Examples

- “Create an Order Using CQG” on page 1-11
- “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45
- “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8

External Websites

- CQG API Reference Guide

Request CQG Real-Time Data

This example shows how to connect to CQG, define event handlers, and request current data.

Connect to CQG

Create the CQG connection object using `cqg`.

```
c = cqg;
```

Define Event Handlers

Register the sample event handler `cqgconnectioneventhandler` to track events for the connection status.

```
eventNames = {'CELStarted', 'DataError', 'IsReady',
              'DataConnectionStatusChanged', 'GWConnectionStatusChanged',
              'GWEnvironmentChanged'};
for i = 1:length(eventNames)
    registerevent(c.Handle, {eventNames{i}, ...
        @(varargin)cqgconnectioneventhandler(varargin{:})})
end
```

`cqgconnectioneventhandler` is assigned to the events in `eventNames`.

Set the API configuration properties. For example, to set the time zone to Eastern Time, enter the following.

```
c.APIConfig.TimeZoneCode = 'tzEastern';
```

`c.APIConfig` is a CQG configuration object. For details about setting the API configuration properties, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Establish the connection to CQG.

```
startUp(c)
```

```
CELStarted
DataConnectionStatusChanged
GWConnectionStatusChanged
```

The connection event handler displays event names for a successful CQG connection.

Register an event handler to track events associated with the CQG instrument subscription.

```
streamEventNames = {'InstrumentSubscribed', 'InstrumentChanged', ...  
                    'IncorrectSymbol'};  
for i = 1:length(streamEventNames)  
    registerevent(c.Handle, {streamEventNames{i}, ...  
                      @(varargin)cqgrealtimeeventhandler(varargin{:})})  
end
```

Request CQG Real-Time Data

With the connection established, subscribe to the instrument. The instrument name must be formatted in the CQG long symbol view. For example, to subscribe to a security tied to corn, enter the following.

```
instrument = 'F.US.EZC';  
realtime(c, instrument)
```

MATLAB writes the structure variable `cqgDataEZC` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgDataEZC`.

```
cqgDataEZC(1,1)  
  
ans =  
    Price: {15x1 cell}  
    Volume: {15x1 cell}  
    ServerTimestamp: {15x1 cell}  
    Timestamp: {15x1 cell}  
    Type: {15x1 cell}  
    Name: {15x1 cell}  
    IsValid: {15x1 cell}  
    Instrument: {15x1 cell}  
    HasVolume: {15x1 cell}
```

`cqgDataEZC` returns the current quotes for the security.

Display data in the `Price` property of `cqgDataEZC`.

```
cqgDataEZC(1,1).Price  
  
ans =  
    [-2.1475e+09]  
    [-2.1475e+09]
```



```
[ -2.1475e+09]
[   660.5000]
[]
[]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[ -2.1475e+09]
[   660.5000]
[ -2.1475e+09]
```

Close the CQG Connection

```
close(c)
```

See Also

`close` | `cqg` | `createOrder` | `history` | `realtime` | `shutDown` | `startUp` | `timeseries`

Related Examples

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External Websites

- CQG API Reference Guide

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emsx

Create Bloomberg EMSX connection

Syntax

```
c = emsx(servicename)
```

Description

`c = emsx(servicename)` creates a connection to the local Bloomberg EMSX communications server using the service `servicename`.

Examples

Connect to the Bloomberg EMSX Test Service

Create a connection `c` to the Bloomberg EMSX test service. You can place test calls using this service.

```
c = emsx(' //blp/emapisvc_beta' )  
  
c =  
  
emsx with properties:  
  
    Session: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.Session]  
    Service: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.impl.aQ]  
    Ippaddress: 'localhost'  
    Port: 8194
```

MATLAB returns `c` as the connection to the Bloomberg EMSX test service with the following:

- Bloomberg EMSX session object
- Bloomberg EMSX service object
- IP address of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service
- Port number of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX test service

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Connect to the Bloomberg EMSX Production Service

Create a connection `c` to the Bloomberg EMSX production service. You can place live calls using this service.

```
c = emsx('//bmp/emapisvc')
```

```
c =
```

```
emsx with properties:
```

```
    Session: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.Session]
    Service: [1x1 com.bloomberglp.blpapi.impl.aQ]
    Ippaddress: 'localhost'
    Port: 8194
```

MATLAB returns `c` as the connection to the Bloomberg EMSX test service with the following:

- Bloomberg EMSX session object
- Bloomberg EMSX service object
- IP address of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX production service
- Port number of the machine running the Bloomberg EMSX production service

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create an Order Using Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-13
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

servicename — Bloomberg EMSX service name

string

Bloomberg EMSX service name, specified using a test or production Bloomberg EMSX servicename.

Data Types: char

Output Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, returned as a connection object with these properties.

Property	Description
Session	Bloomberg EMSX session object
Service	Bloomberg EMSX service object
Ippaddress	IP address of the machine where Bloomberg EMSX is running
Port	Port number of the machine where Bloomberg EMSX is running

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the WAPI <GO> option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

See Also

close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute | routeOrder

Introduced in R2013a

close

Close Bloomberg EMSX connection

Syntax

```
close(c)
```

Description

`close(c)` closes the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

Examples

Close the Bloomberg EMSX Connection

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

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Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

See Also

`createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `emsx` | `routeOrder`

Introduced in R2013a

createOrder

Create Bloomberg EMSX order

Syntax

```
events = createOrder(c,order)
events = createOrder(c,order,'timeOut',timeout)

createOrder( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)

____ = createOrder(,c,order,options)
```

Description

`events = createOrder(c,order)` creates a Bloomberg EMSX order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and order request `order` that contains the required fields for creating an order. `createOrder` returns the order sequence number and status message using the default event handler.

`events = createOrder(c,order,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`createOrder(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)` creates a Bloomberg EMSX order using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with creating orders. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = createOrder(,c,order,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Create an Order Using the Default Event Handler

To create a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order subscription using `orders`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `order`.

```
events = createOrder(c,order)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 354646
    MESSAGE: 'Order created'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating the order. `createOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create an Order Using a Timeout

To create a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order subscription using `orders`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `order`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = createOrder(c,order,'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 354646
    MESSAGE: 'Order created'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating the order. `createOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create an Order Using a Custom Event Handler

To create a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order subscription using `orders`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';  
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);  
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';  
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';  
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';  
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';  
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler}, 'Period',1,...  
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')  
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Create the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `order`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with creating an order.

```
createOrder(c,order,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)  
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create an Order Using an Options Structure

To create a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order subscription using `orders`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Create the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `order`, and options structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = createOrder(c,order,options)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 354646
    MESSAGE: 'Order created'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating the order. `createOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

order — Order request

structure

Order request, specified as a structure using Bloomberg EMSX field properties. Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view all available field property options for `order`. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`. `order` contains these fields.

Field	Description
EMSX_TICKER	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol
EMSX_AMOUNT	Bloomberg EMSX amount of shares
EMSX_ORDER_TYPE	Bloomberg EMSX order type
EMSX_BROKER	Bloomberg EMSX broker name
EMSX_TIF	Bloomberg EMSX time in force
EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION	Bloomberg EMSX hand instruction

Field	Description
EMSX_SIDE	Bloomberg EMSX buy or sell specification

```
Example: order.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: double

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, `events` is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, `events` is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

`timer` | `close` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` | `delete` | `deleteOrder` | `deleteRoute` | `emx` | `modifyOrder` | `orders` | `routeOrder` | `routes` | `start` | `stop`

Introduced in R2013a

createOrderAndRoute

Create and route Bloomberg EMSX order

Syntax

```
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order)
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order,'timeOut',timeout)
createOrderAndRoute( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
____ = createOrderAndRoute(c,order,options)
```

Description

`events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order)` creates and routes a Bloomberg EMSX order using Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and order request `order`. `createOrderAndRoute` returns the order sequence number, route number, and status message using the default event handler.

`events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`createOrderAndRoute(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)` creates and routes a Bloomberg EMSX order using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with creating and routing orders. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = createOrderAndRoute(c,order,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Create and Route an Order Using the Default Event Handler

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `order`.

```
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order)

events =
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create and Route an Order Using a Timeout

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `order`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order,'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier

- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create and Route an Order Using a Custom Event Handler

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Create and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `order`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with creating and routing an order.

```
createOrderAndRoute(c,order,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create and Route an Order Using an Options Structure

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Create

and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `order`, and options structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;

events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order,options)

events =

    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 728924
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create an Order Using Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-13
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection
connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

order — Order request

structure

Order request, specified as a structure using Bloomberg EMSX field properties. Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view all available field property options for `order`. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`. `order` contains these fields.

Field	Description
EMSX_TICKER	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol
EMSX_AMOUNT	Bloomberg EMSX amount of shares
EMSX_ORDER_TYPE	Bloomberg EMSX order type
EMSX_BROKER	Bloomberg EMSX broker name
EMSX_TIF	Bloomberg EMSX time in force
EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION	Bloomberg EMSX hand instruction
EMSX_SIDE	Bloomberg EMSX buy or sell specification

```
Example: order.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: double

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;  
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, **events** is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, **events** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | createOrderAndRouteWithStrat | delete | deleteOrder | deleteRoute | emsx | modifyOrder | orders | routeOrder | routes | start | stop

Introduced in R2013a

createOrderAndRouteWithStrat

Create and route Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies

Syntax

```
events = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat)
events = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat,'timeOut',
timeout)

createOrderAndRouteWithStrat( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)

____ = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat,options)
```

Description

`events = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat)` creates and routes a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies using Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, order request `order`, and order strategy `strat`. `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` returns the order sequence number, route number, and status message using the default event handler.

`events = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat,'timeOut', timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)` creates and routes a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with creating and routing orders. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are

`timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Create and Route an Order Using the Default Event Handler

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Create and route the order with strategies using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `order`, and `strat`.

```
events = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat)

events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create and Route an Order Using a Timeout

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
```

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Create and route the order with strategies using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `order`, and `strat`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat,'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create and Route an Order Using a Custom Event Handler

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```

order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';

```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```

strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};

```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```

t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler}, 'Period', 1, ...
         'ExecutionMode', 'fixedRate')
start(t)

```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Create and route the order with strategies using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `order`, and `strat`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with creating and routing an order.

```

createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat,...
                             'useDefaultEventHandler',false)

```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```

c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
stop(t)

```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```

delete(t)

```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create and Route an Order Using an Options Structure

To create and route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx` and set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`. For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 100 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';  
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);  
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';  
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';  
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';  
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';  
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';  
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);  
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Create and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `order`, `strat`, and `options` structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;  
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = createOrderAndRouteWithStrat(c,order,strat,options)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 728924  
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
```

```
MESSAGE: 'Order created and routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with creating and routing the order. `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

order — Order request

structure

Order request, specified as a structure using Bloomberg EMSX field properties. Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view all available field property options for `order`. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`. `order` contains these fields.

Field	Description
EMSX_TICKER	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol

Field	Description
EMSX_AMOUNT	Bloomberg EMSX amount of shares
EMSX_ORDER_TYPE	Bloomberg EMSX order type
EMSX_BROKER	Bloomberg EMSX broker name
EMSX_TIF	Bloomberg EMSX time in force
EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION	Bloomberg EMSX hand instruction
EMSX_SIDE	Bloomberg EMSX buy or sell specification

```
Example: order.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Data Types: struct

strat — Order strategies

structure

Order strategies, specified as a structure that contains the fields: EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME, EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS, and EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS. The structure field values must align with the strategy fields specified by EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME. For details about strategy fields and ordering, see `getBrokerInfo`.

Convert EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`. Set EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS equal to 0 for each field to use the field data setting in EMSX_FIELD_DATA. Or, set EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS equal to 1 to ignore the data in EMSX_FIELD_DATA.

```
Example: strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: `double`

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: `struct`

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

`double` | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, **events** is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, **events** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the WAPI <GO> option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | delete | deleteOrder | deleteRoute | emsx |
getBrokerInfo | modifyOrder | orders | routeOrder | routes | start | stop

Introduced in R2013a

deleteOrder

Delete Bloomberg EMSX order

Syntax

```
events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum)
events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum,'timeOut',timeout)

deleteOrder( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)

____ = deleteOrder(c,ordernum,options)
```

Description

`events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum)` deletes a Bloomberg EMSX order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and order number or structure `ordernum`. `deleteOrder` returns a status message using the default event handler.

`events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`deleteOrder(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)` deletes a Bloomberg EMSX order using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with deleting orders. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = deleteOrder(c,ordernum,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Delete an Order Using the Default Event Handler

To delete a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `ordernum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the order to delete.

```
ordernum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;
```

Delete the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `ordernum`.

```
events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum)
```

```
events =
```

```
    STATUS: '0'  
    MESSAGE: 'Order deleted'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting the order. `deleteOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Delete an Order Using the Order Number Integer

To delete a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Delete the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and the order sequence number `335877` for the order to delete.

```
events = deleteOrder(c,335877)

events =
    STATUS: '0'
    MESSAGE: 'Order deleted'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting the order. `deleteOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Delete an Order Using a Timeout

To delete a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `ordernum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the order to delete.

```
ordernum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;
```

Delete the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `ordernum`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum,'timeOut',200)

events =
```

```
STATUS: '0'  
MESSAGE: 'Order deleted'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting the order. `deleteOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Delete an Order Using a Custom Event Handler

To delete a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `ordernum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the order to delete.

```
ordernum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler}, 'Period',1,...  
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')  
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Delete the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `ordernum`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with deleting an order.

```
deleteOrder(c,ordernum, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)
```

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes `orders` creates `subs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Delete an Order Using an Options Structure

To delete a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `ordernum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the order to delete.

```
ordernum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Delete the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `ordernum`, and options structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = deleteOrder(c,ordernum,options)
```

```
events =
```

```
    STATUS: '0'
    MESSAGE: 'Order deleted'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting the order. `deleteOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

ordernum — Order numbers to delete

structure | integer

Order numbers to delete, specified as a structure or an integer to denote one or more order sequence numbers.

Data Types: `struct` | `int32`

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: `double`

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;  
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, **events** is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, **events** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute | delete | deleteRoute | emsx | modifyOrder | orders | routeOrder | routes | start | stop

Introduced in R2013a

deleteRoute

Delete Bloomberg EMSX active shares

Syntax

```
events = deleteRoute(c,routenum)
events = deleteRoute(c,routenum,'timeOut',timeout)
```

```
deleteRoute( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)
```

```
____ = deleteRoute(c,routenum,options)
```

Description

`events = deleteRoute(c,routenum)` deletes the active shares that are routed but not filled using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and route number `routenum`. `deleteRoute` returns a status message using the default event handler.

`events = deleteRoute(c,routenum,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`deleteRoute(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)` deletes the active shares that are routed but not filled using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with deleting the active shares. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = deleteRoute(c,routenum,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Delete Active Shares

To delete the active shares that are routed but not filled for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- 1 Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- 2 Set up an order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- 3 Create and route an order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16.

Define the structure `routenum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the routed order and route number `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`.

```
routenum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;
routenum.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 1;
```

Delete the active shares that are routed but not filled using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `routenum`.

```
events = deleteRoute(c,routenum)
```

```
events =
```

```
    STATUS: '1'
    MESSAGE: 'Route cancellation request sent to broker'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting the active shares. `deleteRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Delete Active Shares Using a Timeout

To delete the active shares that are routed but not filled for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- 1 Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- 2 Set up an order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- 3 Create and route an order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16.

Define the structure `routenum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the routed order and route number `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`.

```
routenum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;  
routenum.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 1;
```

Delete the active shares that are routed but not filled using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `routenum`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;  
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = deleteRoute(c,routenum, 'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
    STATUS: '1'  
    MESSAGE: 'Route cancellation request sent to broker'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting the active shares. `deleteRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
```

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Delete Active Shares Using a Custom Event Handler

To delete the active shares that are routed but not filled for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- 1 Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` using `emsx`.
- 2 Set up an order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- 3 Create and route an order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16.

Define the structure `routenum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the routed order and route number `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`.

```
routenum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;
routenum.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 1;
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Delete the active shares that are routed but not filled using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `routenum`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with deleting the active shares.

```
deleteRoute(c,routenum,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Delete Active Shares Using an Options Structure

To delete the active shares that are routed but not filled for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- 1 Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- 2 Set up an order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- 3 Create and route an order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16.

Define the structure `routenum` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` for the routed order and route number `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`.

```
routenum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 335877;
routenum.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 1;
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Delete the active shares that are routed but not filled using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `routenum`, and `options` structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = deleteRoute(c,routenum,options)
```

```
events =
```

```
STATUS: '1'
MESSAGE: 'Route cancellation request sent to broker'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with deleting the active shares. `deleteRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX status
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

routenum — Route to delete

structure

Route to delete, specified as a structure containing fields `EMSX_SEQUENCE` and `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`.

```
Example: routenum.EMSX_SEQUENCE = 728918;
routenum.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 1;
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: `double`

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: `struct`

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

`double` | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, **events** is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, **events** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the WAPI <GO> option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute | delete | deleteOrder | emsx | modifyOrder | modifyRoute | orders | routeOrder | routes | start | stop

Introduced in R2013a

getAllFieldMetaData

Obtain Bloomberg EMSX field information

Syntax

```
r = getAllFieldMetaData(c)
```

Description

`r = getAllFieldMetaData(c)` returns the Bloomberg EMSX field information using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

Examples

Request All Field Information

Create a connection `c` to the Bloomberg EMSX.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Request all fields supported by Bloomberg EMSX service using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
r = getAllFieldMetaData(c)
```

```
r =
```

```
    EMSX_FIELD_NAME: {113x1 cell}
    EMSX_DISP_NAME:  {113x1 cell}
    EMSX_TYPE:       {113x1 cell}
    EMSX_LEVEL:      [113x1 double]
    EMSX_LEN:        [113x1 double]
```

Display all field information for the first Bloomberg EMSX field using a cell array. Create a cell array from the fields in the returned data structure `r`.

```
{r.EMMX_FIELD_NAME{1} r.EMMX_DISP_NAME{1} r.EMMX_TYPE{1} r.EMMX_LEVEL(1) r.EMMX_LEN(1)}
```

```
'MSG_TYPE'      'Msg Type'      'String'      [0]      [1]
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

`close(c)`

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — **Bloomberg EMSX service connection**

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

Output Arguments

r — **Return information for all fields**

structure

Return information for all fields, returned as a structure for all fields supported by Bloomberg EMSX.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer’s Guide* using the `WAPI <GO>` option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` | `emsx`

Introduced in R2013a

getBrokerInfo

Obtain Bloomberg EMSX broker and strategy information

Syntax

```
r = getBrokerInfo(c,brokerstrat)
```

Description

`r = getBrokerInfo(c,brokerstrat)` obtains Bloomberg EMSX broker and strategy information using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and broker and strategy request structure `brokerstrat`.

Examples

Obtain Broker Information

Create a connection `c` to the Bloomberg EMSX.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Define the broker and strategy information structure `brokerstrat`. Obtain broker information using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and structure `brokerstrat`.

```
brokerstrat.EMSX_TICKER = 'ABCD US Equity';
```

```
r = getBrokerInfo(c,brokerstrat)
```

```
r =
```

```
    EMSX_BROKERS: {2x1 cell}
```

The `EMSX_BROKERS` field lists the Bloomberg EMSX brokers.

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Obtain Strategy Information

Create a connection `c` to the Bloomberg EMSX.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Define the broker and strategy information structure `brokerstrat`. Obtain strategy information using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and structure `brokerstrat`.

```
brokerstrat.EMSX_TICKER = 'ABCD US Equity';  
brokerstrat.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
```

```
r = getBrokerInfo(c,brokerstrat)
```

```
r =
```

```
    EMSX_STRATEGIES: {16x1 cell}
```

The `EMSX_STRATEGIES` field lists the Bloomberg EMSX strategies.

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Obtain Field Information

Create a connection `c` to the Bloomberg EMSX.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Define the broker and strategy information structure `brokerstrat`. Obtain field information using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and structure `brokerstrat`.

```
brokerstrat.EMSX_TICKER = 'ABCD US Equity';  
brokerstrat.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';  
brokerstrat.EMSX_STRATEGY = 'SSP';
```

```
r = getBrokerInfo(c,brokerstrat)
```

```
r =
```

```
    FieldName: {3x1 cell}
```

```
Disable: {3x1 cell}
StringValue: {3x1 cell}
```

The structure field `FieldName` lists the Bloomberg EMSX fields. The structure fields `Disable` and `StringValue` contain information about the Bloomberg EMSX fields.

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

brokerstrat — Broker and strategy request

structure

Broker and strategy request, specified as a structure that contains Bloomberg EMSX fields. Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view all available fields for `brokerStrategyStruct`.

```
Example: brokerstrat.EMSX_TICKER = 'ABCD US Equity';
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

r — Broker and strategy information

structure

Broker and strategy information, returned as a structure.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

See Also

close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute |
createOrderAndRouteWithStrat | deleteOrder | deleteRoute | emsx |
modifyOrder | orders | routeOrder | routes

Introduced in R2013a

modifyOrder

Modify Bloomberg EMSX order

Syntax

```
events = modifyOrder(c,modorder)
events = modifyOrder(c,modorder,'timeOut',timeout)
```

```
modifyOrder( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)
```

```
____ = modifyOrder(c,modorder,options)
```

Description

`events = modifyOrder(c,modorder)` modifies a Bloomberg EMSX order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and modify order request structure `modorder`. `modifyOrder` returns a status message using the default event handler.

`events = modifyOrder(c,modorder,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`modifyOrder(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)` modifies a Bloomberg EMSX order using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with modifying orders. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = modifyOrder(c,modorder,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when the flag `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Modify an Order Using the Default Event Handler

To modify a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `modorder` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`, the security `EMSX_TICKER`, and the number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`. This code modifies the order number 728905 for 200 shares of IBM. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modorder.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728905);
modorder.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modorder.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(200);
```

Modify the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `modorder`.

```
events = modifyOrder(c,modorder)

events =
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 728905
    MESSAGE: 'Order Modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying the order. `modifyOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify an Order Using a Timeout

To modify a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `modorder` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`, the security `EMSX_TICKER`, and the number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`. This code modifies the order number 728905 for 200 shares of IBM. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modorder.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728905);
modorder.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modorder.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(200);
```

Modify the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `modorder`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = modifyOrder(c,modorder,'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 728905
    MESSAGE: 'Order Modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying the order. `modifyOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify an Order Using a Custom Event Handler

To modify a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `modorder` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`, the security `EMSX_TICKER`, and the number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`. This code modifies the order number 728905 for 200 shares of IBM. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modorder.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728905);  
modorder.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';  
modorder.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(200);
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler}, 'Period',1,...  
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')  
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Modify the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `modorder`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with modifying an order.

```
modifyOrder(c,modorder, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)
```

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)  
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify an Order Using an Options Structure

To modify a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create an order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12.

Define the structure `modorder` that contains the order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`, the security `EMSX_TICKER`, and the number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`. This code modifies the order number 728905 for 200 shares of IBM. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modorder.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728905);
modorder.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modorder.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(200);
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Modify the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `modorder`, and `options` structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;

events = modifyOrder(c,modorder,options)

events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 728905
    MESSAGE: 'Order Modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying the order. `modifyOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

modorder — Modify order request

structure

Modify order request, specified as a structure that contains these fields.

Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view all available fields for `modorder`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

Field	Description
EMSX_SEQUENCE	Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number
EMSX_TICKER	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol
EMSX_AMOUNT	Bloomberg EMSX number of shares

```
Example: modorder.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728905);
modorder.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
modorder.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: `double`

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: `struct`

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

`double` | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, **events** is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, **events** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute |
createOrderAndRouteWithStrat | delete | deleteOrder | deleteRoute | emsx
| orders | routeOrder | routes | start | stop

Introduced in R2013a

modifyRoute

Modify Bloomberg EMSX route

Syntax

```
events = modifyRoute(c,modroute)
events = modifyRoute(c,modroute,'timeOut',timeout)
```

```
modifyRoute( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)
```

```
____ = modifyRoute(c,modroute,options)
```

Description

`events = modifyRoute(c,modroute)` modifies a Bloomberg EMSX route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and route request `modroute`. `modifyRoute` returns a status message using the default event handler.

`events = modifyRoute(c,modroute,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`modifyRoute(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)` modifies a Bloomberg EMSX route using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with modifying routes. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = modifyRoute(c,modroute,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when the flag `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Modify a Route Using the Default Event Handler

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code instructs Bloomberg EMSX to route 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `modroute`.

```
events = modifyRoute(c,modroute)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0
    MESSAGE: 'Route modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify a Route Using a Timeout

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `modroute`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = modifyRoute(c,modroute, 'timeOut',200)

events =
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0
    MESSAGE: 'Route modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify a Route Using a Custom Event Handler

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`

- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using timer. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `modroute`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with modifying a route.

```
modifyRoute(c,modroute,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify a Route Using an Options Structure

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `modroute`, and `options` structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;

events = modifyRoute(c,modroute,options)

events =

    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0
    MESSAGE: 'Route modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRoute` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

modroute — Modify route request

structure

Modify route request, specified as a structure with these fields.

Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view all available fields for `modroute`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

Field	Description
EMSX_SEQUENCE	Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number

Field	Description
EMSX_TICKER	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol
EMSX_AMOUNT	Bloomberg EMSX number of shares
EMSX_ROUTE_ID	Bloomberg EMSX route identifier

```
Example: modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128);
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: double

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, `events` is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, `events` is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

`timer` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `delete` | `deleteOrder` | `modifyRouteWithStrat` | `orders` | `routes` | `start` | `stop`

Introduced in R2013a

modifyRouteWithStrat

Modify route with strategies for Bloomberg EMSX

Syntax

```
events = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat)
events = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat,'timeOut',timeout)

modifyRouteWithStrat( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)

____ = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat,options)
```

Description

`events = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat)` modifies a Bloomberg EMSX route with strategies using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, route request `modroute`, and order strategy `strat`. `modifyRouteWithStrat` returns the order sequence number, route identifier, and status message using the default event handler.

`events = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`modifyRouteWithStrat(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)` modifies a Bloomberg EMSX route with strategies using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with modifying routes. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when the flag `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Modify a Route with Strategies Using the Default Event Handler

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `modroute`, and `strat`.

```
events = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat)
```

```
events =
```

```
EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0
EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0
```

```
MESSAGE: 'Route modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRouteWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify a Route with Strategies Using a Timeout

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
```

```

modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);

```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```

strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};

```

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `modroute`, and `strat`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```

events = modifyRouteWithStrat(c, modroute, strat, 'timeOut', 200)

```

```

events =

```

```

    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0
    MESSAGE: 'Route modified'

```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRouteWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```

c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)

```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```

close(c)

```

Modify a Route with Strategies Using a Custom Event Handler

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.

- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler}, 'Period', 1, ...
         'ExecutionMode', 'fixedRate')
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `modroute`, and `strat`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with modifying a route.

```
modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute, strat, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)
```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Modify a Route with Strategies Using an Options Structure

To modify a route for a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies:

- Create the connection `c` using `emsx`.
- Set up the order and route subscription using `orders` and `routes`.
- Create and route the order using `createOrderAndRoute`.

For an example showing these activities, see “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21.

Define the `modroute` structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`
- Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol `EMSX_TICKER`
- Bloomberg EMSX number of shares `EMSX_AMOUNT`
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`

This code modifies the route to 100 shares of IBM for order sequence number 731128 and route identifier 1. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

```
modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128)
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Modify the route using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `modroute`, `strat`, and `options` structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;

events = modifyRouteWithStrat(c,modroute,strat,options)

events =

    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 0
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 0
    MESSAGE: 'Route modified'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with modifying a route. `modifyRouteWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16

- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

modroute — Modify route request

structure

Modify route request, specified as a structure with these fields.

Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view all available fields for `modroute`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`.

Field	Description
EMSX_SEQUENCE	Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number
EMSX_TICKER	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol
EMSX_AMOUNT	Bloomberg EMSX number of shares
EMSX_ROUTE_ID	Bloomberg EMSX route identifier

```
Example: modroute.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(731128);
modroute.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
modroute.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
modroute.EMSX_ROUTE_ID = int32(1);
```

Data Types: struct

strat — Order strategies

structure

Order strategies, specified as a structure that contains the fields:

`EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME`, `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS`, and `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS`. The structure field values must align with the strategy fields specified by `EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME`. For details about strategy fields and ordering, see `getBrokerInfo`.

Convert `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS` to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`. Set `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS` equal to 0 for each field to use the field data setting in `EMSX_FIELD_DATA`. Or, set `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS` equal to 1 to ignore the data in `EMSX_FIELD_DATA`.

```
Example: strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: double

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, `events` is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, `events` is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

`timer` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` | `delete` | `deleteOrder`
| `getBrokerInfo` | `modifyRoute` | `orders` | `routeOrder` | `routes` | `start` | `stop`

Introduced in R2013a

orders

Obtain Bloomberg EMSX order subscription

Syntax

```
[events,subs] = orders(c,fields)
```

```
[events,subs] = orders(c,fields,Name,Value)
```

```
[events,subs] = orders(c,fields,options)
```

Description

`[events,subs] = orders(c,fields)` subscribes to Bloomberg EMSX fields `fields` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`. `orders` returns existing event data `events` from the event queue and the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list `subs`.

`[events,subs] = orders(c,fields,Name,Value)` uses additional options specified by one or more `Name,Value` pair arguments to specify a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler.

`[events,subs] = orders(c,fields,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The `options` structure fields and values correspond to names and values of name-value pair arguments, respectively.

Examples

Subscribe to Order Events Using the Default Event Handler

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Subscribe to events for Bloomberg EMSX orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and Bloomberg EMSX field list `fields`.

```

fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_AMOUNT', 'EMSX_FILLED'};
[events,subs] = orders(c,fields)
events =
    MSG_TYPE: {'E'}
MSG_SUB_TYPE: {'O'}
EVENT_STATUS: 4
...
subs =
com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@4bc3dc78

```

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Subscribe to Order Events Using the Custom Event Handler

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Write a custom event handler function named `eventhandler`. Run the custom event handler using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...
'ExecutionMode','fixedRate');
start(t)
```

`t` is the timer object.

Subscribe to events for Bloomberg EMSX orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and Bloomberg EMSX field list `fields`. Use the custom event handler by setting the name-value pair argument `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false`.

```
fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_AMOUNT', 'EMSX_FILLED'};
[events,subs] = orders(c,fields,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)

events =

    []

subs =

com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@2c5b1c7e
```

`events` contains an empty double. The custom event handler processes the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Subscribe to Order Events Using a Timeout

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Subscribe to events for Bloomberg EMSX orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and Bloomberg EMSX field list `fields`. Specify the name-value pair argument `timeOut` and set it to 200 milliseconds.

```
fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_AMOUNT', 'EMSX_FILLED'};
[events,subs] = orders(c,fields,'timeOut',200)

events =
```

```

        MSG_TYPE: {'E'}
    MSG_SUB_TYPE: {'O'}
    EVENT_STATUS: 4
    ...

```

```
subs =
```

```
com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@4bc3dc78
```

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Subscribe to Order Events Using the Options Structure

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds.

Subscribe to events for Bloomberg EMSX orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, Bloomberg EMSX field list `fields`, and options structure `options`.

```

options.timeOut = 200;
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;

fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_AMOUNT', 'EMSX_FILLED'};

[events,subs] = orders(c,fields,options)

events =

```

```

        MSG_TYPE: {'E'}
    MSG_SUB_TYPE: {'O'}
    EVENT_STATUS: 4
    ...

```

```
subs =
```

```
com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@4bc3dc78
```

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from order events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

fields — Bloomberg EMSX field information

cell array

Bloomberg EMSX field information, specified using a cell array. Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view available field information for the Bloomberg EMSX service.

```
Example: 'EMSX_TICKER'  
'EMSX_AMOUNT'  
'EMSX_ORDER_TYPE'
```

Data Types: cell

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. Use the options structure instead of name-value pair arguments to reuse the optional name-value pair arguments to specify a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler.

The `options` structure field and values correspond to names and values of the name-value pair arguments, respectively.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: `struct`

Name-Value Pair Arguments

Specify optional comma-separated pairs of `Name`, `Value` arguments. `Name` is the argument name and `Value` is the corresponding value. `Name` must appear inside single quotes (`' '`). You can specify several name and value pair arguments in any order as `Name1,Value1,...,NameN,ValueN`.

```
Example: 'useDefaultEventHandler',false
```

'useDefaultEventHandler' — Flag for event handler preference

`true` (default) | `false`

Flag for event handler preference, indicating whether to use the default or custom event handler to process order events, specified as the comma-separated pair consisting of `'useDefaultEventHandler'` and the logical values `true` or `false`.

To specify the default event handler, set this flag to `true`.

Otherwise, set this flag to `false` to specify a custom event handler.

Data Types: `logical`

'timeOut' — Timeout value for event handler

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value for event handler for the Bloomberg EMSX service, specified as the comma-separated pair consisting of `'timeOut'` and a nonnegative integer in units of milliseconds.

```
Example: 'timeOut',200
```

Data Types: `double`

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

`double` | `structure`

Event queue contents, returned as a `double` or `structure`.

If the event queue contains events, `events` is a `structure` containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, `events` is an empty `double`.

When the name-value pair argument `'useDefaultEventHandler'` or the same field for the `structure options` is set to `false`, `events` is an empty `double`.

subs — Bloomberg EMSX subscription list

`subscription list object`

Bloomberg EMSX subscription list, returned as a Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

More About

Tips

- For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.
- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

`timer` | `close` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` | `delete` | `deleteOrder` | `deleteRoute` | `emsx` | `getAllFieldMetaData` | `modifyOrder` | `routeOrder` | `routes` | `start` | `stop`

Introduced in R2013a

emsxOrderBlotter

Bloomberg EMSX example order blotter

Syntax

```
[t,subs] = emsxOrderBlotter(c)
```

Description

`[t,subs] = emsxOrderBlotter(c)` displays a trader's order information. `c` is the Bloomberg EMSX connection, `t` is the timer object associated with the event handler, and `subs` is the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list.

Examples

Display the Order in an Order Blotter

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Open Bloomberg EMSX order blotter using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
[t,subs] = emsxOrderBlotter(c)
```

```
Timer Object: timer-1
```

```
Timer Settings
```

```
  ExecutionMode: fixedRate
```

```
    Period: 1
```

```
    BusyMode: drop
```

```
    Running: on
```

```
Callbacks
```

```
  TimerFcn: {@processEventToBlotter [1x1 emsx]}
```

```
  ErrorFcn: ''
```

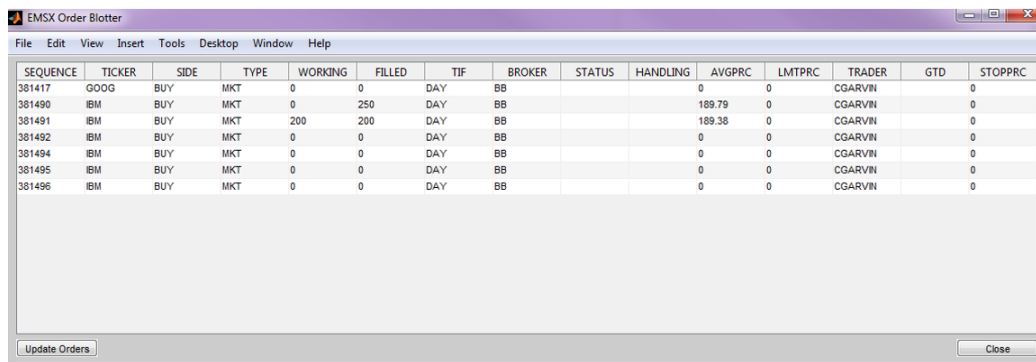
```
  StartFcn: ''
```

```
StopFcn: ''
```

```
subs =
```

```
com.bloomberg1p.blpapi.SubscriptionList@3e24da58
```

`emsxOrderBlotter` returns the timer object output and the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object. For details about the timer object, see `timer`.



The screenshot shows a window titled "EMSX Order Blotter" with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Insert, Tools, Desktop, Window, Help) and a table of order data. The table has the following columns: SEQUENCE, TICKER, SIDE, TYPE, WORKING, FILLED, TIF, BROKER, STATUS, HANDLING, AVGPCR, LMTPRC, TRADER, GTD, and STOPPRC. The data rows are as follows:

SEQUENCE	TICKER	SIDE	TYPE	WORKING	FILLED	TIF	BROKER	STATUS	HANDLING	AVGPCR	LMTPRC	TRADER	GTD	STOPPRC
381417	GOOG	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381490	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	250	DAY	BB			189.79	0	CGARVIN		0
381491	IBM	BUY	MKT	200	200	DAY	BB			189.38	0	CGARVIN		0
381492	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381494	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381495	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381496	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0

At the bottom of the window, there are two buttons: "Update Orders" and "Close".

The order blotter displays the current order information for a trader.

Create the order request structure `order` to define the order parameters. This code creates a buy market order for 330 shares of IBM. This code uses the broker `BB` with the time in force set to `DAY` and any hand instruction. Convert the number of shares to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
order.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
order.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(330);
order.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
order.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
order.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
order.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
order.EMSX_SIDE = 'BUY';
```

Create and route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and the order request structure `order`. Use the custom event handler `processEventToBlotter` by setting the name-value pair argument `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false`.

```
events = createOrderAndRoute(c,order,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

```

events =

    []

CreateOrderAndRoute = {

    EMSX_SEQUENCE = 381499

    EMSX_ROUTE_ID = 1

    MESSAGE = Order created and routed

}
    
```

`createOrderAndRoute` creates the order, routes the order, and returns a structure `events` that contains an empty double. `processEventToBlotter` displays output from `createOrderAndRoute` with the order number `EMSX_SEQUENCE`, route number `EMSX_ROUTE_ID`, and message: Order created and routed.

The screenshot shows a window titled "EMSX Order Blotter" with a menu bar (File, Edit, View, Insert, Tools, Desktop, Window, Help) and a table of order data. The table has 16 columns: SEQUENCE, TICKER, SIDE, TYPE, WORKING, FILLED, TIF, BROKER, STATUS, HANDLING, AVGPRC, LMTPRC, TRADER, GTD, and STOPPRC. The data rows are as follows:

SEQUENCE	TICKER	SIDE	TYPE	WORKING	FILLED	TIF	BROKER	STATUS	HANDLING	AVGPRC	LMTPRC	TRADER	GTD	STOPPRC
381417	GOOG	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381490	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	250	DAY	BB			189.79	0	CGARVIN		0
381491	IBM	BUY	MKT	200	200	DAY	BB			189.38	0	CGARVIN		0
381492	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381494	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381495	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381496	IBM	BUY	MKT	0	0	DAY	BB			0	0	CGARVIN		0
381499	IBM US Equity	BUY		0	0	DAY	BB	NEW	ANY	0	0	CGARVIN	0	0

At the bottom of the window, there are two buttons: "Update Orders" and "Close".

The order blotter updates using the information for the created and routed order, where order number `EMSX_SEQUENCE` is `381499`, using the event handler function `processEventToBlotter`. The order blotter updates as orders are created and managed.

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16

- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

Output Arguments

t — MATLAB timer

object

MATLAB timer, returned as a MATLAB object. For details, see `timer`.

subs — Bloomberg EMSX subscription list

subscription list object

Bloomberg EMSX subscription list, returned as a Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer’s Guide* using the `WAPI <GO>` option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2

See Also

`timer` | `close` | `createOrder` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` | `deleteOrder` | `deleteRoute` | `emsx` | `modifyOrder` | `orders` | `routeOrder` | `routes`

Introduced in R2013a

processEvent

Sample Bloomberg EMSX event handler

Syntax

```
processEvent(c)
```

Description

`processEvent(c)` displays and flushes the event queue associated with the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`. `processEvent` is a sample event handler function. You can build a custom event handler function to process Bloomberg EMSX events.

Examples

Continually Process the Bloomberg EMSX Event Queue

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Use `timer` to continually process the Bloomberg EMSX event queue.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler}, 'Period',1,...  
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Process the Bloomberg EMSX Event Queue Once

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Use the default event handler function `processEvent` to process the Bloomberg EMSX event queue once.

```
processEvent(c)
SessionConnectionUp = {
    server = "localhost/127.0.0.1:8194"
}
SessionStarted = {
}
ServiceOpened = {
    serviceName = "//blp/emapisvc_beta"
}
```

`processEvent` clears the Bloomberg EMSX event queue.

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

`close(c)`

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer’s Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute |
createOrderAndRouteWithStrat | deleteOrder | deleteRoute | emsx |
modifyOrder | orders | routeOrder | routes

Introduced in R2013a

routeOrder

Route Bloomberg EMSX order

Syntax

```
events = routeOrder(c,route)
events = routeOrder(c,route,'timeOut',timeout)

routeOrder( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)

____ = routeOrder(c,route,options)
```

Description

`events = routeOrder(c,route)` routes a Bloomberg EMSX order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and route request `route`. `routeOrder` returns a status message using the default event handler.

`events = routeOrder(c,route,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`routeOrder(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)` routes a Bloomberg EMSX order using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with routing orders. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = routeOrder(c,route,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when the flag `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Route an Order Using the Default Event Handler

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker `BB` using any hand instruction and the order number `335877`.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `route`.

```
events = routeOrder(c,route)

events =
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order Routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `routeOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route an Order Using a Timeout

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker `BB` using any hand instruction and the order number `335877`.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `route`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = routeOrder(c,route,'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order Routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `routeOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
```

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route an Order Using a Custom Event Handler

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker `BB` using any hand instruction and the order number `335877`.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and `route`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with routing an order.

```
routeOrder(c,route,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route an Order Using an Options Structure

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker `BB` using any hand instruction and the order number `335877`.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, and `options` structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = routeOrder(c,route,options)
```

```
events =
```

```
  EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
  EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
  MESSAGE: 'Order Routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `routeOrder` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

route — Route request

structure

Route request, specified as a structure containing these fields.

Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. `EMSX_SEQUENCE` must denote an existing order sequence number.

Field	Description
<code>EMSX_SEQUENCE</code>	Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number
<code>EMSX_TICKER</code>	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol

Field	Description
EMSX_AMOUNT	Bloomberg EMSX number of shares
EMSX_BROKER	Bloomberg EMSX broker name
EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION	Bloomberg EMSX hand instruction

```
Example: route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728918);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: double

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, `events` is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, `events` is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

`timer` | `close` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` | `delete` | `deleteOrder` | `deleteRoute` | `emsx` | `modifyOrder` | `orders` | `routeOrderWithStrat` | `routes` | `start` | `stop`

Introduced in R2013a

groupRouteOrderWithStrat

Route multiple Bloomberg EMSX orders with strategies

Syntax

```
events = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat)
events = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,'timeOut',timeout)

groupRouteOrderWithStrat( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)

____ = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,options)
```

Description

`events = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat)` routes multiple Bloomberg EMSX orders with strategies using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, route request `route`, and strategy `strat`. `routeOrderWithStrat` returns the order sequence number, route number, and status message using the default event handler.

`events = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`groupRouteOrderWithStrat(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)` routes multiple Bloomberg EMSX orders with strategies using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. To process the events associated with routing orders, write a custom event handler. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when the flag `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Route Orders Using the Default Event Handler

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies these route request fields:

- Order numbers 335877 and 335878
- Stock symbol IBM
- 100 percent of shares shown on the order to be routed
- Broker BMTB
- Any hand instruction
- Time in force set to DAY
- Market order type

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = {int32(335877);int32(335878)};
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT_PERCENT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
route.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
route.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Route the orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, and `strat`.

```
events = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat)
```

```
events =
```

```
EMSX_SUCCESS_ROUTES: [1x1 struct]
EMSX_FAILED_ROUTES: [1x1 struct]
MESSAGE: '1 of 1 Order(s) Routed'
```

where

```
events.EMSX_SUCCESS_ROUTES =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
```

```
and events.EMSX_FAILED_ROUTES =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335878
    ERROR_CODE: 0
    ERROR_MESSAGE: {'Order 335878 View-only orders can not be routed'}
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `groupRouteOrderWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX success routing structure, which contains the order number and route identifier for the orders that successfully routed
- Bloomberg EMSX failed routing structure, which contains the order number, error code, and error message for the orders that failed to route
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route Orders Using a Timeout

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies these route request fields:

- Order numbers 335877 and 335878
- Stock symbol IBM
- 100 percent of shares shown on the order to be routed
- Broker BMTB
- Any hand instruction
- Time in force set to DAY
- Market order type

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = {int32(335877);int32(335878)};
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT_PERCENT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
route.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
route.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Route the orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, and `strat`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SUCCESS_ROUTES: [1x1 struct]
    EMSX_FAILED_ROUTES: [1x1 struct]
    MESSAGE: '1 of 1 Order(s) Routed'
```

```
where
```

```
events.EMSX_SUCCESS_ROUTES =
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
```

```
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1

and events.EMSX_FAILED_ROUTES =

    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335878
    ERROR_CODE: 0
    ERROR_MESSAGE: {'Order 335878 View-only orders can not be routed'}
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `groupRouteOrderWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX success routing structure, which contains the order number and route identifier for the orders that successfully routed
- Bloomberg EMSX failed routing structure, which contains the order number, error code, and error message for the orders that failed to route
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route Orders Using a Custom Event Handler

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies these route request fields:

- Order numbers 335877 and 335878
- Stock symbol IBM
- 100 percent of shares shown on the order to be routed

- Broker BMTB
- Any hand instruction
- Time in force set to DAY
- Market order type

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = {int32(335877);int32(335878)};
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT_PERCENT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
route.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
route.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Suppose that you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. To run `eventhandler` immediately, start the timer using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler}, 'Period', 1, ...
         'ExecutionMode', 'fixedRate')
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Route the orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, and `strat`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with routing an order.

```
groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat, 'useDefaultEventHandler', false)
```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. To stop data updates, stop the timer using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

`stop(t)`

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

`delete(t)`

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

`close(c)`

Route Orders Using an Options Structure

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies these route request fields:

- Order numbers 335877 and 335878
- Stock symbol IBM
- 100 percent of shares shown on the order to be routed
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- Any hand instruction
- Time in force set to DAY
- Market order type

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = {int32(335877);int32(335878)};
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT_PERCENT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
route.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
route.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
```



```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Route the orders using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, route, `strat`, and options structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = groupRouteOrderWithStrat(c, route, strat, options)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SUCCESS_ROUTES: [1x1 struct]
    EMSX_FAILED_ROUTES: [1x1 struct]
        MESSAGE: '1 of 1 Order(s) Routed'
```

```
where
```

```
events.EMSX_SUCCESS_ROUTES =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
```

```
and events.EMSX_FAILED_ROUTES =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335878
    ERROR_CODE: 0
    ERROR_MESSAGE: {'Order 335878 View-only orders can not be routed'}
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `groupRouteOrderWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX success routing structure, which contains the order number and route identifier for the orders that successfully routed
- Bloomberg EMSX failed routing structure, which contains the order number, error code, and error message for the orders that failed to route
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

route — Route request

structure

Route request, specified as a structure containing these fields.

Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. `EMSX_SEQUENCE` must denote an existing order sequence number.

Field	Description
<code>EMSX_SEQUENCE</code>	Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number
<code>EMSX_TICKER</code>	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol
<code>EMSX_AMOUNT</code>	Bloomberg EMSX number of shares
<code>EMSX_BROKER</code>	Bloomberg EMSX broker name
<code>EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION</code>	Bloomberg EMSX hand instruction
<code>EMSX_TIF</code>	Bloomberg EMSX time in force
<code>EMSX_ORDER_TYPE</code>	Bloomberg EMSX order type

```
Example: route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728918);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
```

```
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
route.EMSX_TIF = 'DAY';
route.EMSX_ORDER_TYPE = 'MKT';
```

Data Types: struct

strat — Order strategies

structure

Order strategies, specified as a structure that contains the fields: `EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME`, `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS`, and `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS`. The structure field values must align with the strategy fields specified by `EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME`. For details about strategy fields and ordering, see `getBrokerInfo`.

Convert `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS` to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`. Set `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS` equal to 0 for each field to use the field data setting in `EMSX_FIELD_DATA`. Or, set `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS` equal to 1 to ignore the data in `EMSX_FIELD_DATA`.

```
Example: strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: double

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;  
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, **events** is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, **events** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute |
createOrderAndRouteWithStrat | delete | deleteOrder | deleteRoute | emsx
| getBrokerInfo | modifyOrder | orders | routeOrder | routeOrderWithStrat
| routes | start | stop

Introduced in R2015b

routeOrderWithStrat

Route Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies

Syntax

```
events = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat)
events = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,'timeOut',timeout)

routeOrderWithStrat( ____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)

____ = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,options)
```

Description

`events = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat)` routes a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, route request `route`, and strategy `strat`. `routeOrderWithStrat` returns the order sequence number, route number, and status message using the default event handler.

`events = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,'timeOut',timeout)` specifies a timeout value `timeout` for the execution of the default event handler.

`routeOrderWithStrat(____, 'useDefaultEventHandler',false)` routes a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies using any of the input arguments in the previous syntaxes and a custom event handler. Write a custom event handler to process the events associated with routing orders. This syntax does not have an output argument because the custom event handler processes the contents of the event queue. If you want to use the default event handler instead, set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `true` and use the `events` output argument. By default, the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` is set to `true`.

`____ = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The available `options` structure fields are `timeOut` and `useDefaultEventHandler`. Use the `events` output argument when the flag `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `true` and omit this output argument when `useDefaultEventHandler` is set to `false`.

Examples

Route an Order Using the Default Event Handler

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker BMTB using any hand instruction and the order number 335877.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy SSP. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, and `strat`.

```
events = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat)
```

```
events =
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
    MESSAGE: 'Order Routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `routeOrderWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route an Order Using a Timeout

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker `BMTB` using any hand instruction and the order number `335877`.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, and `strat`. Set the timeout value to 200 milliseconds.

```
events = routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,'timeOut',200)
```

```
events =
```

```
EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877
EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1
MESSAGE: 'Order Routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `routeOrderWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route an Order Using a Custom Event Handler

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker `BMTB` using any hand instruction and the order number `335877`.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler`

immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')
start(t)
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, and `strat`. Set the flag `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false` so that `eventhandler` processes the events associated with routing an order.

```
routeOrderWithStrat(c,route,strat,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
```

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Route an Order Using an Options Structure

To route a Bloomberg EMSX order with strategies, create the connection `c` using `emsx`, set up the order subscription using `orders`, and create the order using `createOrder`. For an example showing these activities, see “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12. Set up the route subscription using `routes`.

Define the route request structure `route`. Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. This code specifies to route 100 shares of IBM to the broker `BMTB` using any hand instruction and the order number `335877`.

```
route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(335877);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'IBM';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
```

```
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BMTB';  
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Create the order strategies structure `strat` using the strategy `SSP`. Convert the field indicators to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`.

```
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';  
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);  
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Route the order using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`, `route`, `strat`, and `options` structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;  
options.timeOut = 200;
```

```
events = routeOrderWithStrat(c, route, strat, options)
```

```
events =
```

```
    EMSX_SEQUENCE: 335877  
    EMSX_ROUTE_ID: 1  
    MESSAGE: 'Order Routed'
```

The default event handler processes the events associated with routing the order. `routeOrderWithStrat` returns `events` as a structure that contains these fields:

- Bloomberg EMSX order number
- Bloomberg EMSX route identifier
- Bloomberg EMSX message

Unsubscribe from order and route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list objects `osubs` and `rsubs`. This code assumes that `orders` creates `osubs` and `routes` creates `rsubs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(osubs)  
c.Session.unsubscribe(rsubs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

route — Route request

structure

Route request, specified as a structure containing these fields.

Convert the numbers to 32-bit signed integers using `int32`. `EMSX_SEQUENCE` must denote an existing order sequence number.

Field	Description
<code>EMSX_SEQUENCE</code>	Bloomberg EMSX order sequence number
<code>EMSX_TICKER</code>	Bloomberg EMSX ticker symbol
<code>EMSX_AMOUNT</code>	Bloomberg EMSX number of shares
<code>EMSX_BROKER</code>	Bloomberg EMSX broker name
<code>EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION</code>	Bloomberg EMSX hand instruction

```
Example: route.EMSX_SEQUENCE = int32(728918);
route.EMSX_TICKER = 'XYZ';
route.EMSX_AMOUNT = int32(100);
route.EMSX_BROKER = 'BB';
route.EMSX_HAND_INSTRUCTION = 'ANY';
```

Data Types: struct

strat — Order strategies

structure

Order strategies, specified as a structure that contains the fields: `EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME`, `EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS`, and

EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS. The structure field values must align with the strategy fields specified by **EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME**. For details about strategy fields and ordering, see `getBrokerInfo`.

Convert **EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS** to a 32-bit signed integer using `int32`. Set **EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS** equal to 0 for each field to use the field data setting in **EMSX_FIELD_DATA**. Or, set **EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS** equal to 1 to ignore the data in **EMSX_FIELD_DATA**.

```
Example: strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_NAME = 'SSP';
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELD_INDICATORS = int32([0 0 0]);
strat.EMSX_STRATEGY_FIELDS = {'09:30:00', '14:30:00', 50};
```

Data Types: struct

timeout — Timeout value

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value, specified as a nonnegative integer. This integer denotes the time in milliseconds the event handler listens to the queue for an event for each iteration of the code. The event handler can be a default or custom event handler.

Data Types: double

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. To reuse the settings for specifying a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler, use the options structure.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

double | structure

Event queue contents, returned as a double or structure.

If the event queue contains events, `events` is a structure containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, `events` is an empty double.

More About

Tips

For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

`timer` | `close` | `createOrder` | `createOrderAndRoute` | `createOrderAndRouteWithStrat` | `delete` | `deleteOrder` | `deleteRoute` | `emsx` | `getBrokerInfo` | `modifyOrder` | `orders` | `routeOrder` | `routes` | `start` | `stop`

Introduced in R2013a

routes

Obtain Bloomberg EMSX route subscription

Syntax

```
[events,subs] = routes(c,fields)
```

```
[events,subs] = routes(c,fields,Name,Value)
```

```
[events,subs] = routes(c,fields,options)
```

Description

`[events,subs] = routes(c,fields)` subscribes to Bloomberg EMSX fields `fields` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`. `routes` returns existing event data `events` from the event queue and the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list `subs`.

`[events,subs] = routes(c,fields,Name,Value)` uses additional options specified by one or more `Name,Value` pair arguments to specify a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler.

`[events,subs] = routes(c,fields,options)` uses the `options` structure to customize the output, which is useful to preconfigure and save your options for repeated use. The `options` structure fields and values correspond to names and values of name-value pair arguments, respectively.

Examples

Set Up Route Subscription Using the Default Event Handler

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Set up the route subscription for Bloomberg EMSX fields `EMSX_BROKER` and `EMSX_WORKING` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```

fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_WORKING'};

[events,subs] = routes(c,fields)

events =

        MSG_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
    MSG_SUB_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
    EVENT_STATUS: [5x1 int32]
    ...

subs =

com.bloombergblp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@463b9287

```

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Set Up Route Subscription Using a Custom Event Handler

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Write a custom event handler function named `eventhandler`. Run the custom event handler using `timer`. Start the timer to run `eventhandler` immediately using `start`. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...
          'ExecutionMode','fixedRate');
start(t)
```

`t` is the timer object.

Set up the route subscription for Bloomberg EMSX fields `EMSX_BROKER` and `EMSX_WORKING` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`. Use the custom event handler by setting the name-value pair argument `'useDefaultEventHandler'` to `false`.

```
fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_WORKING'};
[events,subs] = routes(c,fields,'useDefaultEventHandler',false)
events =
    []
subs =
com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@463b9287
```

`events` is an empty double. The custom event handler processes the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`. Stop the timer to stop data updates using `stop`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
stop(t)
```

If you are done processing data updates, delete the timer using `delete`.

```
delete(t)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Set Up Route Subscription Using a Timeout

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Set up the route subscription for Bloomberg EMSX fields `EMSX_BROKER` and `EMSX_WORKING` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`. Specify the name-value pair argument `timeOut` and set it to 200 milliseconds.

```
fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_WORKING'};
[events,subs] = routes(c,fields,'timeOut',200)
events =
```



```

        MSG_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
        MSG_SUB_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
        EVENT_STATUS: [5x1 int32]
        ...

```

```
subs =
```

```
com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@463b9287
```

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

Set Up Route Subscription Using an Options Structure

Create the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c`.

```
c = emsx('//blp/emapisvc_beta');
```

Create a structure `options`. To use the default event handler, set the field `useDefaultEventHandler` to `true`. Set the field `timeOut` to 200 milliseconds. Set up the route subscription for Bloomberg EMSX fields `EMSX_BROKER` and `EMSX_WORKING` using the Bloomberg EMSX connection `c` and options structure `options`.

```
options.useDefaultEventHandler = true;
options.timeOut = 200;
fields = {'EMSX_BROKER', 'EMSX_WORKING'};
```

```
[events,subs] = routes(c,fields,options)
```

```
events =
```

```

        MSG_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
        MSG_SUB_TYPE: {5x1 cell}
        EVENT_STATUS: [5x1 int32]
        ...

```

`subs =`

`com.bloomberglp.blpapi.SubscriptionList@463b9287`

`events` contains fields for the events currently in the event queue. `subs` contains the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

Unsubscribe from route events using the Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object `subs`.

```
c.Session.unsubscribe(subs)
```

Close the Bloomberg EMSX connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order” on page 4-12
- “Create and Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Route” on page 4-16
- “Manage a Bloomberg EMSX Order and Route” on page 4-21

Input Arguments

c — Bloomberg EMSX service connection

connection object

Bloomberg EMSX service connection, specified as a connection object created using `emsx`.

fields — Bloomberg EMSX field information

cell array

Bloomberg EMSX field information, specified using a cell array. Use `getAllFieldMetaData` to view available field information for the Bloomberg EMSX service.

```
Example: 'EMSX_TICKER'  
'EMSX_AMOUNT'  
'EMSX_ORDER_TYPE'
```

Data Types: `cell`

options — Options for custom event handler or timeout value

structure

Options for custom event handler or timeout value, specified as a structure. Use the options structure instead of name-value pair arguments to reuse the optional name-value pair arguments to specify a custom event handler or timeout value for the event handler.

The `options` structure field and values correspond to names and values of the name-value pair arguments, respectively.

Specify using a custom event handler and a timeout value of 500 milliseconds.

```
Example: options.useDefaultEventHandler = false;  
options.timeOut = 500;
```

Data Types: `struct`

Name-Value Pair Arguments

Specify optional comma-separated pairs of `Name`, `Value` arguments. `Name` is the argument name and `Value` is the corresponding value. `Name` must appear inside single quotes (`' '`). You can specify several name and value pair arguments in any order as `Name1,Value1,...,NameN,ValueN`.

```
Example: 'useDefaultEventHandler',false
```

'useDefaultEventHandler' — Flag for event handler preference

`true` (default) | `false`

Flag for event handler preference, indicating whether to use the default or custom event handler to process order events, specified as the comma-separated pair consisting of `'useDefaultEventHandler'` and the logical values `true` or `false`.

To specify the default event handler, set this flag to `true`.

Otherwise, set this flag to `false` to specify a custom event handler.

Data Types: `logical`

'timeOut' — Timeout value for event handler

500 milliseconds (default) | nonnegative integer

Timeout value for event handler for the Bloomberg EMSX service, specified as the comma-separated pair consisting of `'timeOut'` and a nonnegative integer in units of milliseconds.

```
Example: 'timeOut',200
```

Data Types: `double`

Output Arguments

events — Event queue contents

`double` | `structure`

Event queue contents, returned as a `double` or `structure`.

If the event queue contains events, **events** is a `structure` containing the current contents of the event queue. Otherwise, **events** is an empty `double`.

When the name-value pair argument `'useDefaultEventHandler'` or the same field for the `structure options` is set to `false`, **events** is an empty `double`.

subs — Bloomberg EMSX subscription list

`subscription list object`

Bloomberg EMSX subscription list, returned as a Bloomberg EMSX subscription list object.

More About

Tips

- For details about Bloomberg EMSX, see the *EMSX API Programmer's Guide* using the **WAPI <GO>** option from the Bloomberg terminal.
- Suppose you create a custom event handler function called `eventhandler` with input argument `c`. Run `eventhandler` using this code.

```
t = timer('TimerFcn',{@c.eventhandler},'Period',1,...  
         'ExecutionMode','fixedRate')
```

`t` is the MATLAB timer object. For details, see `timer`.

- “Workflow for Bloomberg EMSX” on page 2-2
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Bloomberg EMSX” on page 1-23

See Also

timer | close | createOrder | createOrderAndRoute |
createOrderAndRouteWithStrat | delete | deleteOrder | deleteRoute | emsx
| getAllFieldMetaData | modifyOrder | modifyRoute | orders | routeOrder |
start | stop

Introduced in R2013a

xtrdr

Create X_TRADER connection

Syntax

```
X = xtrdr
```

Description

X = xtrdr starts X_TRADER or connects to an existing X_TRADER session.

Examples

Create a Connection to X_TRADER

```
X = xtrdr
```

```
x =
```

```
    xtrdr with properties:
```

```
        Gate: [1x1 COM.Xtapi_TTGate_1]
    InstrNotify: []
    Instrument: []
    OrderSet: []
```

- “Create an Order Using X_TRADER” on page 1-16
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

Output Arguments

X — X_TRADER connection

connection object

X_TRADER connection, returned as a connection object for an X_TRADER session.

Limitations

- You should only create one X_TRADER connection per MATLAB session. To create a new X_TRADER connection, start a new MATLAB session.

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4
- X_TRADER API

See Also

close

Introduced in R2013a

close

Close X_TRADER connection

Syntax

```
close(X)
```

Description

`close(X)` closes the X_TRADER connection X.

Examples

Close X_TRADER Connection

```
close(X)
```

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- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

Input Arguments

X — X_TRADER connection

connection object

X_TRADER connection, specified as a connection object created using `xtrdr`.

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4

- X_TRADER API

See Also

xtrdr

Introduced in R2013a

createInstrument

Create instrument for X_TRADER

Syntax

```
createInstrument(c,s)  
createInstrument(c,Name,Value)
```

Description

`createInstrument(c,s)` creates the X_TRADER instrument defined by the structure `s` with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

`createInstrument(c,Name,Value)` creates the instrument using one or more `Name,Value` pair arguments with names and values corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Examples

Create an X_TRADER Instrument Using an Input Structure

The instruments used in these examples continually expire. To ensure you use a current instrument, see the **Market Explorer** in X_TRADER Pro.

Create the X_TRADER connection.

```
c = xtrdr;
```

Define an input structure `s` with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For example, create the input structure for Euro-Bobl Futures.

```
s = [];  
s.Exchange = 'Eurex';  
s.Product = 'OGBM';
```

```

s.ProdType = 'Option';
s.Contract = 'Jan12 P12300';
s.Alias = 'TestInstrument3';
s
s =
    Exchange: 'Eurex'
    Product: 'OGBM'
    ProdType: 'Option'
    Contract: 'Jan12 P12300'
    Alias: 'TestInstrument3'

```

Requirement: Restart the MATLAB session before reusing an 'Alias' setting.

Create an X_TRADER instrument.

```
createInstrument(c,s)
```

Close the connection.

```
close(c)
```

Create an X_TRADER Instrument Using Name-Value Pairs

Create the X_TRADER connection.

```
c = xtrdr;
```

Create an X_TRADER instrument for Euro-Bobl Futures using name-value pair arguments corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options.

```
createInstrument(c, 'Exchange', 'Eurex', 'Product', 'OGBM', ...
    'ProdType', 'Option', 'Contract', 'Jan12 P12300', ...
    'Alias', 'TestInstrument3')
```

Close the connection.

```
close(c)
```

Retrieve Data Using Multiple X_TRADER Instruments

Create the X_TRADER connection.

```
c = xtrdr;
```

Create an X_TRADER instrument for Euro-Bobl Futures using name-value pair arguments corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options.

```
createInstrument(c, 'Exchange', 'Eurex', 'Product', 'OGBM', ...  
                'ProdType', 'Option', 'Contract', 'Jun14 P127', ...  
                'Alias', 'PriceInstrumentEurex')
```

Create another X_TRADER instrument for CAISO NP15 EZ Gen Hub 5 MW Peak Calendar-Day Real-Time LMP Futures using name-value pair arguments corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. This contract expires in April 2014.

```
createInstrument(c, 'Exchange', 'CME', 'Product', '2F', ...  
                'ProdType', 'Future', 'Contract', 'Apr14', ...  
                'Alias', 'PriceInstrumentCMEApr14')
```

Create another X_TRADER instrument for CAISO NP15 EZ Gen Hub 5 MW Peak Calendar-Day Real-Time LMP Futures using name-value pair arguments corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. This contract expires in October 2014.

```
createInstrument(c, 'Exchange', 'CME', 'Product', '2F', ...  
                'ProdType', 'Future', 'Contract', 'Oct14', ...  
                'Alias', 'PriceInstrumentCMEOct14')
```

Retrieve the exchange and product identifier for all three X_TRADER instruments.

```
d = getData(c, {'Exchange', 'Product'})
```

```
d =  
    Exchange: {3x1 cell}  
    Product:  {3x1 cell}
```

d is a structure containing the Exchange and Product fields. The fields are cell arrays.

Display the Exchange field.

```
d.Exchange
```

```
ans =  
    'Eurex'  
    'CME'  
    'CME'
```

The `Exchange` field contains the exchange names `Eurex` and `CME` for the three `X_TRADER` instruments.

Close the connection.

```
close(c)
```

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- “Listen for `X_TRADER` Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Listen for `X_TRADER` Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit `X_TRADER` Orders” on page 4-8

Input Arguments

c — `X_TRADER` connection

connection object

`X_TRADER` connection, specified as a connection object created using `xtrdr`.

s — `X_TRADER` input structure

structure

`X_TRADER` input structure, specified using fields corresponding to valid `X_TRADER` API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *`X_TRADER` API Programming Tutorial* or *`X_TRADER` API Class Reference*.

Caution: If the symbols for the exchange are entered incorrectly or the exchange server is down, an error appears. For example, if the exchange is “`CME`” and the `CME` exchange server is down, then this error appears: The price server for the Exchange `CME` is down. Unable to create instrument.

```
Example: s = [];  
s.Exchange = 'Eurex';  
s.Product = 'OGBM';  
s.ProdType = 'Option';  
s.Contract = 'Jan12 P12300';  
s.Alias = 'TestInstrument3';
```

Data Types: struct

Name-Value Pair Arguments

Specify optional comma-separated pairs of `Name`, `Value` arguments. `Name` is the argument name and `Value` is the corresponding value. `Name` must appear inside single quotes (' '). You can specify several name and value pair arguments in any order as `Name1, Value1, ..., NameN, ValueN`.

Example:

```
createInstrument(X, 'Exchange', 'Eurex', 'Product', 'OGBM', 'ProdType', 'Option', 'Co  
P12300', 'Alias', 'TestInstrument3')
```

'Property1' — Valid X_TRADER API options

string

Valid X_TRADER API options, specified using information in the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Requirements:

- When using the 'Alias' name-value pair argument, ensure that every 'Alias' name is unique across all X_TRADER instruments.
- Restart the MATLAB session before reusing an 'Alias' name.

Otherwise, `createInstrument` returns an error.

Data Types: char

'Property2' — Valid X_TRADER API options

string

Valid X_TRADER API options, specified using information in the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Data Types: char

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4

- X_TRADER API

See Also

createNotifier | createOrderProfile | createOrderSet | xtrdr

Introduced in R2013a

createNotifier

Create instrument notifier for X_TRADER

Syntax

```
createNotifier(X,S)  
createNotifier(X,Name,Value)
```

Description

`createNotifier(X,S)` creates the `xtrdr` instrument notifier defined by the structure `S` with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

`createNotifier(X,Name,Value)` creates the instrument notifier using X_TRADER API options specified by one or more `Name,Value` pair arguments with names and values corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Examples

Create an X_TRADER Instrument Notifier Using an Input Structure

Start X_TRADER.

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Define an input structure, `S`, with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options.

```
S = [];  
S.Instrument = [];  
S.UpdateFilter = '';  
S.EnablePriceUpdates = -1;
```



```

S.EnableDepthUpdates = 0;
S.DebugLogLevel = 3;
S.EnableOrderSetUpdates = -1;
S.PriceList = [];
S.DeliverAllPriceUpdates = 0;
S

```

```
S =
```

```

        Instrument: []
        UpdateFilter: ''
    EnablePriceUpdates: -1
    EnableDepthUpdates: 0
        DebugLogLevel: 3
    EnableOrderSetUpdates: -1
        PriceList: []
    DeliverAllPriceUpdates: 0

```

Create an xtrdr instrument notifier.

```
createNotifier(X,S)
```

Close the connection.

```
close(X)
```

Create an X_TRADER Instrument Notifier Using Name-Value Pairs

Start X_TRADER.

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Create an xtrdr instrument using name-value pairs corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options.

```

createNotifier(X,'Instrument',[],'UpdateFilter','',...
    'EnablePriceUpdates',-1,'EnableDepthUpdates',0,...
    'DebugLogLevel',3,'EnableOrderSetUpdates',-1,...
    'PriceList',[],'DeliverAllPriceUpdates',0)

```

Close the connection.

```
close(X)
```

- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2

- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

Input Arguments

X — X_TRADER connection

connection object

X_TRADER connection, specified as a connection object created using `xtrdr`.

S — xtrdr input structure with fields

structure

`xtrdr` input structure, specified with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

```
Example: S = [];  
S.Exchange = 'Eurex';  
S.Product = 'OGBM';  
S.ProdType = 'Option';  
S.Contract = 'Jan12 P12300';  
S.Alias = 'TestInstrument3';
```

Data Types: struct

Name-Value Pair Arguments

Specify optional comma-separated pairs of `Name`, `Value` arguments. `Name` is the argument name and `Value` is the corresponding value. `Name` must appear inside single quotes (' '). You can specify several name and value pair arguments in any order as `Name1`, `Value1`, ..., `NameN`, `ValueN`.

```
Example: createNotifier(X, 'Instrument',  
[], 'UpdateFilter', '', 'EnablePriceUpdates', -1, 'EnableDepthUpdates', 0, 'DebugLogL  
[], 'DeliverAllPriceUpdates', 0)
```

'Property1' — Valid X_TRADER API options

string

Valid X_TRADER API options, specified using the details described in Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

```
Example: createNotifier(X, 'Instrument',  
[], 'UpdateFilter', '', 'EnablePriceUpdates', -1, 'EnableDepthUpdates', 0, 'DebugLogL  
[], 'DeliverAllPriceUpdates', 0)
```

Data Types: char

'Property2' – Valid X_TRADER API options

string

Valid X_TRADER API options, specified using the details described in Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

```
Example: createNotifier(X, 'Instrument',  
[], 'UpdateFilter', '', 'EnablePriceUpdates', -1, 'EnableDepthUpdates', 0, 'DebugLogL  
[], 'DeliverAllPriceUpdates', 0)
```

Data Types: char

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4
- X_TRADER API

See Also

[createInstrument](#) | [createOrderProfile](#) | [createOrderSet](#) | [xtrdr](#)

Introduced in R2013a

createOrderProfile

Create order profile for X_TRADER

Syntax

```
P = createOrderProfile(X,S)
P = createOrderProfile(X,Name,Value)
```

Description

`P = createOrderProfile(X,S)` creates an order profile defined by the structure `S` with fields corresponding to valid `X_TRADER` API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

`P = createOrderProfile(X,Name,Value)` creates an order profile using `X_TRADER` API options specified by one or more `Name,Value` pair arguments with names and values corresponding to valid `X_TRADER` API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Examples

Create an Order Profile Using an Input Structure

Start `X_TRADER`.

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Define an input structure, `S`, with fields corresponding to valid `X_TRADER` API options.

```
S = [];  
S.Instrument = [];  
S.Customer = '';  
S.Alias = '';  
S.ReadProperties = 'b';  
S.WriteProperties = 'b';
```

```

S.Customers = {'<Default>'};
S.RoundOption = 2;
S.CustomerDefaults = [];
S
S =

    Instrument: []
    Customer: ''
    Alias: ''
    ReadProperties: 'b'
    WriteProperties: 'b'
    Customers: {'<Default>'}
    RoundOption: 2
    CustomerDefaults: []

```

Create an order profile.

```
P = createOrderProfile(X,S);
```

Close the connection.

```
close(X)
```

Create an Order Profile Using Name-Value Pairs

Start X_TRADER.

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Create an order profile using name-value pairs corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options.

```

createOrderProfile(X, 'Instrument', [], 'Customer', '', ...
    'Alias', '', 'ReadProperties', 'b', ...
    'WriteProperties', 'b', 'Customers', {'<Default>'}, ...
    'RoundOption', 2, 'CustomerDefaults', [])

```

Close the connection.

```
close(X)
```

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- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Updates” on page 4-2
- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4

- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

Input Arguments

X — X_TRADER connection

connection object

X_TRADER connection, specified as a connection object created using `xtrdr`.

S — xtrdr input structure with fields

structure

`xtrdr` input structure, specified with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

```
Example: S = [];  
S.Exchange = 'Eurex';  
S.Product = 'OGBM';  
S.ProdType = 'Option';  
S.Contract = 'Jan12 P12300';  
S.Alias = 'TestInstrument3';
```

Data Types: struct

Name-Value Pair Arguments

Specify optional comma-separated pairs of **Name**, **Value** arguments. **Name** is the argument name and **Value** is the corresponding value. **Name** must appear inside single quotes (' '). You can specify several name and value pair arguments in any order as **Name1**, **Value1**, ..., **NameN**, **ValueN**.

```
Example: createOrderProfile(X, 'Instrument',  
[], 'Customer', '<Default>', 'Alias', '', 'RoundOption', 2, 'CustomerDefaults')
```

'Property1' — Valid X_TRADER API options

string

Valid X_TRADER API options, specified using the details described in Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

```
Example: createOrderProfile(X, 'Instrument',  
[], 'Customer', '<Default>', 'Alias', '', 'RoundOption', 2, 'CustomerDefaults')
```

Data Types: char

'Property2' – Valid X_TRADER API options

string

Valid X_TRADER API options, specified using the details described in *Trading Technologies X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

```
Example: createOrderProfile(X, 'Instrument',  
[], 'Customer', '<Default>', 'Alias', '', 'RoundOption', 2, 'CustomerDefaults')
```

Data Types: char

Output Arguments

P – Order profile

structure

Order profile, returned as a structure.

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4
- X_TRADER API

See Also

createInstrument | createNotifier | createOrderSet | xtrdr

Introduced in R2013a

createOrderSet

Create order set for X_TRADER

Syntax

```
createOrderSet(X)  
createOrderSet(X,S)  
createOrderSet(X,Name,Value)
```

Description

`createOrderSet(X)` creates an `xtrdr` order set with empty properties. You can set the properties individually using X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

`createOrderSet(X,S)` creates an `xtrdr` order set defined by the structure `S` with fields corresponding to X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

`createOrderSet(X,Name,Value)` creates an order set using X_TRADER API options specified by one or more `Name,Value` pair arguments with names and values corresponding to X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Examples

Create an Empty Order Set

Start X_TRADER.

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Create an order set without any properties.


```
createOrderSet(X)
```

Close the connection.

```
close(X)
```

Create an Order Set Using an Input Structure

Start X_TRADER.

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Define an input structure, S, with fields corresponding to X_TRADER API options.

```
S = [];  
S.Count = 0;  
S.Alias = '';  
S.ReadProperties = 'b';  
S.WriteProperties = 'b';  
S.EnableOrderSetUpdates = -1;  
S.EnableOrderFillData = 0;  
S.EnableOrderSend = 0;  
S.EnableOrderAutoDelete = 0;  
S.QuotingOrderProfile = [];  
S.DebugLogLevel = 3;  
S.QuoteWithCancelReplace = 0;  
S.EnableOrderUpdateData = 0;  
S.EnableFillCaching = 0;  
S.AvgOpenPriceMode = 'NONE';  
S.EnableOrderRejectData = 0;  
S.OrderStatusNotifyMode = 'ORD_NOTIFY_NONE';
```

Create an order set.

```
createOrderSet(X,S)
```

Close the connection.

```
close(X)
```

Create an Order Set Using Name-Value Pair Arguments

Start X_TRADER.

```
X = xtrdr;
```

Create an order set using name-value pair arguments corresponding to X_TRADER API options.

```
createOrderSet(X, 'Count', 0, 'Alias', '', 'ReadProperties', 'b', ...  
              'WriteProperties', 'b', 'EnableOrderSetUpdates', -1, ...  
              'EnableOrderFillData', 0, 'EnableOrderSend', 0, ...  
              'EnableOrderAutoDelete', 0, 'QuotingOrderProfile', [], ...  
              'DebugLogLevel', 3, 'QuoteWithCancelReplace', 0, ...  
              'EnableOrderUpdateData', 0, 'EnableFillCaching', 0, ...  
              'AvgOpenPriceMode', 'NONE', 'EnableOrderRejectData', 0, ...  
              'OrderStatusNotifyMode', 'ORD_NOTIFY_NONE')
```

Close the connection.

```
close(X)
```

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- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

Input Arguments

X — X_TRADER connection

connection object

X_TRADER connection, specified as a connection object created using `xtrdr`.

S — X_TRADER API properties

structure

X_TRADER API properties, specified as a structure where the field names match the X_TRADER API properties. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

```
Example: S = [];  
S.Exchange = 'Eurex';  
S.Product = 'OGBM';  
S.ProdType = 'Option';  
S.Contract = 'Jan12 P12300';  
S.Alias = 'TestInstrument3';
```

Data Types: struct

Name-Value Pair Arguments

Specify optional comma-separated pairs of `Name`, `Value` arguments. `Name` is the argument name and `Value` is the corresponding value. `Name` must appear inside single quotes (' '). You can specify several name and value pair arguments in any order as `Name1, Value1, . . . , NameN, ValueN`.

Example:

```
createOrderSet(X, 'Count', 0, 'Alias', '', 'ReadProperties', 'b', 'WriteProperties', '
[]' DebugLogLevel, 3, 'QuoteWithCancelReplace', 0, 'EnableOrderUpdateData', 0, 'Enabl
```

'Property1' — X_TRADER API options

string

X_TRADER API options, specified using the details described in Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Data Types: char

'Property2' — X_TRADER API options

string

X_TRADER API options, specified using the details described in Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Data Types: char

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies X_TRADER” on page 2-4
- X_TRADER API

See Also

`createInstrument` | `createNotifier` | `createOrderProfile` | `xtrdr`

Introduced in R2013a

getData

Obtain current X_TRADER data

Syntax

```
D = getData(X,S,F)
D = getData(X,F)
```

Description

`D = getData(X,S,F)` returns data for the fields `F` for the `xtrdr` instrument object, `S`, with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the *Trading Technologies X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

`D = getData(X,F)` returns data for the fields `F` for all instruments associated with the `xtrdr` session object, `X`.

Examples

Return Exchange and Last Price for an Instrument

Return the exchange and last price fields for the instrument defined in `x.Instrument(1)`.

```
D = getData(X,X.Instrument(1),{'Exchange','Last'});
```

```
D =
```

```
    Exchange: {'CME'}
           Last: {'45'}
```

Return Exchange and Last Price for an Alias

Return the exchange and last price fields for the instrument defined by the alias `PriceInstrument1`.

```
D = getData(X, 'PriceInstrument1', {'Exchange', 'Last'});
```

```
D =
```

```
Exchange: {'CME'}
Last: {'45'}
```

Return Exchange and Last Price for All Session Instruments

Return the exchange and last price fields for all instruments associated with the `xtrdr` session object, `X`.

```
D = getData(X, {'Exchange', 'Last'});
```

```
D =
```

```
Exchange: {2x1 cell}
Last: {2x1 cell}
```

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- “Listen for X_TRADER Price Market Depth Updates” on page 4-4
- “Submit X_TRADER Orders” on page 4-8

Input Arguments

X — X_TRADER connection

connection object

X_TRADER connection, specified as a connection object created using `xtrdr`.

S — Instrument object

instrument

Instrument object created by `createInstrument` or aliases with fields corresponding to valid X_TRADER API options. For details, see the Trading Technologies *X_TRADER API Programming Tutorial* or *X_TRADER API Class Reference*.

Example: `x.Instrument(1)`

F — Fields for the instrument object

string | cell array of strings

Fields for the instrument object or aliases, **S**. **F** without a corresponding **S** are fields for all instruments associated with the `xtrdr` session object, **X**.

Example: { 'Exchange' , 'Last' }

Data Types: char | cell

Output Arguments

D — **X_TRADER** data

strings

`X_TRADER` data, returned as strings in MATLAB and missing data is returned as NaN.

More About

- “Workflows for Trading Technologies `X_TRADER`” on page 2-4
- `X_TRADER` API

See Also

`createInstrument` | `xtrdr`

Introduced in R2013a

cqq

Create CQG connection object

Syntax

```
c = cqq
```

Description

`c = cqq` creates a CQG connection object `c`.

Examples

Create the CQG Connection Object

Create the CQG connection object using `cqq`.

```
c = cqq
```

```
c =
```

```
  cqq with properties:
```

```
  Handle: [1x1 COM.CQG_CQGCEL_4]
  APIConfig: [1x1 Interface.CQG_4.0_Type_Library_-_Revised_API.ICQGAPIConfig]
```

CQG connection object properties reflect the CQG ActiveX object `Handle` and the API configuration type library specification `APIConfig`.

Display the `Handle` property of `c`.

```
c.Handle
```

```
ans =
```

```
  COM.CQG_CQGCEL_4
```

Close the CQG connection.

`close(c)`

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Output Arguments

c — CQG connection

connection object

CQG connection, returned as a CQG connection object. The properties of this object are as follows:

Property	Description
Handle	CQG ActiveX object
APIConfig	API configuration type library specification

These properties are determined by the CQG API.

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- “Installation” on page 1-3
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `startUp`

Introduced in R2013b

close

Close CQG connection

Syntax

```
close(c)
```

Description

`close(c)` closes CQG connection `c`.

Examples

Close the CQG Connection

Create the CQG connection object `c` using `cqg`.

```
c = cqg;
```

Create the CQG connection using `startUp`.

```
startUp(c)
```

Close the connection using the CQG connection object `c`.

```
close(c)
```

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Input Arguments

c — CQG connection
connection object

CQG connection, specified as a CQG connection object created using `cqg`.

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`cqg` | `shutDown`

Introduced in R2013b

createOrder

Create CQG order

Syntax

```
o = createOrder(c,s,1,account,quantity)
o = createOrder(c,s,2,account,quantity,limitprice)
o = createOrder(c,s,3,account,quantity,stopprice)
o = createOrder(c,s,4,account,quantity,limitprice,stopprice)
```

Description

`o = createOrder(c,s,1,account,quantity)` creates a `CQGOrder` object `o` for a market order of `quantity` shares of CQG instrument `s` using the `CQGAccount` credentials object `account` over the CQG connection `c`.

`o = createOrder(c,s,2,account,quantity,limitprice)` creates a limit order using a CQG limit price `limitprice`.

`o = createOrder(c,s,3,account,quantity,stopprice)` creates a stop order using a CQG stop price `stopprice`.

`o = createOrder(c,s,4,account,quantity,limitprice,stopprice)` creates a stop limit order using CQG limit and stop prices, `limitprice` and `stopprice`.

Examples

Create and Place a Market Order Using a CQGInstrument Object

To create and place a market order for shares of an instrument with the CQG Trader Com API using a `CQGInstrument` object to specify the instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with the connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register event handlers for tracking events associated with the instrument subscription, order and

account. Subscribe to the instrument and create the `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`. Then, set up the account credentials `accountHandle`. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers, API configuration properties, and `CQGInstrument` object.

Create a market order that buys one share of the subscribed security `cqgInst` using the account credentials `accountHandle`.

```
quantity = 1;

oMarket = createOrder(c,cqgInst,1,accountHandle,quantity);
oMarket.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged
```

The `CQGOrder` object `oMarket` contains the order. The CQG API executes the market order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

Close the CQG connection.

```
shutDown(c)
```

Create and Place a Market Order Using a CQG Instrument String

To create and place a market order for shares of an instrument with the CQG Trader Com API using a string to specify the instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register event handlers for tracking events associated with instrument subscription, order and account. Subscribe to the instrument. Then, set up the account credentials `accountHandle`. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about the event handlers and the API configuration properties.

Create a market order that buys one share of the previously subscribed security 'EZC' using the defined account credentials `accountHandle`.

```
cqgInstrumentName = 'EZC';
quantity = 1;

oMarket = createOrder(c,cqgInstrumentName,1,accountHandle,...
```

```

        quantity);
oMarket.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged

```

The `CQGOrder` object `oMarket` contains the order. The CQG API executes the market order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

Close the CQG connection.

```
shutDown(c)
```

Create and Place a Limit Order

To create and place a limit order for shares of an instrument with the CQG Trader Com API using a `CQGInstrument` object to specify the instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register event handlers for tracking events associated with instrument subscription, order and account. Subscribe to the instrument and create the `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`. Then, set up the account credentials `accountHandle`. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about the event handlers, the API configuration properties, and the `CQGInstrument` object.

To create a limit order, you can use the bid price. Extract the CQG bid object `qtBid` from the previously defined `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`.

```
qtBid = cqgInst.get('Bid');
```

Create a limit order that buys one share of the previously subscribed security `cqgInst` using the previously defined account credentials `accountHandle` and `qtBid` for the limit price.

```

quantity = 1;
limitprice = qtBid.get('Price');

oLimit = createOrder(c,cqgInst,2,accountHandle,quantity,...
    limitprice);
oLimit.Place

ans =

```

OrderChanged

The `CQGOrder` object `oLimit` contains the order. The CQG API executes the limit order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

Close the CQG connection.

```
shutDown(c)
```

Create and Place a Stop Order

To create and place a stop order for shares of an instrument with the CQG Trader Com API using a `CQGInstrument` object to specify the instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqq` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register event handlers for tracking events associated with instrument subscription, order and account. Subscribe to the instrument and create the `CQGInstrument` object `cqqInst`. Then, set up the account credentials `accountHandle`. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about the event handlers, the API configuration properties, and the `CQGInstrument` object.

To create a stop order, you can use the trade price. Extract the CQG trade object `qtTrade` from the previously defined `CQGInstrument` object `cqqInst`.

```
qtTrade = cqqInst.get('Trade');
```

Create a stop order that buys one share of the previously subscribed security `cqqInst` using the previously defined account credentials `accountHandle` and `qtTrade` for the stop price.

```
quantity = 1;
stopprice = qtTrade.get('Price');

oStop = createOrder(c,cqqInst,3,accountHandle,quantity,...
    stopprice);
oStop.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged
```

The `CQGOrder` object `oStop` contains the order. The CQG API executes the stop order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

Close the CQG connection.

```
shutDown(c)
```

Create and Place a Stop Limit Order

To create and place a stop limit order for shares of an instrument with the CQG Trader Com API using a `CQGInstrument` object to specify the instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register event handlers for tracking events associated with instrument subscription, order and account. Subscribe to the instrument and create the `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`. Then, set up the account credentials `accountHandle`. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about the event handlers, the API configuration properties, and the `CQGInstrument` object.

To create a stop limit order, you can use the bid and trade prices. Extract the CQG bid object `qtBid` and the CQG trade object `qtTrade` from the previously defined `CQGInstrument` object `cqgInst`.

```
qtBid = cqgInst.get('Bid');
qtTrade = cqgInst.get('Trade');
```

Create a stop limit order that buys one share of the subscribed security `cqgInst` using the defined account credentials `accountHandle` and `qtBid` for the limit price and `qtTrade` for the stop price.

```
quantity = 1;
limitprice = qtBid.get('Price');
stopprice = qtTrade.get('Price');

oStopLimit = createOrder(c,cqgInst,4,accountHandle,quantity,...
    limitprice,stopprice);
oStopLimit.Place

ans =
    OrderChanged
```

The `CQGOrder` object `oStopLimit` contains the order. The CQG API executes the stop limit order using the CQG API function `Place`. After execution, the order status changes.

Close the CQG connection.

shutDown(c)

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Input Arguments

c — CQG connection

connection object

CQG connection, specified as a CQG connection object created using `cqg`.

s — CQG instrument name

string | CQGINstrument object

CQG instrument name, specified as a string or a CQGINstrument object, denoting the instrument or security for the order transaction. For more information about creating a CQGINstrument object, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Data Types: char

account — CQG account credentials

CQGAccount object

CQG account credentials, specified as a CQGAccount object. This object encapsulates all data pertinent to your account. For more information about creating a CQGAccount object, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

quantity — CQG order quantity

scalar

CQG order quantity, specified as a scalar denoting the number of shares to order. A positive number denotes a buy and a negative number denotes a sell.

Data Types: double

limitprice — CQG limit price

double

CQG limit price, specified as a double denoting the limit order price.

Data Types: `double`

stopprice — CQG stop price

`double`

CQG stop price, specified as a double denoting the stop order price.

Data Types: `double`

Output Arguments

o — CQG order

`CQGOrder` object

CQG order, returned as a `CQGOrder` object. This object encapsulates all data necessary to execute a CQG order. For more information about creating a `CQGOrder` object, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`cqg` | `history` | `realtime` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2013b

history

Request CQG historical data

Syntax

```
history(c,s,startdate,enddate,period)
history(c,s,startdate,enddate,period,x)
```

Description

`history(c,s,startdate,enddate,period)` requests CQG historical data asynchronously with bar size `period` between `startdate` and `enddate` for CQG instrument name `s` with CQG connection `c`.

`history(c,s,startdate,enddate,period,x)` requests CQG historical data asynchronously with additional request properties `x`.

Examples

Request CQG Historical Data

To request daily historical data for an instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqq` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register an event handler for tracking events associated with building and initializing the output data structure. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers and the API configuration properties.

Request historical daily data for instrument `XYZ.XYZ` for the last 10 days. `XYZ.XYZ` is a sample instrument name. To request historical data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```
instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = floor(now) - 10;
enddate = floor(now);
```

```
period = 'hpDaily';
```

```
history(c,instrument,startdate,enddate,period)
```

MATLAB writes variable `cqgHistoryData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgHistoryData`.

```
cqgHistoryData
```

```
cqgHistoryData =
  1.0e+05 *
    7.3533    0.0063    0.0063
    7.3533    0.0064    0.0064
    7.3533    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0064    0.0064
```

Each row in `cqgHistoryData` represents data for 1 day. The columns in `cqgHistoryData` show the numerical representation of the timestamp, the close price, and the open price for the instrument during the day.

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

Request CQG Historical Data with Additional Request Properties

To request daily historical data for an instrument with an additional property, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register an event handler for tracking events associated with building and initializing the output data structure. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers and the API configuration properties.

Pass an additional optional request property by creating the structure `x` and setting the optional property.

```
x.UpdatesEnabled = false;
```

For additional optional properties you can set, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Request historical daily data for instrument XYZ.XYZ for the last 10 days using the additional optional request property x. XYZ.XYZ is a sample instrument name. To request historical data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```
instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = floor(now) - 10;
enddate = floor(now);
period = 'hpDaily';
```

```
history(c,instrument,startdate,enddate,period,x)
```

MATLAB writes the variable `cqgHistoryData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgHistoryData`.

`cqgHistoryData`

```
cqgHistoryData =
  1.0e+05 *
    7.3533    0.0063    0.0063
    7.3533    0.0064    0.0064
    7.3533    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0065    0.0065
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0066    0.0066
    7.3534    0.0064    0.0064
```

Each row in `cqgHistoryData` represents data for 1 day. The columns in `cqgHistoryData` show the numerical representation of the timestamp, the close price, and the open price for the instrument during the day.

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

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- “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57

Input Arguments

c — CQG connection

connection object

CQG connection, specified as a CQG connection object created using `cqg`.

s — CQG instrument name

string

CQG instrument name, specified as a string identifying the instrument or security.

Data Types: char

startdate — Start date

date string | date scalar

Start date, specified as a starting date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

enddate — End date

date string | date scalar

End date, specified as an ending date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

period — Bar size

'hpDaily' (default) | 'hpWeekly' | 'hpMonthly' | 'hpQuarterly' |
'hpSemiannual' | 'hpYearly'

Bar size, specified as one of the above enumerated strings predetermined by the CQG API that denotes the length of time to collect data.

x — CQG request properties

request properties structure

CQG request properties, specified as a CQG request properties structure. Create this structure by writing MATLAB code to set additional optional request properties. For additional optional properties you can set, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Example: `x.UpdatesEnabled = false;`

Data Types: `struct`

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`cqg` | `createOrder` | `realtime` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2013b

realtime

Subscribe to CQG instrument

Syntax

```
realtime(c,s)
```

Description

`realtime(c,s)` subscribes to a CQG instrument `s` using CQG connection `c`.

Examples

Subscribe to the CQG Instrument

To subscribe to the CQG instrument and get current data, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register an event handler for tracking events associated with instrument subscription. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers and the API configuration properties.

With the connection established, subscribe to the instrument. The instrument name must be formatted in the CQG long symbol view. For example, to subscribe to a security tied to corn, type the following.

```
instrument = 'F.US.EZC';  
realtime(c,instrument)
```

MATLAB writes the structure variable `cqgDataEZC` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgDataEZC`.

```
cqgDataEZC(1,1)
```

```
ans =  
    Price: {15x1 cell}  
    Volume: {15x1 cell}  
    ServerTimestamp: {15x1 cell}  
    Timestamp: {15x1 cell}  
    Type: {15x1 cell}  
    Name: {15x1 cell}  
    IsValid: {15x1 cell}  
    Instrument: {15x1 cell}  
    HasVolume: {15x1 cell}
```

`cqgDataEZC` returns the current quotes for the security.

Display data in the `Price` property of `cqgDataEZC`.

```
cqgDataEZC(1,1).Price
```

```
ans =  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[ 660.5000]  
[]  
[]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[-2.1475e+09]  
[ 660.5000]  
[-2.1475e+09]
```

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

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Input Arguments

c – CQG connection

connection object

CQG connection, specified as a CQG connection object created using `cqg`.

s – CQG instrument name

string

CQG instrument name, specified as a string identifying the instrument or security.

Data Types: char

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`cqg` | `createOrder` | `history` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2013b

shutDown

Close CQG connection

Syntax

```
shutDown(c)
```

Description

shutDown(c) closes the CQG connection c.

Examples

Close the CQG Connection

Create the CQG connection object using `cqg`.

```
c = cqg;
```

Create the CQG connection using `startUp`.

```
startUp(c)
```

Close the CQG connection.

```
shutDown(c)
```

Alternatively, close the CQG connection using `close`.

```
close(c)
```

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Input Arguments

c – CQG connection

connection object

CQG connection, specified as a CQG connection object created using `cqg`.

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `cqg` | `startUp`

Introduced in R2013b

startUp

Create CQG connection

Syntax

```
startUp(c)
```

Description

startUp(c) creates the CQG connection c.

Examples

Create the CQG Connection

Create the CQG connection object using `cqg`.

```
c = cqg;
```

Create the CQG connection.

```
startUp(c)
```

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

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Input Arguments

c — **CQG connection**
connection object

CQG connection, specified as a CQG connection object created using `cqg`.

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `cqg` | `shutDown`

Introduced in R2013b

timeseries

Request CQG intraday tick data

Syntax

```
timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate)
timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate,[ ],x)

timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate,intraday)
timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate,intraday,x)
```

Description

`timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate)` requests CQG raw intraday tick data asynchronously between `startdate` and `enddate` for CQG instrument name `s` with CQG connection `c`.

`timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate,[],x)` requests CQG raw intraday tick data asynchronously without timed bar data using additional request properties `x`.

`timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate,intraday)` requests CQG timed bar data asynchronously with the aggregated bar value `intraday`.

`timeseries(c,s,startdate,enddate,intraday,x)` requests CQG timed bar data asynchronously with additional request properties `x`.

Examples

Request CQG Intraday Tick Data

To request intraday tick data for an instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register an event handler for tracking events associated with building and initializing the output data structure. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers and the API configuration properties.

Request intraday tick data for instrument XYZ.XYZ for the last 2 days. XYZ.XYZ is a sample instrument name. To request intraday tick data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```
instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = now - 2;
enddate = now;
```

```
timeseries(c,instrument,startdate,enddate)
```

MATLAB writes the structure variable `cqgTickData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgTickData`.

```
cqgTickData
```

```
cqgTickData =
    Timestamp: {2x1 cell}
      Price: [2x1 double]
     Volume: [2x1 double]
   PriceType: {2x1 cell}
CorrectionType: {2x1 cell}
SalesConditionLabel: {2x1 cell}
SalesConditionCode: [2x1 double]
   ContributorId: {2x1 cell}
ContributorIdCode: [2x1 double]
   MarketState: {2x1 cell}
```

`cqgTickData` returns intraday tick data for the specified instrument.

Display the data in the `Timestamp` property of `cqgTickData`.

```
cqgTickData.Timestamp
```

```
ans =
    '4/17/2013 2:14:00 PM'
    '4/18/2013 2:14:00 PM'
```

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

Request CQG Intraday Tick Data with Additional Properties

To request intraday tick data for an instrument with an additional property, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events

associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register an event handler for tracking events associated with building and initializing the output data structure. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers and the API configuration properties.

Pass an additional optional request property by creating the structure `x`, and setting the optional property. To see only bid tick data, for example, set `TickFilter` to `'tfBid'`.

```
x.TickFilter = 'tfBid';
```

`TickFilter` and `SessionsFilter` are the only valid additional optional properties for calling `timeseries` without a timed bar request. For additional property values you can set, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Request intraday tick data for instrument `XYZ.XYZ` for the last 2 days using the additional optional request property `x`. `XYZ.XYZ` is a sample instrument name. To request intraday tick data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```
instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';  
startdate = now - 2;  
enddate = now;
```

```
timeseries(c,instrument,startdate,enddate,[],x)
```

MATLAB writes the variable `cqgTickData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgTickData`.

```
cqgTickData
```

```
cqgTickData =  
    Timestamp: {2x1 cell}  
    Price: [2x1 double]  
    Volume: [2x1 double]  
    PriceType: {2x1 cell}  
    CorrectionType: {2x1 cell}  
    SalesConditionLabel: {2x1 cell}  
    SalesConditionCode: [2x1 double]  
    ContributorId: {2x1 cell}  
    ContributorIdCode: [2x1 double]  
    MarketState: {2x1 cell}
```


`cqgTickData` returns intraday tick data for the specified instrument.

Display the data in the `Timestamp` property of `cqgTickData`.

```
cqgTickData.Timestamp
```

```
ans =
    '4/17/2013 2:14:00 PM'
    '4/18/2013 2:14:00 PM'
```

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

Request CQG Timed Bar Data

To request timed bar data for an instrument, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register an event handler for tracking events associated with building and initializing the output data structure. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers and the API configuration properties.

Request timed bar data for instrument `XYZ.XYZ` for the last fraction of a day. `XYZ.XYZ` is a sample instrument name. To request timed bar data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```
instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = now - .1;
enddate = now;
intraday = 1;
```

```
timeseries(c,instrument,startdate,enddate,intraday)
```

MATLAB writes variable `cqgTimedBarData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgTimedBarData`.

```
cqgTimedBarData
```

```
cqgTimedBarData =
    1.0e+09 *
    0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
    0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
```

```
0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
...
```

`cqgTimedBarData` returns timed bar data for the specified instrument. The columns of `cqgTimedBarData` display data corresponding to the timestamp, open price, high price, low price, close price, mid-price, HLC3, average price, and tick volume.

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

Request CQG Timed Bar Data with Additional Properties

To request timed bar data for an instrument with an additional property, create the connection `c` using `cqg` and `startUp`. Register an event handler for tracking events associated with connection status. Set up the API configuration properties. Then, register an event handler for tracking events associated with building and initializing the output data structure. For an example demonstrating these activities, see “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53. See *CQG API Reference Guide* to learn more about event handlers and the API configuration properties.

Pass an additional optional request property by creating the structure `x`, and setting the optional property.

```
x.UpdatesEnabled = false;
```

For additional optional properties you can set, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Request timed bar data for instrument `XYZ.XYZ` for the last fraction of a day using the additional optional request property `x`. `XYZ.XYZ` is a sample instrument name. To request timed bar data for your instrument, substitute the symbol name in `instrument`.

```
instrument = 'XYZ.XYZ';
startdate = now - .1;
enddate = now;
intraday = 1;
```

```
timeseries(c,instrument,startdate,enddate,intraday,x)
```

MATLAB writes the variable `cqgTimedBarData` to the Workspace browser.

Display `cqgTimedBarData`.

cqgTimedBarData

```

cqgTimedBarData =
  1.0e+09 *
  0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
  0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
  0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
  0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
  0.0007 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475 -2.1475
  ...

```

`cqgTimedBarData` returns timed bar data for the specified instrument. The columns of `cqgTimedBarData` display data corresponding to the timestamp, open price, high price, low price, close price, mid-price, HLC3, average price, and tick volume.

Close the CQG connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create CQG Orders” on page 4-45
- “Request CQG Historical Data” on page 4-50
- “Request CQG Intraday Tick Data” on page 4-53
- “Request CQG Real-Time Data” on page 4-57

Input Arguments

c — CQG connection

connection object

CQG connection, specified as a CQG connection object created using `cqg`.

s — CQG instrument name

string

CQG instrument name, specified as a string identifying the instrument or security.

Data Types: char

startdate — Start date

date string | date scalar

Start date, specified as a starting date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

enddate — End date

date string | date scalar

End date, specified as an ending date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

intraday — Aggregated bar value

scalar | []

Aggregated bar value, specified as a scalar from 1.0 to 1440.0. If you want to call `timeseries` to return intraday tick data with additional properties without timed bar data, then enter [] for this argument.

Data Types: double

x — CQG request properties

request properties structure

CQG request properties, specified as a CQG request properties structure. Create this structure by writing MATLAB code to set additional optional request properties. For additional optional properties you can set, see *CQG API Reference Guide*.

Example: `x.UpdatesEnabled = false;`

Data Types: struct

More About

- “Workflow for CQG” on page 2-8
- CQG API Reference Guide

See Also

`cqq` | `createOrder` | `history` | `realtime`

Introduced in R2013b

ibtws

Create IB Trader Workstation connection

Syntax

```
ib = ibtws(host,port)
ib = ibtws(host,port,clientid)
```

Description

`ib = ibtws(host,port)` creates a connection to IB Trader Workstation on a machine with IP address `host` and port number `port`. `ibtws` returns the IB Trader Workstation connection object `ib`.

`ib = ibtws(host,port,clientid)` creates a connection to IB Trader Workstation by specifying the client identifier `clientid`.

Examples

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation on the Local Machine

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496)
```

```
ib =
```

```
    ibtws with properties:
```

```
    ClientId: 0
    Handle: [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]
    Host: ''
    Port: 7496
```

MATLAB returns `ib` as the connection to the IB Trader Workstation with the Interactive Brokers ActiveX object, the local host, and the port number that you choose.

Display the `Handle` property of `ib`.

```
ib.Handle
```

```
ans =
```

```
COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation on Another Machine

Note: The IP address for this example does not represent a real Interactive Brokers machine.

Use IP address `1111.222.333.44` and port number `7496` to connect to the IB Trader Workstation on another machine.

```
ib = ibtws('1111.222.333.44',7496)
```

```
ib =
```

```
ibtws with properties:
```

```
ClientId: 0  
Handle: [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]  
Host: '1111.222.333.44'  
Port: 7496
```

MATLAB returns `ib` as the connection to the IB Trader Workstation with the Interactive Brokers ActiveX object, the IP address that you choose, and the port number that you choose.

Display the `Handle` property of `ib`.

```
ib.Handle
```

```
ans =
```

```
COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation Using the Client Identifier

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation on the local machine using client identifier 1.

```
ib = ibtws(' ',7496,1)
```

```
ib =
```

```
  ibtws with properties:
```

```
  ClientId: 1
  Handle: [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]
  Host: ''
  Port: 7496
```

MATLAB returns `ib` as the connection to the IB Trader Workstation with the client identifier, Interactive Brokers ActiveX object, the local host, and the port number that you choose.

Display the `ClientId` property of `ib`.

```
ib.ClientId
```

```
ans =
```

```
    1
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation” on page 1-7
- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Input Arguments

host — IP address of machine where IB Trader Workstation is running

'' | character vector

IP address of the machine where IB Trader Workstation is running, specified as either ' ' or a character vector. ' ' specifies the local machine. A character vector specifies the IP address of another machine.

Data Types: char

port — IB Trader Workstation port number

scalar

IB Trader Workstation port number, specified as a number designating the connection port of the machine.

Data Types: double

clientId — IB Trader Workstation client identifier

scalar

IB Trader Workstation client identifier, specified as a number designating the client machine. This number must be unique to the client.

Data Types: double

Output Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, returned as an IB Trader Workstation connection object. The properties of this object are as follows.

Property	Description
ClientId	Application identifier where the connection originated
Handle	Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
Host	host argument
Port	port argument

The Interactive Brokers API determines these properties.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close`

Introduced in R2013b

close

Close IB Trader Workstation connection

Syntax

```
close(ib)
```

Description

`close(ib)` closes the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`.

Examples

Close the IB Trader Workstation Connection

Connect to the IB Trader Workstation on the local machine with port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

`ibtws` creates the IB Trader Workstation connection object `ib`.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection using the IB Trader Workstation connection object `ib`.

```
close(ib)
```

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- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
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- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection
connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

More About

- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`ibtws`

Introduced in R2013b

createOrder

Create IB Trader Workstation order

Syntax

```
d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id)
d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id,eventhandler)
```

Description

`d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id)` creates an IB Trader Workstation order over the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using the IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder` with a unique order identifier `id` to denote the order information. `createOrder` uses the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` to signify the instrument for the transaction. `createOrder` returns the Interactive Brokers order data `d` containing data about the completed order.

`d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id,eventhandler)` creates an IB Trader Workstation order using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Create an Order

To create an order, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtw`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. Then, create an IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`. An `IOrder` object is an Interactive Brokers object that contains the order conditions to place an order. For an example showing how to create these objects, see “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26. For details about creating these objects, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Obtain the next valid order identification number `id` using `ib`.

```
id = orderid(ib)
```

```
id =
```

```
54110686
```

Execute the order using `ib`, `ibContract`, `ibOrder`, and `id`. This code assumes a buy market order for two shares.

```
d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id)
```

```
d =
```

```
STATUS: 'Filled'  
FILLED: 2  
REMAINING: 0  
AVG_FILL_PRICE: 787.5600  
PERM_ID: '1979798454'  
PARENT_ID: 0  
LAST_FILL_PRICE: 787.5600  
CLIENT_ID: 0  
WHY_HELD: ''
```

`d` contains these fields:

- Status
- Filled
- Remaining
- Average fill price
- Permanent identifier
- Parent identifier
- Last fill price
- Client identifier
- Why held

Display the data in the `STATUS` property of `d`.

```
d(1,1).STATUS
```

```
ans =
```

```
Filled
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Create an Order Using an Event Handler

To create an order, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. Then, create an IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`. An `IOrder` object is an Interactive Brokers object that contains the order conditions to place an order. For an example showing how to create these objects, see “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26. For details about creating these objects, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Obtain the next valid order identification number `id` using `ib`.

```
id = orderid(ib)
```

```
id =
```

```
768409.00
```

Execute the order using `ib`, `ibContract`, `ibOrder`, and `id`. This code assumes a buy market order for two shares. Use the sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id,@ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
d =
```

```
768409.00
```

```
Columns 1 through 5
```

```
[1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1] [13.00] [768409.00] 'Submitted' [0]
```

```
Columns 6 through 12
```

```
[2.00] [0] [1679681704.00] [0] [0] [0] ''
```

```
Columns 13 through 14
```

```
[1x1 struct]   'orderStatus'  
...
```

`d` contains the unique order identifier `id`.

`ibExampleEventHandler` displays order status data in the Command Window. The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Unique order identifier
- Order status
- Filled
- Remaining
- Average fill price
- Permanent identifier
- Parent identifier
- Last fill price
- Client identifier
- Why held
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Event type

For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

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- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
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- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

ibContract — IB Trader Workstation contract

IContract object

IB Trader Workstation contract, specified as an IB Trader Workstation IContract object. This object is the instrument or security used in the order transaction. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createContract`. For details about `createContract` and the attributes that you can set, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

ibOrder — IB Trader Workstation order

IOrder object

IB Trader Workstation order, specified as an IB Trader Workstation IOrder object. This object contains the order conditions, which are: the action of the order, for example, buy or sell; the order quantity; and the type of order, for example, market or limit. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createOrder`. For details about the attributes that you can set and `createOrder`, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

id — IB Trader Workstation order unique identifier

scalar

IB Trader Workstation order unique identifier, specified as a scalar.

Data Types: `double`

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: @eventhandler

Data Types: function_handle | char

Output Arguments

d — Interactive Brokers order data

structure | double

Interactive Brokers order data, returned as a structure containing these fields:

- Status
- Filled
- Remaining
- Average fill price
- Permanent identifier
- Parent identifier
- Last fill price
- Client identifier
- Why held

When using an event handler function, **d** is a double containing the unique order identifier.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6

- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtwms` | `orderid` | `realtime` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2013b

getdata

Request current Interactive Brokers data

Syntax

```
d = getdata(ib,ibContract)
d = getdata(ib,ibContract,eventhandler)
```

Description

`d = getdata(ib,ibContract)` requests Interactive Brokers current data over the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` to signify the instrument.

`d = getdata(ib,ibContract,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers current data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Current Data

To request Interactive Brokers current data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request current data using `ib` and `ibContract`.

```
d = getdata(ib,ibContract)
d =
```

```
LAST_PRICE: 6.85
LAST_SIZE: 1.00
  VOLUME: 187.00
  BID_PRICE: 6.84
  BID_SIZE: 14.00
  ASK_PRICE: 6.86
  ASK_SIZE: 13.00
```

`d` contains these fields:

- Last price
- Last size
- Volume
- Bid price
- Bid size
- Ask price
- Ask size

Display the data in the `BID_PRICE` field of `d`.

```
d.BID_PRICE
ans =
  6.84
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Current Data Using an Event Handler

To request Interactive Brokers current data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtw`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request current data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler`. Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```

d = getdata(ib,ibContract,@ibExampleEventHandler)
d =
    1418.00
Columns 1 through 5
    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [2.00]    [1418.00]    [0]    [5.00]
Columns 6 through 7
    [1x1 struct]    'tickSize'
    ...

```

`d` is the request identifier.

After `d`, `ibExampleEventHandler` streams current data to the Command Window. Each column set is a type of tick.

For a size tick, the columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Request identifier
- Tick type
- Size
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Event type

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

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- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

ibContract — IB Trader Workstation contract

IContract object

IB Trader Workstation contract, specified as an IB Trader Workstation IContract object. This object is the instrument or security used in the order transaction. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createContract`. For details about `createContract` and the attributes that you can set, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | `char`

Output Arguments

d — Interactive Brokers current data

structure | double

Interactive Brokers current data, returned as a structure containing these tick types:

- Last price
- Last size
- Volume
- Bid price

- Bid size
- Ask price
- Ask size

When using an event handler function, `d` is a double denoting the request identifier.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `history` | `ibtws` | `realtime` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2013b

history

Request Interactive Brokers historical data

Syntax

```
d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate)
d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period)
d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period,
tradehours)
d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period,
tradehours,eventhandler)
```

Description

`d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate)` requests Interactive Brokers historical data using the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` and IB Trader Workstation IContract object `ibContract` to signify the instrument. `history` requests data from `startdate` through `enddate`. The default tick type is 'TRADES' and default period is '1 day'.

`d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period)` requests Interactive Brokers historical data for a specific type of market data tick `ticktype` and bar size `period`.

`d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period,tradehours)` requests Interactive Brokers historical data using the flag `tradehours` to include all data or only data within regular trading hours.

`d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period,tradehours,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers historical data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data with TRADES Default Tick Type and 1-Day Default Period

To request historical data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtwc`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request the last 5 days of historical data using `ib` and `ibContract`.

```
startdate = floor(now) - 5;
enddate = floor(now);

d = history(ib, ibContract, startdate, enddate)
```

d =

Columns 1 through 5

736308.00	751.83	755.85	743.83	749.46
736309.00	742.69	745.71	736.75	738.20
736312.00	743.08	748.73	724.17	748.48
736313.00	752.50	758.08	744.43	747.65

Columns 6 through 9

12513.00	9107.00	751.28	0
15984.00	11121.00	740.39	0
17125.00	11355.00	736.61	0
2139.00	2568.00	751.29	0

`d` returns the historical data for 5 days. When `ticktype` and `period` are not specified as input arguments, `history` returns historical data using the default `ticktype` of 'TRADES' and the default period of '1 day'.

Each row of `d` contains historical data for 1 day. The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume

- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Display the open price for the most recent record in matrix `d`.

```
d(1,2)
```

```
ans =
```

```
751.83
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data with BID Tick Type and 1-Week Period

To request historical data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request the last 50 days of historical data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and these arguments:

- Start date is 50 days ago.
- End date is the current moment.
- Tick type is 'BID'.
- Bar size is '1W'.

```
startdate = floor(now) - 50;
```

```
enddate = floor(now);
```

```
ticktype = 'BID';
```

```
period = '1W';
```

```
d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period)
```

```
d =
```

```
Columns 1 through 5
```

736267.00	699.28	720.36	695.10	710.50
736274.00	710.35	739.20	703.18	732.77
736281.00	730.00	740.92	711.99	711.99
736288.00	713.05	757.73	706.00	756.35
736295.00	755.30	762.70	737.52	748.56

```

736302.00    749.33    775.81    740.00    766.15
736309.00    765.00    768.18    735.57    738.20
736312.00    738.87    757.77    700.00    747.84

```

Columns 6 through 9

```

-1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
-1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
-1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
-1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
-1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
-1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
-1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
-1.00    0    -1.00    0

```

`d` returns the historical data for 50 days.

Each row of `d` contains historical data for 1 week.

The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Display the high price for the most recent record in matrix `d`.

```
d(1,3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
720.36
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data with TRADES Default Tick Type and 1-Month Period

To request historical data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request

Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request the last 50 days of historical data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and these arguments:

- Start date is 50 days ago.
- End date is the current moment.
- The empty string denotes the default tick type 'TRADES'.
- Bar size is '1M'.

```
startdate = floor(now) - 50;
enddate = floor(now);
ticktype = '';
period = '1M';
```

```
d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period)
```

d =

Columns 1 through 5

736267.00	661.18	738.42	641.64	710.85
736298.00	712.00	762.71	705.85	742.60
736312.00	745.50	775.96	724.17	748.73

Columns 6 through 9

186268.00	127222.00	692.28	0
234490.00	160672.00	734.32	0
151754.00	102702.00	754.11	0

`d` returns the historical data for 50 days.

Each row of `d` contains historical data for 1 month.

The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count

- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Display the low price for the most recent record in matrix `d`.

```
d(1,4)
```

```
ans =
```

```
641.64
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data Within Regular Trading Hours

To request historical data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request the last 50 days of historical data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and these arguments:

- Start date is 50 days ago.
- End date is the current moment.
- The empty string denotes the default tick type 'TRADES'.
- Bar size is '1M'.
- Within regular trading hours.

```
startdate = floor(now) - 50;
enddate = floor(now);
ticktype = '';
period = '1M';
tradehours = true;
```

```
d = history(ib, ibContract, startdate, enddate, ticktype, period, ...
           tradehours)
```

```
d =
```

```
Columns 1 through 5
```

```
736267.00    661.18    730.00    641.73    710.81
736298.00    711.21    762.71    705.85    742.60
736312.00    747.11    775.96    724.17    748.73
```

Columns 6 through 9

```
169656.00    125271.00    691.49    0
210536.00    160260.00    734.41    0
135075.00    102377.00    753.82    0
```

`d` returns the historical data for 50 days.

Each row of `d` contains historical data for 1 month.

The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Display the low price for the most recent record in matrix `d`.

```
d(1,4)
```

```
ans =
```

```
641.73
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data Using an Event Handler

To request historical data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32. An `IContract` object is an Interactive

Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request the last 50 days of historical data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and these arguments:

- Start date is 50 days ago.
- End date is the current moment.
- The empty string denotes the default tick type 'TRADES'.
- Bar size is '1M'.
- Within regular trading hours.
- Sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler`.

Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```

startdate = floor(now) - 50;
enddate = floor(now);
ticktype = '';
period = '1M';
tradehours = true;
eventhandler = 'ibExampleEventHandler';

d = history(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,ticktype,period,...
           tradehours,eventhandler)

```

```

d =
    9157.00
Columns 1 through 4
    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [22.00]    [9157.00]    '20151030'
Columns 5 through 9
    [661.18]    [730.00]    [641.73]    [710.81]    [169656.00]
Columns 10 through 14
    [125271.00]    [691.49]    [0]    [1x1 struct]    'historicalData'
    ...

```

`d` is the request identifier.

After `d`, `ibExampleEventHandler` streams historical data to the Command Window. The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object

- Event identifier
- Request identifier
- Date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Event type

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create an Order Using IB Trader Workstation” on page 1-7
- “Create Interactive Brokers Combination Order” on page 4-39
- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26
- “Request Interactive Brokers Historical Data” on page 4-32
- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtw`.

ibContract — IB Trader Workstation contract

IContract object

IB Trader Workstation contract, specified as an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object. This object is the instrument or security used in the order transaction. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createContract`. For details about `createContract` and the attributes that you can set, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

startdate — Start date

date string | date scalar

Start date, specified as a starting date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

enddate — End date

date string | date scalar

End date, specified as an ending date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

ticktype — Types of market data ticks

'TRADES' (default) | 'MIDPOINT' | 'BID' | 'ASK' | 'BID_ASK' | 'HISTORICAL_VOLATILITY' | 'OPTION_IMPLIED_VOLATILITY'

Types of market data ticks, specified as one of the preceding enumerated strings. The Interactive Brokers API predetermines these strings to denote tick values to collect.

period — Bar size

'1 day' (default) | '1W' | '1M'

Bar size, specified as one of the preceding enumerated strings predetermined by the Interactive Brokers API that denote the periodicity for collecting data.

tradehours — Trading hours

false (default) | true

Trading hours, specified as the logical `true` or `false`. When this flag is set to `true`, this function returns data only within regular trading hours. Otherwise, this function returns all data.

Data Types: logical

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | `char`

Output Arguments

d — Interactive Brokers historical data

`matrix` | `double`

Interactive Brokers historical data, returned as a matrix with these columns:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

When using an event handler function, `d` is a double denoting the request identifier.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection

- Information resulting from executing functions
- Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `getdata` | `ibtw`s | `realtime` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2013b

timeseries

Request Interactive Brokers aggregated intraday data

Syntax

```
d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize)
d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype)
d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype,
tradehours)
d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype,
tradehours,eventhandler)
```

Description

`d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize)` requests Interactive Brokers aggregated intraday data using the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` and IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` to signify the instrument. Request data between `startdate` and `enddate` using the tick aggregation interval `barsize` for default tick type 'TRADES'.

`d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype)` requests Interactive Brokers aggregated intraday data for a specific type of market data tick `ticktype`.

`d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype,tradehours)` requests Interactive Brokers aggregated intraday data using the flag `tradehours` to include all data or only data within regular trading hours.

`d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype,tradehours,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers aggregated intraday data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Interactive Brokers Intraday Data Aggregated Every 5 Minutes with TRADES Default Tick Type

To request intraday data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request intraday data aggregated every 5 minutes using `ib` and `ibContract`.

```
startdate = floor(now);
enddate = now;
barsize = '5 mins';

d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize)
d =
    735329.40    6.91    6.91    6.85    6.85    158.00    13.00    6.87
    735329.40    6.85    6.87    6.85    6.87    29.00    24.00    6.86
    735329.40    6.87    6.89    6.87    6.87    13.00    13.00    6.88
    ...
```

`d` returns the aggregated 5-minute data with default tick type 'TRADES'.

Each row in matrix `d` represents a 5-minute interval.

The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Display the open price for the most recent bar in matrix `d`.

```
d(1,2)
```

```
ans =  
    6.91
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Intraday Data Aggregated Every 10 Minutes with a BID Tick Type

To request intraday data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtw`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request intraday data aggregated every 10 minutes using `ib`, `ibContract`, and 'BID' tick type.

```
startdate = floor(now);  
enddate = now;  
barsize = '10 mins';  
ticktype = 'BID';
```

```
d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype)
```

```
d =  
    735329.17    6.38    6.38    6.38    6.38    -1.00    -1.00    -1.00  
    735329.17    6.38    6.38    6.38    6.38    -1.00    -1.00    -1.00  
    735329.18    6.38    6.38    6.38    6.38    -1.00    -1.00    -1.00  
    ...
```

`d` returns the aggregated 10-minute data for 'BID' tick type.

Each row in matrix `d` represents a 10-minute interval.

The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price

- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Display the high price for the most recent bar in matrix `d`.

```
d(1,3)
```

```
ans =  
    6.38
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Intraday Data Within Regular Trading Hours

To request intraday data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request intraday data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and these arguments:

- Start date is this morning.
- End date is the current moment.
- Aggregated every 10 minutes.
- Tick type is 'BID'.
- Within regular trading hours.

```
startdate = floor(now);  
enddate = now;  
barsize = '10 mins';
```

```

ticktype = 'BID';
tradehours = true;

d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype,...
              tradehours)

```

```

d =
Columns 1 through 5
    735852.40    580.70    582.12    580.12    580.27
    735852.40    580.27    580.75    579.70    579.80
    735852.40    579.80    579.88    578.33    579.44
    ...

Columns 6 through 9
    -1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
    -1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
    -1.00    -1.00    -1.00    0
    ...

```

`d` returns the aggregated 10-minute data for 'BID' tick type.

Each row in matrix `d` represents a 10-minute interval.

The columns in matrix `d` are:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

Display the high price for the most recent bar in matrix `d`.

```

d(1,3)
ans =
    582.12

```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.


```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Intraday Data Using an Event Handler

To request intraday data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request intraday data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and these arguments:

- Start date is this morning.
- End date is the current moment.
- Aggregated every 10 minutes.
- Tick type is 'BID'.
- Within regular trading hours.
- Sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler`.

Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
startdate = floor(now);
enddate = now;
barsize = '10 mins';
ticktype = 'BID';
tradehours = true;
eventhandler = 'ibExampleEventHandler';

d = timeseries(ib,ibContract,startdate,enddate,barsize,ticktype,...
              tradehours,eventhandler)

d =

    4853.00

Columns 1 through 3

    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [22.00]    [4853.00]

Columns 4 through 7

    '20140909 15:55:00'    [580.20]    [581.40]    [580.09]

Columns 8 through 13

    [581.01]    [-1.00]    [-1.00]    [-1.00]    [0]    [1x1 struct]
```

```
Column 14  
    'historicalData'  
    ...
```

`d` is the request identifier.

After `d`, `ibExampleEventHandler` streams intraday data to the Command Window. The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Request identifier
- Date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Event type

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

ibContract — IB Trader Workstation contract

IContract object

IB Trader Workstation contract, specified as an IB Trader Workstation IContract object. This object is the instrument or security used in the order transaction. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createContract`. For details about `createContract` and the attributes that you can set, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

startdate — Start date

date string | date scalar

Start date, specified as a starting date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

enddate — End date

date string | date scalar

End date, specified as an ending date string or scalar.

Data Types: double | char

barsize — Tick aggregation interval

'10 secs' | '15 secs' | '30 secs' | '1 min' | '2 mins' | '3 mins' | ...

Tick aggregation interval, specified as one of the following enumerated strings. The Interactive Brokers API predetermines these strings to denote the size of aggregated bars for collecting data.

- '10 secs'
- '15 secs'
- '30 secs'
- '1 min'
- '2 mins'
- '3 mins'
- '5 mins'
- '10 mins'
- '15 mins'
- '20 mins'

- '30 mins'
- '1 hour'
- '2 hours'
- '3 hours'
- '4 hours'
- '8 hours'

ticktype — Types of market data ticks

'TRADES' (default) | 'MIDPOINT' | 'BID' | 'ASK' | 'BID_ASK' | 'HISTORICAL_VOLATILITY' | 'OPTION_IMPLIED_VOLATILITY'

Types of market data ticks, specified as one of the preceding enumerated strings. The Interactive Brokers API predetermines these strings to denote tick values to collect.

tradehours — Trading hours

false (default) | true

Trading hours, specified as the logical `true` or `false`. When this flag is set to `true`, this function returns data only within regular trading hours. Otherwise, this function returns all data.

Data Types: `logical`

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | `char`

Output Arguments

d — Interactive Brokers aggregated intraday data

matrix | double

Interactive Brokers aggregated intraday data, returned as a matrix with these columns:

- Numeric representation of a date
- Open price
- High price
- Low price
- Close price
- Volume
- Bar count
- Weighted average price
- Flag indicating if there are gaps in the bar

When using an event handler function, `d` is a double denoting the request identifier.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtws` | `realtime`

Introduced in R2013b

accounts

Retrieve Interactive Brokers account information

Syntax

```
d = accounts(ib,acctno)
d = accounts(ib,acctno,eventhandler)
```

Description

`d = accounts(ib,acctno)` retrieves account information using Interactive Brokers connection `ib` and account number `acctno`.

`d = accounts(ib,acctno,eventhandler)` retrieves account information using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Retrieve Account Information

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Retrieve account information for account number `acctno` using `ib`.

```
acctno = 'AB123456';
```

```
d = accounts(ib,acctno)
```

```
d =
```

```
    AccountCode: 'AB123456'
    AccountReady: 'true'
```

```

    AccountType: 'LLC'
    ...

```

`d` is a structure with the fields containing the account information. Here, the fields are:

- Account code
- IB Trader Workstation internal use only
- Account type

For details about this data and the other fields, see [Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide](#).

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Retrieve Account Information Using an Event Handler

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Retrieve account information for account number `acctno` using `ib`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` to display the IB Trader Workstation account information in the Command Window. Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
acctno = 'AB123456';
```

```
d = accounts(ib,acctno,@ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
d =
```

```

    []

```

```
Columns 1 through 7
```

```

    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [7]    'AccountCode'    'AB123456'    ''    'AB123456'

```

```
Column 8
```

```

    'updateAccountValue'

```

...

`d` is an empty double.

The sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` displays the account information in the Command Window. The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Account code
- Event key
- Currency
- Account name
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Request type

For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

acctno — Account number

string

Account number, specified as a string that identifies the Interactive Brokers account number.

Example:

Data Types: char

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: @eventhandler

Data Types: function_handle | char

Output Arguments

d — Account information

structure | double

Account information, returned as a structure containing fields with the Interactive Brokers account information. When using an event handler function, **d** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `history` | `ibtw`s | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2015a

contractdetails

Request Interactive Brokers contract details

Syntax

```
[d,reqid] = contractdetails(ib,ibContract)
[d,reqid] = contractdetails(ib,ibContract,eventhandler)
```

Description

`[d,reqid] = contractdetails(ib,ibContract)` requests Interactive Brokers contract details using IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` and IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`.

`[d,reqid] = contractdetails(ib,ibContract,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers contract details using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Interactive Brokers Contract Details

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. Here, this object describes a security with these property values:

- Google symbol
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange

- USD currency

EX is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `ibContract.primaryExchange`.

```
ibContract = ib.Handle.createContract;  
ibContract.symbol = 'GOOG';  
ibContract.secType = 'STK';  
ibContract.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibContract.primaryExchange = 'EX';  
ibContract.currency = 'USD';
```

For details about the `IContract` object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request contract details data using `ib` and `ibContract`.

```
[d, reqid] = contractdetails(ib, ibContract)
```

```
d =
```

```
    marketName: 'NMS'  
    tradingClass: 'NMS'  
    minTick: 0.01  
    ...
```

```
reqid =
```

```
    1269
```

`d` is a structure containing the contract details data including the market name, trading class name, and minimum tick. For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

`reqid` is a number that Interactive Brokers uses to track this contract details data request.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Interactive Brokers Contract Details Using an Event Handler

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. Here, this object describes a security with these property values:

- Google symbol
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange
- USD currency

EX is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `ibContract.primaryExchange`.

```
ibContract = ib.Handle.createContract;
ibContract.symbol = 'GOOG';
ibContract.secType = 'STK';
ibContract.exchange = 'SMART';
ibContract.primaryExchange = 'EX';
ibContract.currency = 'USD';
```

For details about the `IContract` object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request contract details data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler`. Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
[d,reqid] = contractdetails(ib,ibContract,@ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
d =
```

```
    1269
```

```
reqid =
```

```
    1269
```

```
Columns 1 through 4
```

```
    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [100]    [1269]    [1x1 Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Control_m
```

```
Columns 5 through 6
```

```
[1x1 struct] 'contractDetailsEx'
```

`d` and `reqid` return a number that Interactive Brokers uses to track this contract details data request.

After these variables, `ibExampleEventHandler` returns contract details data to the Command Window. The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Request identifier
- Contract details ActiveX object
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Request type

For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

ibContract — IB Trader Workstation contract

IContract object

IB Trader Workstation contract, specified as an IB Trader Workstation IContract object. This object is the instrument or security used in the order transaction. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createContract`. For details about `createContract` and the attributes that you can set, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: @eventhandler

Data Types: function_handle | char

Output Arguments

d — Interactive Brokers contract details data

structure | scalar

Interactive Brokers contract details data, returned as a structure. When using an event handler function, **d** is a scalar that denotes the contract detail data request identifier.

reqid — Contract detail data request identifier

scalar

Contract detail data request identifier, returned as a scalar. Interactive Brokers uses this number to match responses to the correct data request when multiple data requests are present.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
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- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6

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- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `history` | `ibtw`s | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2015a

executions

Request Interactive Brokers execution data

Syntax

```
d = executions(ib,filter)
d = executions(ib,filter,eventhandler)
```

Description

`d = executions(ib,filter)` requests Interactive Brokers execution data using the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` and the Interactive Brokers execution filter `filter`.

`d = executions(ib,filter,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers execution data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Execution Filter Data

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation execution filter `IExecutionFilter` object `filter`. Here, this object specifies these property values:

- Buy side
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Google symbol

```
filter = ib.Handle.createExecutionFilter;
```

```
filter.side = 'BUY';  
filter.secType = 'STK';  
filter.exchange = 'SMART';  
filter.symbol = 'GOOG';
```

For details about the `IExecutionFilter` object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request IB Trader Workstation execution filter data using `ib` and `filter`.

```
d = executions(ib,filter)  
  
d =  
  
    enddetails: [1x1 struct]
```

`d` is a structure containing the execution filter data in the structure `enddetails`.

Display the execution filter data.

```
d.enddetails  
  
ans =  
  
    Type: 'execDetailsEnd'  
    Source: [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]  
    EventID: 38  
    reqId: 1
```

The structure `enddetails` contains these fields:

- Data request type
- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Execution filter data request identifier

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Execution Filter Data Using an Event Handler

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation execution filter `IExecutionFilter` object `filter`. Here, this object specifies these property values:

- Buy side
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Google symbol

```
filter = ib.Handle.createExecutionFilter;
filter.side = 'BUY';
filter.secType = 'STK';
filter.exchange = 'SMART';
filter.symbol = 'GOOG';
```

For details about the `IExecutionFilter` object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request IB Trader Workstation execution filter data using `ib` and `filter`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` to display the IB Trader Workstation execution filter data in the Command Window. Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
d = executions(ib,filter,@ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
d =
```

```
 []
```

```
 [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1] [38] [1] [1x1 struct] 'execDetailsEnd'
```

`d` is an empty double.

`ibExampleEventHandler` displays the data in the Command Window. The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Execution filter data request identifier
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Data request type

For details, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

filter — IB Trader Workstation execution filter

`IExecutionFilter` object

IB Trader Workstation execution filter, specified as a `IExecutionFilter` object. For details about this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Example:

Data Types: `struct`

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | `char`

Output Arguments

d — IB Trader Workstation execution filter data

structure | double

IB Trader Workstation execution filter data, returned as a structure. When using an event handler function, `d` is an empty double.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
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- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtws` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2015a

marketdepth

Request Interactive Brokers market depth data

Syntax

```
d = marketdepth(ib,ibContract,depth)
d = marketdepth(ib,ibContract,depth,eventhandler)
```

Description

`d = marketdepth(ib,ibContract,depth)` requests Interactive Brokers market depth data using the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`, IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`, and price level `depth`.

`d = marketdepth(ib,ibContract,depth,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers market depth data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Market Depth Data

To request Interactive Brokers market depth data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request market depth data using `ib` and `ibContract`. Specify five price levels for the bid and offer sides for `depth`. This code assumes `ibContract` is an E-mini S&P 500 futures contract with an expiry of December 2014 that trades on the CME Globex exchange.

```
depth = 5;
```

```
d = marketdepth(ib,ibContract,depth)
```

```
d =
```

```
    bid: [5x2 double]
    offer: [5x2 double]
```

`d` is a structure that contains the fields for bid and offer price levels.

Display the bid prices for five levels of market depth.

```
d.bid
```

```
ans =
```

```
    1992.5    495
    1992.25   1479
         1992   1950
    1991.75   1763
    1991.5    2117
```

The first column contains the bid price and the second column contains the bid size.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Market Depth Data Using an Event Handler

To request Interactive Brokers market depth data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request market depth data using `ib` and `ibContract`. Specify five price levels for the bid and offer sides for `depth`. This code assumes `ibContract` is an E-mini S&P 500 futures contract with an expiry of December 2014 that trades on the CME Globex exchange. Use the sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
depth = 5;
```

```
d = marketdepth(ib,ibContract,depth,@ibExampleEventHandler)
d =
    8147
    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [16.00]    [8147.00]    [0]    [0]    [1.00]    [1988.7
    ...
```

`d` is the request identifier.

After `d`, `ibExampleEventHandler` streams market depth data to the Command Window.

The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Request identifier
- Position
- Operation
- Side
- Price
- Size
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Event type

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection
connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

ibContract — IB Trader Workstation contract

`IContract` object

IB Trader Workstation contract, specified as an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object. This object is the instrument or security used in the order transaction. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createContract`. For details about `createContract` and the attributes that you can set, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

depth — IB Trader Workstation market depth

1 | 2 | 3 | ...

IB Trader Workstation market depth, specified as a scalar from one through 10. This number denotes the depth of the active book.

Data Types: `double`

eventhandler — Event handler

`function handle` | `string`

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | `char`

Output Arguments

d — IB Trader Workstation market depth data

`structure` | `double`

IB Trader Workstation market depth data, returned as a structure containing the price level data for the bid and offer prices. Price level data consists of the price and size. When using an event handler function, `d` is a double denoting the request identifier.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
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- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
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- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `history` | `ibtws` | `realtime` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2015a

orderid

Obtain next valid order identification number

Syntax

```
id = orderid(ib)
```

Description

`id = orderid(ib)` obtains the next valid order identification number for Interactive Brokers connection `ib`.

Examples

Obtain Next Valid Order Identification Number

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Obtain the next valid order identification number using `ib`.

```
id = orderid(ib)
```

```
id =
```

```
54110686
```

`id` contains the next valid order identification number. Use this number in `createOrder`.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

Output Arguments

id — Next valid order identification number

scalar

Next valid order identification number, returned as a scalar.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtws` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2015a

orders

Request Interactive Brokers open order data

Syntax

```
o = orders(ib)
o = orders(ib,client)
o = orders(ib,client,eventhandler)
```

Description

`o = orders(ib)` requests Interactive Brokers open order data using IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` for the current client only.

`o = orders(ib,client)` requests Interactive Brokers open order data using IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` and a client flag. `client` denotes requesting data from the current client or all clients.

`o = orders(ib,client,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers open order data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Open Order Data

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. Here, this object describes a security with these property values:

- Google symbol
- Stock security type

- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange
- USD currency

EX is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `ibContract.primaryExchange`.

```
ibContract = ib.Handle.createContract;  
ibContract.symbol = 'GOOG';  
ibContract.secType = 'STK';  
ibContract.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibContract.primaryExchange = 'EX';  
ibContract.currency = 'USD';
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`. Here, this object describes a limit order to sell two shares with a limit price of \$590.

```
ibOrder = ib.Handle.createOrder;  
ibOrder.action = 'SELL';  
ibOrder.totalQuantity = 2;  
ibOrder.orderType = 'LMT'  
ibOrder.lmtPrice = 590;
```

For details about the `IContract` and `IOrder` objects, see [Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide](#).

Create a unique order identifier `id`.

```
id = orderid(ib);
```

Execute the order using:

- IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`
- IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`
- IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`
- Unique order identifier `id`

```
d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id);
```

Retrieve order information `o`.

```
o = orders(ib)
```

```
o =
```

1x2 struct array with fields:

```
Type
EventID
orderId
contract
order
orderState
```

`o` contains a structure array. The array contains a structure with data for each open order. The structure fields are:

- Order type
- Event identifier
- Order identifier
- Contract data
- Order data
- Order status

Retrieve the current status of the order.

```
o.orderState
```

```
ans =
```

```
          status: 'Submitted'
    initMargin: '1.7976931348623157E308'
    maintMargin: '1.7976931348623157E308'
    ...
```

`orderState` is a structure with fields corresponding to the status of the order. The fields are order status, initial margin, and maintenance margin. For details on these fields and the additional fields in `orderState`, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Open Order Data From All Clients

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. Here, this object describes a security with these property values:

- Google symbol
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange
- USD currency

EX is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `ibContract.primaryExchange`.

```
ibContract = ib.Handle.createContract;  
ibContract.symbol = 'GOOG';  
ibContract.secType = 'STK';  
ibContract.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibContract.primaryExchange = 'EX';  
ibContract.currency = 'USD';
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`. Here, this object describes a limit order to sell two shares with a limit price of \$590.

```
ibOrder = ib.Handle.createOrder;  
ibOrder.action = 'SELL';  
ibOrder.totalQuantity = 2;  
ibOrder.orderType = 'LMT';  
ibOrder.lmtPrice = 590;
```

For details about the `IContract` and `IOrder` objects, see [Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide](#).

Create a unique order identifier `id`.

```
id = orderid(ib);
```

Execute the order using:

- IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`
- IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`
- IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`

- Unique order identifier `id`

```
d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id);
```

Retrieve order information `o` from all clients by setting `client` to `false`.

```
o = orders(ib,false)
```

```
o =
```

```
1x2 struct array with fields:
```

```

Type
EventID
orderId
contract
order
orderState
```

`o` contains a structure array. The array contains a structure with data for each open order. The structure fields are:

- Order type
- Event identifier
- Order identifier
- Contract data
- Order data
- Order status

Retrieve the current status of the order.

```
o.orderState
```

```
ans =
```

```

        status: 'Submitted'
    initMargin: '1.7976931348623157E308'
    maintMargin: '1.7976931348623157E308'
    ...
```

`orderState` is a structure with fields corresponding to the status of the order. The fields are order status, initial margin, and maintenance margin. For details on these fields and the additional fields in `orderState`, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Open Order Data Using an Event Handler

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. Here, this object describes a security with these property values:

- Google symbol
- Stock security type
- Aggregate exchange
- Primary exchange
- USD currency

EX is a sample primary exchange name. Substitute your primary exchange name in `ibContract.primaryExchange`.

```
ibContract = ib.Handle.createContract;  
ibContract.symbol = 'GOOG';  
ibContract.secType = 'STK';  
ibContract.exchange = 'SMART';  
ibContract.primaryExchange = 'EX';  
ibContract.currency = 'USD';
```

Create the IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`. Here, this object describes a limit order to sell two shares with a limit price of \$590.

```
ibOrder = ib.Handle.createOrder;  
ibOrder.action = 'SELL';  
ibOrder.totalQuantity = 2;  
ibOrder.orderType = 'LMT';  
ibOrder.lmtPrice = 590;
```

For details about the `IContract` and `IOrder` objects, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Create a unique order identifier `id`.

```
id = orderid(ib);
```

Execute the order using:

- IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`
- IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`
- IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object `ibOrder`
- Unique order identifier `id`

```
d = createOrder(ib,ibContract,ibOrder,id);
```

Retrieve order information from all clients by setting `client` to `false` and using the sample event handler function `ibExampleEventHandler`. Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
o = orders(ib,false,@ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
o =
```

```
 []
```

```
Columns 1 through 4
```

```
 [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [101]    [56947638]    [1x1 Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Contr
```

```
Columns 5 through 6
```

```
 [1x1 Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Control_module.IOrder]    [1x1 Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Co
```

```
Columns 7 through 8
```

```
 [1x1 struct]    'openOrderEx'
```

`o` contains an empty double because the event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` processes the output data.

`ibExampleEventHandler` displays the output data in the Command Window. Here, IB Trader Workstation returns:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Unique order identifier

- IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object
- IB Trader Workstation `IOrder` object
- IB Trader Workstation `IOrderState` object
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Request type

For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtw`.

client — Client flag

true (default) | false

Client flag, specified as a logical. `true` denotes returning data from the current client only. `false` denotes returning data from all clients.

Data Types: `logical`

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | `char`

Output Arguments

o – Interactive Brokers open order data

structure | double

Interactive Brokers open order data, returned as a structure or an empty double. The structure contains these fields:

- Order type
- Event identifier
- Order identifier
- Contract data
- Order data
- Order status

When using an event handler function, **o** is an empty double.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- Executing `orders` multiple times using the same IB Trader Workstation connection can cause this kind of warning message: Warning: Cannot unregister 'openOrderEx'. Invalid event name/handler combination. To fix this warning, close the IB Trader Workstation connection and create a new connection using `ibtws`.
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

close | createOrder | executions | getdata | history | ibtws | orderid | timeseries

Introduced in R2015a

portfolio

Retrieve current Interactive Brokers portfolio data

Syntax

```
p = portfolio(ib)
p = portfolio(ib,acctno)
p = portfolio(ib,acctno,eventhandler)
```

Description

`p = portfolio(ib)` retrieves current Interactive Brokers portfolio data for the active account number using the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`.

`p = portfolio(ib,acctno)` retrieves current Interactive Brokers portfolio data using the account number `acctno`.

`p = portfolio(ib,acctno,eventhandler)` retrieves current Interactive Brokers portfolio data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Retrieve Current Portfolio Data

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Retrieve current Interactive Brokers portfolio data using `ib`.

```
p = portfolio(ib)
```

```
p =
```

```
        Type: {5x1 cell}
        Source: {5x1 cell}
        EventID: {5x1 cell}
        contract: {5x1 cell}
        position: {5x1 cell}
        marketPrice: {5x1 cell}
        marketValue: {5x1 cell}
        averageCost: {5x1 cell}
        unrealizedPNL: {5x1 cell}
        realizedPNL: {5x1 cell}
        accountName: {5x1 cell}
```

`p` is a structure that contains these fields:

- Event type
- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Contract details
- Number of shares for each contract
- Price of the shares for each contract
- Number of shares multiplied by the price of the shares for each contract
- Average price when the shares are purchased for each contract
- Unrealized profit and loss for each contract
- Actual profit and loss for each contract
- Account number

`5x1` means there are five contracts in this portfolio. For details about this data, see [Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide](#).

Display the market price for each contract in the portfolio.

```
p.marketPrice
```

```
ans =
```

```
    [ 8.60]
   [582.95]
   [591.79]
   [188.44]
    [ 42.24]
```


Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Retrieve Current Portfolio Data Using the Account Number

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Retrieve current Interactive Brokers portfolio data using `ib` and account number string `acctno`.

```
acctno = 'DU111111';
```

```
p = portfolio(ib,acctno)
```

```
p =
```

```

        Type: {5x1 cell}
      Source: {5x1 cell}
    EventID: {5x1 cell}
   contract: {5x1 cell}
   position: {5x1 cell}
marketPrice: {5x1 cell}
marketValue: {5x1 cell}
averageCost: {5x1 cell}
unrealizedPNL: {5x1 cell}
  realizedPNL: {5x1 cell}
  accountName: {5x1 cell}

```

`p` is a structure that contains these fields:

- Event type
- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Contract details
- Number of shares for each contract
- Price of the shares for each contract
- Number of shares multiplied by the price of the shares for each contract
- Average price when the shares are purchased for each contract

- Unrealized profit and loss for each contract
- Actual profit and loss for each contract
- Account number

5x1 means there are five contracts in this portfolio. For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Display the market price for each contract in the portfolio.

```
p.marketPrice
```

```
ans =
```

```
[ 8.60]
[582.95]
[591.79]
[188.44]
[ 42.24]
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Retrieve Current Portfolio Data Using an Event Handler

Create the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` on the local machine using port number 7496.

```
ib = ibtws('',7496);
```

Retrieve current Interactive Brokers portfolio data using `ib`, account number string `acctno`, and sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler`. Use `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

```
acctno = 'DU111111';
```

```
p = portfolio(ib,acctno,@ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
p =
```

```
[]
```

Columns 1 through 5

```

    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [103]    [1x1 Interface.Tws_ActiveX_Control_module.IContract
Columns 6 through 12
    [515.10]    [8.22]    [21.68]    [0]    'DU111111'    [1x1 struct]    'updatePortf
...

```

`p` is an empty double because `ibExampleEventHandler` displays the current Interactive Brokers portfolio data for each security in the Command Window.

The columns are:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object
- Number of shares
- Price of the shares
- Number of shares multiplied by the price of the shares
- Average price when the shares are purchased
- Unrealized profit and loss
- Actual profit and loss
- Account number
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Event type

For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

- “Create and Manage an Interactive Brokers Order” on page 4-26

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

acctno — Account number

string

Account number, specified as a string that identifies the Interactive Brokers account number.

Example:

Data Types: char

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | char

Output Arguments

p — Interactive Brokers portfolio data

structure | double

Interactive Brokers portfolio data, returned as a structure. The structure contains these fields. When using an event handler function, `p` is an empty double.

Field	Description
Type	Interactive Brokers event type name
Source	Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
EventID	Number that identifies the event type
contract	Structure that contains details for each contract in the portfolio

Field	Description
position	Number of shares for each contract in the portfolio
marketPrice	Price of the shares for each contract in the portfolio
marketValue	Number of shares multiplied by the price of the shares for each contract in the portfolio
averageCost	Average price when the shares are purchased for each contract in the portfolio
unrealizedPNL	Unrealized profit and loss for each contract in the portfolio
realizedPNL	Actual profit and loss for each contract in the portfolio
accountName	Account number

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `executions` | `getdata` | `history` | `ibtws` | `marketdepth` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2015a

realtime

Request Interactive Brokers real-time data

Syntax

```
tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f)
tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f,eventhandler)
```

Description

`tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f)` requests Interactive Brokers real-time data using IB Trader Workstation connection `ib`, IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`, and Interactive Brokers fields `f`.

`tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f,eventhandler)` requests Interactive Brokers real-time data using an event handler function `eventhandler`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` or write a custom event handler function.

Examples

Request Real-Time Data

To request real-time data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtws`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Set the Interactive Brokers field `f` to `233` to denote the tick type for `RTVolume`. `RTVolume` contains these fields:

- Last trade price
- Last trade size

- Last trade time
- Total volume
- Volume weighted average price (VWAP)
- Single trade flag

For details about RTVolume, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Request real-time data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and `f`.

```
f = '233';  
  
tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f)  
  
tickerid =  
  
    1
```

`tickerid` returns a number for tracking the real-time data request.

The real-time data is returned in the MATLAB workspace variable `ibBuiltInRealtimeData`.

Display this real-time data.

```
ibBuiltInRealtimeData  
  
ibBuiltInRealtimeData =  
  
    id: 1  
  BID_PRICE: 584.65  
  BID_SIZE: 1  
  ASK_PRICE: 585.80  
  ASK_SIZE: 1  
  LAST_PRICE: 585  
  LAST_SIZE: 1  
  VOLUME: 11611
```

The structure `ibBuiltInRealtimeData` contains these fields:

- Real-time request identifier
- Bid price
- Bid size

- Ask price
- Ask size
- Last price
- Last size
- Volume

The `id` field is a number that tracks the real-time data request for IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract`. When you create multiple contracts, each real-time data display has a different value for the `id` field that corresponds to a specific contract.

Cancel the real-time market data request using `tickerid`.

```
ib.Handle.cancelMktData(tickerid)
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

```
close(ib)
```

Request Real-Time Data Using an Event Handler

To request real-time data, set up the IB Trader Workstation connection `ib` using `ibtw`. Create an IB Trader Workstation `IContract` object `ibContract` as shown in “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35. An `IContract` object is an Interactive Brokers object for containing the data about a security to process transactions. For details about creating this object, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Set the field `f` to the tick type for `RTVolume` 233. `RTVolume` contains:

- Last trade price
- Last trade size
- Last trade time
- Total volume
- Volume weighted average price (VWAP)
- Single trade flag

For details about `RTVolume`, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

```
f = '233';
```

Request real-time data using `ib`, `ibContract`, and `f`. Use the sample event handler `ibExampleEventHandler` to display the real-time data in the Command Window.

```
tickerid = realtime(ib,ibContract,f,...  
                  @ibExampleEventHandler)
```

```
tickerid =
```

```
    1
```

```
    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [1]    [1]    [1]    [585.50]    [1]    [1x1 struct]
```

```
    [1x1 COM.TWS_TwsCtrl_1]    [2]    [1]    [0]    [1]    [1x1 struct]    'tickSize'
```

```
    ...
```

`tickerid` returns a number for tracking the real-time data request.

After the `tickerid`, `ibExampleEventHandler` streams real-time data to the Command Window. Each line is a type of tick. Here, there is a price tick and size tick.

For a price tick, the IB Trader Workstation returns:

- Interactive Brokers ActiveX object
- Event identifier
- Request identifier
- Tick type
- Price
- Automatic execution flag
- Structure that repeats the contents of the columns
- Event type

For details about this data, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Cancel the real-time market data request using `tickerid`.

```
ib.Handle.cancelMktData(tickerid)
```

Close the IB Trader Workstation connection.

`close(ib)`

- “Request Interactive Brokers Real-Time Data” on page 4-35

Input Arguments

ib — IB Trader Workstation connection

connection object

IB Trader Workstation connection, specified as an IB Trader Workstation connection object created using `ibtws`.

ibContract — IB Trader Workstation contract

IContract object | cell array

IB Trader Workstation contract, specified as an IB Trader Workstation IContract object or a cell array for multiple IB Trader Workstation IContract objects. This object is the instrument or security used in the order transaction. Create this object by calling the Interactive Brokers API function `createContract`. For details about `createContract` and the attributes that you can set, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Data Types: `cell`

f — Interactive Brokers fields

string | cell array

Interactive Brokers fields, specified as a string or a cell array of strings. These fields correspond to numeric identifiers that specify the Interactive Brokers generic market data tick types. For details, see Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide.

Data Types: `char` | `cell`

eventhandler — Event handler

function handle | string

Event handler, specified as a function handle or a string to identify an event handler function that processes the returned data. Use the sample event handler or write a custom event handler function. For details, see “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26.

Example: `@eventhandler`

Data Types: `function_handle` | `char`

Output Arguments

tickerid — Interactive Brokers market request identifier
`double`

Interactive Brokers market request identifier, specified as a `double` for tracking and canceling the market data request. `tickerid` is a scalar for one Interactive Brokers contract and a vector of scalars for multiple contracts.

More About

Tips

- `ibBuiltInErrMsg` appears in the MATLAB workspace. Check the status of connection and function execution by displaying the contents of this variable. `ibBuiltInErrMsg` contains messages related to:
 - Connection
 - Information resulting from executing functions
 - Errors
- “Workflow for Interactive Brokers” on page 2-6
- “Writing and Running Custom Event Handler Functions with Interactive Brokers” on page 1-26
- Interactive Brokers API Reference Guide

See Also

`close` | `createOrder` | `history` | `ibtws` | `timeseries`

Introduced in R2015a

fixflyer

FIX Flyer connection

Syntax

```
c = fixflyer(username,password,ipaddress,port)
```

Description

`c = fixflyer(username,password,ipaddress,port)` creates a connection to the FIX Flyer Engine with user name `username`, password `password`, IP address `ipaddress`, and port number `port`.

Examples

Connect to the FIX Flyer Engine

To create a connection to FIX Flyer for the first time, add these JAR files to the static Java class path by editing the `javaclasspath.txt` file. These files are located in the folder where FIX Flyer is installed. This list assumes an installation of FIX Flyer version 5.0.1.

- `..\FIXFlyer\fix-flyer-5.0.1\devkit\lib\fix-flyer.jar`
- `..\FIXFlyer\fix-flyer-5.0.1\devkit\lib\flyer-apps.jar`
- `..\FIXFlyer\fix-flyer-5.0.1\devkit\lib\flyer-tools.jar`
- `..\FIXFlyer\fix-flyer-5.0.1\devkit\lib\mod-flyer.jar`
- `..\FIXFlyer\fix-flyer-5.0.1\devkit\lib\quickfix.jar`
- `..\FIXFlyer\fix-flyer-5.0.1\lib\core\trove-2.0.4.jar`
- `..\FIXFlyer\fix-flyer-5.0.1\lib\core\mg4j-0.8.1.jar`

If you are running Linux[®] or Mac, the JAR file path has a different format. For example, `/FIXFlyer/fix-flyer-5.0.1/devkit/lib/fix-flyer.jar`.

Import the FIX Flyer Java libraries.

```
import flyer.apps.*;
import flyer.apps.FlyerApplicationManagerFactory.*;
import flyer.core.session.*;
```

Create the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c` using these arguments:

- User name `username`
- Password `password`
- IP address `ipaddress`
- Port number `port`

```
username = 'user';
password = 'pwd';
ipaddress = '127.0.0.1';
port = 7002;
```

```
c = fixflyer(username,password,ipaddress,port)
```

```
c =
```

```
fixflyer with properties:
```

```
          User: 'user'
          Iaddress: '127.0.0.1'
          Port: 7002.00
FlyerApplicationManager: [1x1 flyer.apps.FlyerApplicationManager]
          SessionID: []
```

`c` is the FIX Flyer Engine connection object with these properties:

- User name
- IP address
- Port number
- FIX Flyer application manager instance
- FIX Flyer session identifier

Close the FIX Flyer connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create an Order Using FIX Flyer” on page 1-19

Input Arguments

username — FIX Flyer user name

string

FIX Flyer user name, specified as a string.

Data Types: char

password — FIX Flyer password

string

FIX Flyer password, specified as a string.

Data Types: char

ipaddress — IP address

string

IP address, specified as a string to denote the IP address of the computer where the FIX Flyer Engine is running.

Example:

Data Types: char

port — Port number

scalar

Port number, specified as a scalar to denote the port number on the computer where the FIX Flyer Engine is running.

Data Types: double

Output Arguments

c — FIX Flyer connection

connection object

FIX Flyer connection, returned as a FIX Flyer connection object with these properties.

Property	Description
User	FIX Flyer user name

Property	Description
IpAddress	IP address of the computer where the FIX Flyer Engine is running
Port	Port number of the computer where the FIX Flyer Engine is running
FlyerApplicationManager	FIX Flyer application manager instance
SessionID	FIX Flyer session identifier

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10
- FIX Flyer Download Portal
- FIX Trading Community

See Also

close | sendMessage

Introduced in R2015b

addListener

Add event handling listener to FIX Flyer connection

Syntax

```
lh = addListener(c,listener)
```

Description

`lh = addListener(c,listener)` adds the event handling listener `listener` to the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c`. Use the sample event handling listener `fixExampleListener` or write a custom event handling listener function.

Examples

Listen for FIX Flyer Event Data

Create the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c` using these arguments:

- User name `username`
- Password `password`
- IP address `ipaddress`
- Port number `port`

```
username = 'user';  
password = 'pwd';  
ipaddress = '127.0.0.1';  
port = 7002;
```

```
c = fixflyer(username,password,ipaddress,port);
```

Add the FIX Flyer event listener to the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c`. To listen for and display the FIX Flyer Engine event data in the Workspace browser, use the sample event handling listener `fixExampleListener`. Use `fixExampleListener` or write a custom event handling listener function.

`fixExampleListener` handles the FIX Flyer Engine events. `e` denotes these events. You can specify `e` as any letter.

```
lh = addListener(c,@(-,e)fixExampleListener(e));
```

`fixExampleListener` returns a handle to the listener `lh`.

When events occur, `fixExampleListener` returns event data to objects in the MATLAB Workspace. To view event data, double click the object. The Variables dialog box displays the data in the object.

Close the FIX Flyer Engine connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create an Order Using FIX Flyer” on page 1-19

Input Arguments

c — FIX Flyer Engine connection

connection object

FIX Flyer Engine connection, specified as a connection object created using `fixflyer`.

listener — Listener event handler

function

Listener event handler, specified as a function handle to listen for FIX Flyer Engine event data. You can modify the existing listener function or define your own. You can find the code for the existing listener function in the `fixExampleListener.m` file.

Data Types: `function_handle`

Output Arguments

lh — Listener handle

object

Listener handle, returned as a handle to a FIX Flyer listener object.

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10

See Also

close | fixflyer | sendMessage

Introduced in R2015b

sendMessage

Send FIX message to FIX Flyer Engine

Syntax

```
status = sendMessage(c,fixmsg)
```

Description

`status = sendMessage(c,fixmsg)` sends the FIX message `fixmsg` using the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c`.

Examples

Send FIX Message

Create the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c` using these arguments:

- User name `username`
- Password `password`
- IP address `ipaddress`
- Port number `port`

```
username = 'user';  
password = 'pwd';  
ipaddress = '127.0.0.1';  
port = 7002;
```

```
c = fixflyer(username,password,ipaddress,port);
```

Add the FIX Flyer event listener to the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c`. To listen for and display the FIX Flyer Engine event data in the Workspace browser, use the sample event handling listener `fixExampleListener`. Use `fixExampleListener` or write a custom event handling listener function.

`fixExampleListener` handles the FIX Flyer Engine events. `e` denotes these events. You can specify `e` as any letter.

```
lh = addListener(c,@(~,e)fixExampleListener(e));
```

`fixExampleListener` returns a handle to the listener `lh`.

Subscribe to FIX sessions and set up the FIX Flyer Application Manager. Register with the FIX Flyer session. Connect the FIX Flyer Application Manager to the FIX Flyer Engine and start the internal receiving thread.

```
c.SessionID = flyer.core.session.SessionID('Alpha',...
                                           'Beta','FIX.4.4');
c.FlyerApplicationManager.registerFIXSession(...
                                           flyer.apps.FixSessionSubscription(...
                                           c.SessionID,true,0));
c.FlyerApplicationManager.connect();
c.FlyerApplicationManager.start();
```

Create a FIX message using a table `fixtable`. This table contains two FIX messages. The first row in the table represents a sell side transaction for 100 shares of symbol ABC. The order type is a previously quoted order. The order handling instruction is a private automated execution. The order transaction time is the current moment. The second row in the table has the same order field variables except that the order identifier is unique across orders. The FIX protocol version is 4.4.

```
fixtable = table({'FIX.4.4';'FIX.4.4'},...
                {'338';'339'},{'2';'2'},...
                {datestr(now);datestr(now)},...
                {'D';'D'},{'ABC';'ABC'},...
                {'1';'1'},{'100';'100'},...
                'VariableNames',{'BeginString' ...
                'CLOrdId' 'Side' 'TransactTime' ...
                'OrdType' 'Symbol' ...
                'HandlInst' 'OrderQty'});
```

Send the FIX message using the FIX message `fixtable`.

```
status = sendMessage(c,fixtable)
```

```
status =
    0
    0
```

`status` contains the FIX Flyer Engine message status for each FIX message sent. If the FIX message is sent successfully, `status` contains a logical zero. `status` has an entry for each FIX message in `fixtable`.

The MATLAB Workspace variable `fixResponseStruct` contains the returned FIX messages from the FIX Flyer Engine.

Close the FIX Flyer Engine connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create an Order Using FIX Flyer” on page 1-19

Input Arguments

c — FIX Flyer Engine connection

connection object

FIX Flyer Engine connection, specified as a connection object created using `fixflyer`.

fixmsg — FIX message

table | structure

FIX message, specified as a table or structure.

```
Example: fixtable = table({'FIX.4.4';'FIX.4.4'},...  
{'338';'339'},{'2';'2'},...  
{datestr(now);datestr(now)},...  
{'D';'D'},{'ABC';'ABC'},...  
{'1';'1'},{'100';'100'},...  
'VariableNames',{'BeginString' ...  
'CLOrdId' 'Side' 'TransactTime' ...  
'OrdType' 'Symbol' ...  
'HandlInst' 'OrderQty'});
```

Data Types: table | struct

Output Arguments

status — Send message status

logical

Send message status, returned as an array of logical zeroes or ones. The array contains an entry for each FIX message in `fixmsg`. If a FIX message is sent successfully, `status` contains a zero. Otherwise, `status` contains a one.

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10
- FIX Trading Community

See Also

`addListener` | `close` | `fixflyer`

Introduced in R2015b

close

Close FIX Flyer connection

Syntax

```
close(c)
```

Description

`close(c)` closes the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c`.

Examples

Close the FIX Flyer Connection

Create the FIX Flyer Engine connection `c` using these arguments:

- User name `username`
- Password `password`
- IP address `ipaddress`
- Port number `port`

```
username = 'user';  
password = 'pwd';  
ipaddress = '127.0.0.1';  
port = 7002;
```

```
c = fixflyer(username,password,ipaddress,port);
```

Close the FIX Flyer Engine connection.

```
close(c)
```

- “Create an Order Using FIX Flyer” on page 1-19

Input Arguments

c — FIX Flyer Engine connection

connection object

FIX Flyer Engine connection, specified as a connection object created using `fixflyer`.

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10

See Also

`fixflyer`

Introduced in R2015b

fix2struct

Convert FIX message string to structure array

Syntax

```
fixstruct = fix2struct(fixstr)
```

Description

`fixstruct = fix2struct(fixstr)` converts raw FIX message strings in the cell array `fixstr` to a structure array `fixstruct`.

Examples

Convert FIX String to Structure Array

For this example, assume that a counterparty sends you raw FIX messages in `fixstr`. The FIX protocol version is 4.4.

Convert the raw FIX messages in `fixstr` to a structure array `fixstruct`. There are two raw FIX messages in `fixstr`.

```
fixstruct = fix2struct(fixstr)
```

```
fixstruct =
```

```
    BeginString: {2x1 cell}  
      ClOrdID: {2x1 cell}  
        Side: {2x1 cell}  
    TransactTime: {2x1 cell}  
      OrdType: {2x1 cell}  
        Symbol: {2x1 cell}  
    HandlInst: {2x1 cell}  
      OrderQty: {2x1 cell}
```

The structure array `fixstruct` contains a structure for each raw FIX message string in `fixstr`. The structure fields correspond to the FIX tags in the raw FIX message.

Display the order type for each FIX message.

```
fixstruct.OrdType
```

```
ans =
```

```
    'D'  
    'D'
```

Both FIX messages specify previously quoted orders.

Input Arguments

fixstr — FIX message

cell array

FIX message, specified as a cell array of one or more raw FIX message strings.

Example:

Data Types: `cell`

Output Arguments

fixstruct — FIX message

structure

FIX message, specified as a structure array containing the converted raw FIX messages in `fixstr`. The structure fields and values correspond to the FIX tag names and values in the raw FIX message string.

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10
- FIX Trading Community

See Also

`fix2table` | `fixflyer` | `struct2fix` | `table2fix`

Introduced in R2015b

fix2table

Convert FIX message string to table

Syntax

```
fixtable = fix2table(fixstr)
```

Description

`fixtable = fix2table(fixstr)` converts raw FIX message strings in the cell array `fixstr` to a table `fixtable`.

Examples

Convert FIX String to Table

For this example, assume that a counterparty sends you raw FIX messages in `fixstr`. The FIX protocol version is 4.4.

Convert the raw FIX messages in `fixstr` to a table `fixtable`. There are two raw FIX messages in `fixstr`.

```
fixtable = fix2table(fixstr)
```

```
fixtable =
```

BeginString	ClOrdID	Side	TransactTime	OrdType	Symbol	Ha
'FIX.4.4'	'338'	'2'	'19-May-2015 15:00:38'	'D'	'IBM'	'A'
'FIX.4.4'	'338'	'2'	'19-May-2015 15:00:38'	'D'	'IBM'	'A'

The table `fixtable` contains a row for each raw FIX message string in `fixstr`. The variable names in the table correspond to the FIX tags in the raw FIX message.

Input Arguments

fixstr — FIX message

cell array

FIX message, specified as a cell array of one or more raw FIX message strings.

Example:

Data Types: `cell`

Output Arguments

fixtable — FIX message

table

FIX message, specified as a table containing the converted raw FIX messages in `fixstr`. The table variables correspond to the FIX tag names that are specified in the raw FIX message string. The table row contains the values that are specified for each tag in the raw FIX message string.

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10
- FIX Trading Community

See Also

`fix2struct` | `fixflyer` | `struct2fix` | `table2fix`

Introduced in R2015b

struct2fix

Convert structure array containing FIX tags to cell array of FIX message strings

Syntax

```
fixstr = struct2fix(fixstruct)
```

Description

`fixstr = struct2fix(fixstruct)` converts FIX messages in a structure array `fixstruct` to raw FIX message strings in the cell array `fixstr`.

Examples

Convert FIX Message from Structure Array to String

Create a FIX message using a structure array `fixstruct`. This structure array contains two FIX messages. The first structure in the structure array represents a sell side transaction for 100 shares of symbol ABC. The order type is a previously quoted order. The order handling instruction is a private automated execution. The order transaction time is the current moment. The FIX protocol version is 4.4. The second structure in the structure array has the same order field values except that the order identifier is unique across orders.

```
fixstruct.BeginString{1,1} = 'FIX.4.4';  
fixstruct.CLOrdId{1,1} = '338';  
fixstruct.Side{1,1} = '2';  
fixstruct.TransactTime{1,1} = datestr(now);  
fixstruct.OrdType{1,1} = 'D';  
fixstruct.Symbol{1,1} = 'ABC';  
fixstruct.HandlInst{1,1} = '1';  
fixstruct.OrderQty{1,1} = '100';  
  
fixstruct.BeginString{2,1} = 'FIX.4.4';  
fixstruct.CLOrdId{2,1} = '339';
```

```
fixstruct.Side{2,1} = '2';
fixstruct.TransactTime{2,1} = datestr(now);
fixstruct.OrdType{2,1} = 'D';
fixstruct.Symbol{2,1} = 'ABC';
fixstruct.HandlInst{2,1} = '1';
fixstruct.OrderQty{2,1} = '100';
```

Convert the FIX messages in the structure array `fixstruct` to a cell array of the raw FIX message strings `fixstr`.

```
fixstr = struct2fix(fixstruct)
```

```
fixstr =
```

```
      '8=FIX.4.4 11=338 54=2 60=21-May-2015 11:18:46 40=D 55=ABC 21=1 38=100 '
      '8=FIX.4.4 11=339 54=2 60=21-May-2015 11:18:47 40=D 55=ABC 21=1 38=100 '
```

Each string is a raw FIX message string that contains FIX tags and values. The space in between the tag and value pairs is a SOH character. This character is not printable and has a hexadecimal value of 0x01.

Input Arguments

fixstruct — FIX message

structure

FIX message, specified as a structure array. The data in the structure represents one FIX message. The structure fields correspond to FIX tag names. The structure values are the values that you specify in the FIX message.

```
Example: fixStruct.BeginString{1,1} = 'FIX.4.4';
fixStruct.CLOrdId{1,1} = '338';
fixStruct.Side{1,1} = '2';
fixStruct.TransactTime{1,1} = datestr(now);
fixStruct.OrdType{1,1} = 'D';
fixStruct.Symbol{1,1} = 'ABC';
fixStruct.HandlInst{1,1} = '1';
fixStruct.OrderQty{1,1} = '100';
```

Data Types: struct

Output Arguments

fixstr — FIX message

cell array

FIX message, returned as a cell array of one or more converted raw FIX message strings. The number of strings depends on the number of messages that you specify in the input argument.

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10
- FIX Trading Community

See Also

`fix2struct` | `fix2table` | `fixflyer` | `table2fix`

Introduced in R2015b

table2fix

Convert table containing FIX tags to cell array of FIX message strings

Syntax

```
fixstr = table2fix(fixtable)
```

Description

`fixstr = table2fix(fixtable)` converts the FIX messages in the table `fixtable` to raw FIX message strings in the cell array `fixstr`.

Examples

Convert FIX Message from Table to String

Create a FIX message using a table `fixtable`. This table contains two FIX messages. The first row in the table represents a sell side transaction for 100 shares of symbol ABC. The order type is a previously quoted order. The order handling instruction is a private automated execution. The order transaction time is the current moment. The second row in the table has the same order field variables except that the order identifier is unique across orders. The FIX protocol version is 4.4.

```
fixtable = table({'FIX.4.4';'FIX.4.4'},...
                {'338';'339'},{'2';'2'},...
                {datestr(now);datestr(now)},...
                {'D';'D'},{'ABC';'ABC'},...
                {'1';'1'},{'100';'100'},...
                'VariableNames',{'BeginString' ...
                'CLOrdId' 'Side' 'TransactTime' ...
                'OrdType' 'Symbol' ...
                'HandlInst' 'OrderQty'});
```

Convert the FIX messages in the table `fixtable` to a cell array of the raw FIX message strings `fixstr`.

```

fixstr = table2fix(fixtable)

fixstr =

    '8=FIX.4.4 11=338 54=2 60=22-May-2015 14:14:21 40=D 55=ABC 21=1 38=100 '
    '8=FIX.4.4 11=339 54=2 60=22-May-2015 14:14:21 40=D 55=ABC 21=1 38=100 '

```

Each string is a raw FIX message string that contains FIX tags and values. The space in between the tag and value pairs is a SOH character. This character is not printable and has a hexadecimal value of 0x01.

Input Arguments

fixtable — FIX message

table

FIX message, specified as table. The table variables correspond to FIX tag names. Each row contains the values you specify for the FIX message. Specify the values for each variable as a cell array of strings.

```

Example: fixtable = table({'FIX.4.4';'FIX.4.4'},...
    {'338';'339'},{'2';'2'},...
    {datestr(now);datestr(now)},...
    {'D';'D'},{'ABC';'ABC'},...
    {'1';'1'},{'100';'100'},...
    'VariableNames',{'BeginString' ...
    'CLOrdId' 'Side' 'TransactTime' ...
    'OrdType' 'Symbol' ...
    'HandlInst' 'OrderQty'});

```

Data Types: table

Output Arguments

fixstr — FIX message

cell array

FIX message, returned as a cell array of one or more converted raw FIX message strings. The number of strings depends on the number of messages that you specify in the input argument.

More About

- “Workflow for FIX Flyer” on page 2-10
- FIX Trading Community

See Also

`fix2struct` | `fix2table` | `fixflyer` | `struct2fix`

Introduced in R2015b

krg

Create Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object

To start with transaction cost analysis, use MATLAB to retrieve the encrypted market-impact parameters from the Kissell Research Group (KRG) FTP site. Then, use `krg` to create a transaction-cost analysis object to store the encrypted data. For details about market-impact parameters and data, consult the Kissell Research Group. For a simple example of estimating trading costs, see “Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks” on page 3-38.

Syntax

```
k = krg(midata)
k = krg(midata,midate)
k = krg(midata,midate,micode)
k = krg(midata,midate,micode,tradedays)
```

Description

`k = krg(midata)` creates a transaction-cost analysis object with market-impact parameter data.

`k = krg(midata,midate)` selects a market-impact date.

`k = krg(midata,midate,micode)` also selects a market-impact code.

`k = krg(midata,midate,micode,tradedays)` adds the number of trading days in a year.

Examples

Create Transaction-Cost Analysis Object

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData)
```

```
k =
```

```
    krg with properties:
```

```
        MiData: [276x12 table]
        MiDate: 09-Sep-2015
        MiCode: 1.00
    TradeDaysInYear: 250.00
```

`k` has these properties:

- Market-impact data
- Market-impact date
- Market-impact code
- Number of trading days in the year

You can estimate trading costs using the market activity the current day. For details, see “Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks” on page 3-38.

Create Transaction-Cost Analysis Object with Market-Impact Date

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
```

```
        ', ', 'ReadRowNames', false, 'ReadVariableNames', true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k` with a specific market-impact date `midate`. Set the date to yesterday.

```
midate = 'yesterday';
```

```
k = krg(miData, midate)
```

```
k =
```

```
    krg with properties:
```

```
        MiData: [276x12 table]
        MiDate: 09-Sep-2015
        MiCode: 1.00
        TradeDaysInYear: 250.00
```

You can estimate trading costs using the market activity for yesterday. For details, see “Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks” on page 3-38.

Create Transaction-Cost Analysis Object with Market-Impact Code

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com', 'username', 'pwd');
```

```
cd(f, 'MI_Parameters');
```

```
mget(f, 'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');
```

```
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv', 'delimiter', ...
                  ', ', 'ReadRowNames', false, 'ReadVariableNames', true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k` with a specific market-impact code `micode`. Set the date to yesterday. Set the code to one.

```
midate = 'yesterday';
```

```
micode = 1;
```

```
k = krg(miData, midate, micode)
```

```
k =
```

```
    krg with properties:
```

```
        MiData: [276x12 table]
        MiDate: 09-Sep-2015
        MiCode: 1.00
    TradeDaysInYear: 250.00
```

Using the market activity for yesterday, you can estimate trading costs for a particular market region. For details, see “Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks” on page 3-38.

Create Transaction-Cost Analysis Object with Number of Trading Days

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k` with a specific number of trading days in the year `tradedays`. Set the number of trading days to 251. By entering `[]` for the market-impact date and code, `krg` sets these input arguments to default values.

```
tradedays = 251;
```

```
k = krg(miData,[],[],tradedays)
```

```
k =
```

```
    krg with properties:
```

```
        MiData: [276x12 table]
        MiDate: 09-Sep-2015
        MiCode: 1.00
```



```
TradeDaysInYear: 251.00
```

Using the market activity for yesterday, you can estimate trading costs for a particular market region with 251 trading days in the year. For details, see “Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks” on page 3-38.

Modify Transaction-Cost Analysis Object Property

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k` using `miData`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Modify the `MiDate` property to retrieve market-impact data from a different day.

```
k.MiDate = '05-Dec-2015'
```

```
k =
```

```
krg with properties:
```

```
    MiData: [276x12 table]
    MiDate: '05-Dec-2015'
    MiCode: 1.00
TradeDaysInYear: 251.00
```

You can estimate trading costs using the market activity for the specified day. For details, see “Estimate Trading Costs for Collection of Stocks” on page 3-38.

- “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2
- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19
- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15

- “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24
- “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28
- “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32

Input Arguments

midata — Market-impact data

table

Market-impact data, specified as a table. This table contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters. Retrieve this data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site <ftp://ftp.kissellresearch.com> using your user name and password. For details, consult the Kissell Research Group.

Data Types: `table`

midate — Market-impact date

`double` | `character vector` | `scalar datetime array`

Market-impact date, specified as a `double`, `character vector`, or `scalar datetime array`. By default, the market-impact date is the current date. To decrypt market-impact parameters for a specific date, set this date. For details, consult the Kissell Research Group.

Example: `midate = 'yesterday';`

Data Types: `double` | `char` | `datetime`

micode — Market-impact code

numeric scalar

Market-impact code, specified as a numeric scalar. By default, the market-impact code is one. To decrypt market-impact parameters for a specific market region, set this code. For details, consult the Kissell Research Group.

Example: `micode = 1;`

Data Types: `double`

tradedays — Number of trading days in the year

numeric scalar

Number of trading days in the year, specified as a numeric scalar. By default, the number of trading days in the year is 250.

Data Types: `double`

Output Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, returned as a KRG object. This table describes the object properties.

Property	Description
MiData	Kissell Research Group market-impact parameter data
MiDate	Kissell Research Group market-impact date
MiCode	Kissell Research Group market-impact code
TradeDaysInYear	Number of trading days in the year

More About

Tips

- If the market-impact code does not exist in the market-impact data, this error displays.

The given region code does not match any records in the market impact data.

- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37
- <ftp://ftp.kissellresearch.com>

See Also

`iStar` | `marketImpact` | `priceAppreciation` | `timingRisk`

Introduced in R2016a

costCurves

Estimate market-impact cost of order execution

Syntax

```
cc = costCurves(k,trade,tradeQuantity,tqRange,tradeStrategy,tsRange)
```

Description

`cc = costCurves(k,trade,tradeQuantity,tqRange,tradeStrategy,tsRange)` returns the market-impact costs of order execution using:

- Kissell Research Group (KRG) transaction-cost analysis object `k`
- Trade data `trade`
- Trade quantity `tradeQuantity` with a range of values `tqRange`
- Trade strategy `tradeStrategy` with a range of values `tsRange`

Examples

Estimate Market-Impact Cost for an Order

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');

miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData
```

The variable `TradeData` appears in the MATLAB workspace.

`TradeData` contains these variables:

- Stock symbol
- Stock price
- Average daily volume
- Volatility

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate market-impact costs with the trade quantity '`Size`' and strategy '`POV`'. Specify the trade quantity range with increments of 0.01 by starting from 0.01 and ending at one. Specify the trade strategy range with increments of 0.05 by starting from 0.05 and ending at 0.5.

```
cc = costCurves(k,TradeData,'Size',(0.01:0.01:1),'POV',(0.05:0.05:0.5));
```

Display the first three rows of market-impact cost data.

```
cc(1:3,:)
```

```
ans =
```

Symbol	Size	Shares	Dollars	POV	TradeTime	Cost_BP	Cost_
'AAL'	0.01	114764.24	6251208.50	0.05	0.19	11.42	0.06
'AAL'	0.01	114764.24	6251208.50	0.10	0.09	17.93	0.10
'AAL'	0.01	114764.24	6251208.50	0.15	0.06	23.42	0.13

The market-impact cost data contains:

- Stock symbol
- Size
- Number of shares in the transaction

- Dollar amount of the transaction
- Percentage of volume to complete the transaction
- Trade time to complete the transaction in percentage of the day
- Market-impact cost in basis points
- Market-impact cost in dollars per share
- Market-impact cost in dollars

Display cost curves for the first stock for these percentage of volume rates: 5%, 15%, 25%, and 35%.

```
figure
subplot(2,2,1)
plot(cc.Size(1:10:1000)*100,cc.Cost_BP(1:10:1000))
grid on
axis([0 100 0 250])
xlabel({'Size', '%ADV'})
ylabel({'Cost', '(bps)'})
title('POV = 5%')
a = gca;
a.XAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%g%%';

subplot(2,2,2)
plot(cc.Size(3:10:1000)*100,cc.Cost_BP(3:10:1000))
grid on
axis([0 100 0 250])
xlabel({'Size', '%ADV'})
ylabel({'Cost', '(bps)'})
title('POV = 15%')
b = gca;
b.XAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%g%%';

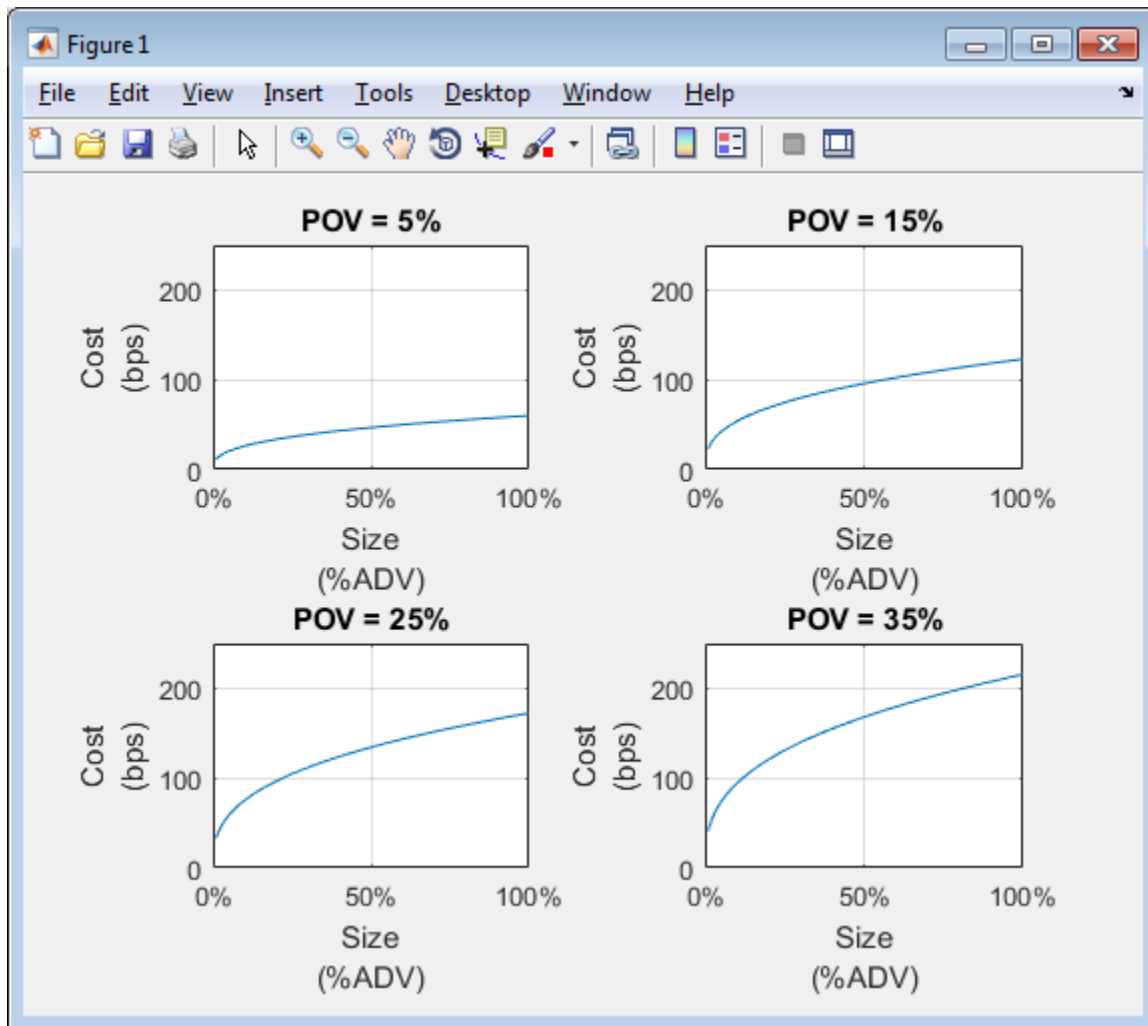
subplot(2,2,3)
plot(cc.Size(5:10:1000)*100,cc.Cost_BP(5:10:1000))
grid on
axis([0 100 0 250])
xlabel({'Size', '%ADV'})
ylabel({'Cost', '(bps)'})
title('POV = 25%')
c = gca;
c.XAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%g%%';

subplot(2,2,4)
```

```

plot(cc.Size(7:10:1000)*100,cc.Cost_BP(7:10:1000))
grid on
axis([0 100 0 250])
xlabel({'Size', '(%ADV)'})
ylabel({'Cost', '(bps)'})
title('POV = 35%')
d = gca;
d.XAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%g%';

```



This figure demonstrates how fast to trade a specific order size within a price level.

- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15

Input Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, specified as a KRG object created using `krg`.

trade — Trade data

table | structure

Trade data that describes the stocks in the transaction, specified as a table or structure. `trade` must contain these variable or field names.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol
Price	Stock price
ADV	Average daily volume
Volatility	Volatility

```
Example: trade = table({'XYZ'},100.00,860000,0.27,'VariableNames',
{'Symbol' 'Price' 'ADV' 'Volatility'})
```

```
Example: trade =
struct('Symbol','XYZ','Price',100.00,'ADV',860000,'Volatility',0.27)
```

These examples do not represent real market data.

Data Types: struct | table

tradeQuantity — Trade quantity

'Size' | 'Shares' | 'Dollars'

Trade quantity, specified as one of these values.

Value	Trade Quantity Description
'Size'	Shares in the transaction, which is a percentage of average daily trading volume

Value	Trade Quantity Description
'Shares'	Number of shares in the transaction
'Dollars'	Total value of the transaction

Data Types: char

tqRange — Trade quantity range

vector

Trade quantity range, specified as a vector. `costCurves` uses these values with the trade strategy range values to estimate market-impact costs for different quantities and strategies.

Example: 'Size', (0.01:0.01:1) specifies a trade quantity range with increments of 0.01 starting from 0.01 and ending at one

Data Types: double

tradeStrategy — Trade strategy

'POV' | 'TradeTime'

Trade strategy, specified as one of these values.

Values	Trade Strategy Name
'POV'	Percentage of volume
'TradeTime'	Trade time in percentage of the day

Data Types: char

tsRange — Trade strategy range

vector

Trade strategy range, specified as a vector. `costCurves` uses these values with the trade quantity range values to estimate market-impact costs for different quantities and strategies.

Example: 'POV', (0.05:0.05:0.5) specifies a trade strategy range with increments of 0.05 starting from 0.05 and ending at 0.5

Data Types: double

Output Arguments

cc — Cost curves

table | structure

Cost curves, returned as a table or structure with these variable names or fields.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol
Size	Shares in a transaction in percentage of average daily trading volume
Shares	Number of shares in the transaction
Dollars	Dollar amount of the transaction
POV	Percentage of volume to complete the transaction
TradeTime	Trade time to complete the transaction in percentage of the day
Cost_BP	Market-impact cost of the transaction in basis points
Cost_DollarsPerShare	Market-impact cost of the transaction in dollars per share
Cost_Dollars	Market-impact cost of the transaction in dollars

More About

Tips

- For details about the calculations, contact Kissell Research Group.
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

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See Also

iStar | krg | marketImpact | portfolioCostCurves | timingRisk

Introduced in R2016a

iStar

Estimate instantaneous trading cost for order

Syntax

```
itc = iStar(k,trade)
```

Description

`itc = iStar(k,trade)` returns the instantaneous trading cost of an order using the Kissell Research Group (KRG) transaction-cost analysis object `k` and trade data `trade`. To estimate the instantaneous trading cost, `iStar` uses the I-Star trading cost model.

Examples

Estimate Instantaneous Trading Cost for Stocks

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');  
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');  
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');  
  
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...  
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData
```

The variable `TradeData` appears in the MATLAB workspace.

`TradeData` contains these variables:

- Stock symbol
- Side
- Number of shares
- Size
- Stock price
- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Percentage of volume

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate instantaneous trading cost `itc` for each stock using the Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`. Display the first three instantaneous trading costs.

```
itc = iStar(k,TradeData);
```

```
itc(1:3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
    33.48  
   317.58  
    62.94
```

Instantaneous trading costs display in basis points.

- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15

Input Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, specified as a KRG object created using `krq`.

trade — Trade data

table | structure

Trade data that describes the stocks in the transaction, specified as a table or structure. `trade` must contain these variable or field names.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol
Side	Buy or sell side
Shares	Number of shares in the transaction
Size	Shares in the transaction, which is a percentage of average daily trading volume
Price	Stock price
ADV	Average daily volume
Volatility	Volatility
POV	Percentage of volume

The trading cost varies with the trade strategy. iStar determines the trade strategy using these variables in this order:

- 1 Percentage of volume
- 2 Trade time
- 3 Trade schedule

To change the trade strategy from percentage of volume to trade time, remove the variable `POV` in the table and add the variable `TradeTime` with trade time data. To use the trade schedule strategy, remove the variable `TradeTime` and add the `TradeSchedule` and `VolumeProfile` variables.

If you specify size in the trade data, iStar uses the `Size` variable. Otherwise, iStar uses the variables `ADV` and `Shares` to determine the size.

```
Example: trade = table({'XYZ'},
{'Buy'}, 9300, 0.06, 29.68, 860000, 0.27, 0.17, 'VariableNames', {'Symbol'
'Side' 'Shares' 'Size' 'Price' 'ADV' 'Volatility' 'POV'})
```

```
Example: trade = struct('Symbol',{ 'XYZ' }, 'Side',
{'Buy'}, 'Shares', 9300, 'Size', 0.06, 'Price', 29.68, 'ADV', 860000, 'Volatility', 0.27
```

These examples do not represent real market data.

Data Types: struct | table

Output Arguments

itc — Instantaneous trading cost

vector

Instantaneous trading cost, returned as a vector. The vector values correspond to the instantaneous trading cost in basis points for each stock in `trade`.

More About

I-Star Trading Cost Model

The *I-Star trading cost model (I-Star)* estimates the instantaneous cost of an order. If a market participant immediately releases the entire order to the market for execution, they incur this cost. This cost also refers to the market participant cost accounting for 100% of the market volume over the execution period.

The I-Star model is

$$I^* = a_1 \cdot \left(\frac{Shares}{ADV} \right)^{a_2} \cdot \sigma^{a_3}.$$

Shares are the number of shares to trade. *ADV* is the average daily volume of the stock. σ is the price volatility. a_1 , a_2 , and a_3 are the model parameters.

Model Parameter	Description
a_1	Price sensitivity to order flow
a_2	Order size shape

Model Parameter	Description
a_3	Volatility shape

The general I-Star model that includes stock-specific factors is

$$I^* = a_1 \cdot \left(\frac{\text{Shares}}{\text{ADV}} \right)^{a_2} \cdot \sigma^{a_3} \cdot \text{Price}^{a_5} \cdot X_k^{a_k}.$$

Price is the stock price. a_5 is the price shape model parameter. X_k is the stock-specific factor such as market capitalization, beta, P/E ratio, and Debt/Equity ratio. This formulation can include multiple stock-specific factors. a_k is the corresponding shape parameter for the stock-specific factor X_k .

Tips

- For details about the formula and calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

References

- [1] Kissell, Robert. “A Practical Framework for Transaction Cost Analysis.” *Journal of Trading*. Vol. 3, Number 2, Summer 2008, pp. 29-37.
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See Also

krq | liquidityFactor | marketImpact | priceAppreciation | timingRisk

Introduced in R2016a

liquidityFactor

Estimate and compare liquidation costs across stocks

Syntax

```
lf = liquidityFactor(k,trade)
```

Description

`lf = liquidityFactor(k,trade)` returns the ratio of liquidation costs due to liquidity demand by stock for an equal investment value, or liquidity factor. `liquidityFactor` uses the Kissell Research Group (KRG) transaction-cost analysis object `k` and trade data `trade`.

Examples

Determine Liquidity Factor for Stocks

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');  
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');  
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');  
  
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...  
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData
```

The variable `TradeData` appears in the MATLAB workspace.

`TradeData` contains these variables:

- Stock symbol
- Stock price
- Average daily volume
- Volatility

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Determine liquidity factor `lf` for each stock using the Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`. Display the first three liquidity factor values.

```
lf = liquidityFactor(k,TradeData);
```

```
lf(1:3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
    0.30  
    2.37  
    0.35
```

`lf` returns the ratios for stock comparison due to liquidity demands.

- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19

Input Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, specified as a KRG object created using `krq`.

trade — Trade data

table | structure

Trade data that describes the stocks in the transaction, specified as a table or structure. `trade` must contain these variable or field names.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol
Price	Stock price
ADV	Average daily volume
Volatility	Volatility

```
Example: trade = table({'XYZ'},100.00,860000,0.27,'VariableNames',
{'Symbol' 'Price' 'ADV' 'Volatility'})
```

```
Example: trade =
struct('Symbol','XYZ','Price',100.00,'ADV',860000,'Volatility',0.27)
```

These examples do not represent real market data.

Data Types: `struct` | `table`

Output Arguments

1f — Liquidity factor

vector

Liquidity factor, returned as a vector. The vector values are ratios that compare the liquidation costs due to liquidity demands across stocks in `trade` for the dollar value and execution strategy.

More About

Liquidity Factor

The *Liquidity Factor (LF)* is a stock-specific measure of price sensitivity to investment dollars.

LF provides investors with a fair and consistent comparison of expected liquidation costs across stocks. LF incorporates stock-specific information to determine its sensitivity to

order flow and investment dollars. The LF metric shows the ratio of liquidation costs due to liquidity demand by stock for an equal investment value in each stock. Market impact relies on the order size or shares traded which vary from order to order. LF provides an apples-to-apples comparison across financial instruments. Consider a stock I that has an $LF = 0.10$ and a stock II that has an $LF = 0.20$. Stock II is twice as expensive to transact for an equal dollar value. An investor buys or sells \$1 million dollars of stock in stock I and stock II utilizing the same execution strategy. The cost of stock II is twice as large as stock I. The LF metric incorporates stock liquidity, volatility, and price to determine the LF trading cost parameter.

The LF model is

$$LF = a_1 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{ADV} \right)^{a_2} \cdot \sigma^{a_3} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{Price} \right)^{a_4} \cdot Price^{a_5}.$$

σ is price volatility. ADV is the average daily volume of the stock. $Price$ is the current stock price in local currency. a_1 , a_2 , a_3 , and a_5 are the model parameters.

Model Parameter	Description
a_1	Price sensitivity to order flow
a_2	Order size shape
a_3	Volatility shape
a_5	Price shape

Tips

- For details about the formula and calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.
- You can expand the LF model to include a stock-specific factor such as market capitalization, beta, P/E ratio, and Debt/Equity ratio. In this case, X_k denotes the stock-specific factor and a_k denotes the corresponding shape parameter. For details about implementing an expanded LF model, contact the Kissell Research Group.
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

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- [1] Kissell, Robert. "A Practical Framework for Transaction Cost Analysis." *Journal of Trading*. Vol. 3, Number 2, Summer 2008, pp. 29-37.
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See Also

iStar | krg | marketImpact | priceAppreciation | timingRisk

Introduced in R2016a

marketImpact

Estimate price movement due to order or trade

Syntax

```
mi = marketImpact(k,trade)
```

Description

`mi = marketImpact(k,trade)` returns the market impact cost for stocks using the Kissell Research Group (KRG) transaction-cost analysis object `k` and trade data `trade`.

Examples

Estimates Market-Impact Costs

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');  
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');  
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');  
  
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...  
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact data, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.


```
load KRGExampleData
```

The variable `TradeData` appears in the MATLAB workspace.

`TradeData` contains these variables:

- Stock symbol
- Side
- Number of shares
- Size
- Stock price
- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Percentage of volume

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimates market-impact cost `mi` for each stock using the Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`. Display the first three market-impact costs.

```
mi = marketImpact(k,TradeData);
```

```
mi(1:3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
    0.51  
   96.86  
   10.72
```

Market-impact costs display in basis points.

- “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2
- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19
- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15
- “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24
- “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28
- “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32

Input Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, specified as a KRG object created using `krq`.

trade — Trade data

table | structure

Trade data that describes the stocks in the transaction, specified as a table or structure. `trade` must contain these variable or field names.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol
Side	Buy or sell side
Shares	Number of shares in the transaction
Size	Shares in the transaction, which is a percentage of average daily trading volume
Price	Stock price
ADV	Average daily volume
Volatility	Volatility
POV	Percentage of volume

The trading cost varies with the trade strategy. `marketImpact` determines the trade strategy using these variables in this order:

- 1 Percentage of volume
- 2 Trade time
- 3 Trade schedule

To change the trade strategy from percentage of volume to trade time, remove the variable `POV` in the table and add the variable `TradeTime` with trade time data. To use the trade schedule strategy, remove the variable `TradeTime` and add the `TradeSchedule` and `VolumeProfile` variables.

If you specify `size` in the trade data, `marketImpact` uses the `Size` variable. Otherwise, `marketImpact` uses the variables `ADV` and `Shares` to determine the size.

```
Example: trade = table({'XYZ'},
{'Buy'},9300,0.06,29.68,860000,0.27,0.17,'VariableNames',{'Symbol'
'Side' 'Shares' 'Size' 'Price' 'ADV' 'Volatility' 'POV'})
```

```
Example: trade = struct('Symbol',{'XYZ'},'Side',
{'Buy'},'Shares',9300,'Size',0.06,'Price',29.68,'ADV',860000,'Volatility',0.27)
```

These examples do not represent real market data.

Data Types: struct | table

Output Arguments

mi — Market-impact cost

vector

Market-impact cost, returned as a vector. The vector values correspond to the market-impact costs in basis points for each stock in `trade`.

More About

Market Impact

Market impact (MI) estimates the price movement in a stock caused by a particular trade or order.

Market-impact cost always causes adverse price movement. Buy orders push the stock price higher and sell orders push the stock price lower. Market-impact cost occurs for two reasons: liquidity demands of the traders or investor and the information content of the order. The liquidity demand of a buy order requires the buyer to provide the market a premium to attract additional sells into the market. The liquidity demand of a sell order causes the seller to offer the stock at a discount to attract additional buys into the market. The information content of the trade typically signals to the market that the stock is under- or overvalued. Buy orders tend to signal to the market that the stock is undervalued thus causing an increase in price to correct for the mispricing. Sell orders tend to signal to the market that the stock is overvalued thus causing a decrease in price to correct for the mispricing. Market-impact cost depends on order size, volatility, company characteristics, and prevailing market conditions over the trading horizon such as liquidity and intraday trading patterns.

MI for an order that executes instantaneously is equal to the I-Star trading cost model (I-Star). For details about I-Star, see *iStar*. When MI equals I-Star, the trading costs are high and prices move adversely. Therefore, investors trade passively to reduce their cost. Thus, they slice the order and trade over time such as minutes, hours, or possibly days. *marketImpact* incorporates the trade strategy of the investors into the cost calculation.

The MI model is

$$MI = b_1 \cdot I^* \cdot POV^{a_4} + (1 - b_1) \cdot I^*.$$

I^* is I-Star. POV is the percentage of market volume, or participation fraction, of the order. a_4 and b_1 are the model parameters.

Model Parameter	Description
a_4	Percentage of volume rate shape
b_1	Percentage of temporary market impact. Temporary impact is dependent upon the trading strategy. Temporary impact occurs because of the liquidity demands of the investor.
$1 - b_1$	Percentage of permanent market impact. Permanent impact is the unavoidable impact cost. The order does not control the permanent impact. Permanent impact occurs because of the information content of the trade.

Tips

- For details about the formula and calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

References

- [1] Kissell, Robert. “A Practical Framework for Transaction Cost Analysis.” *Journal of Trading*. Vol. 3, Number 2, Summer 2008, pp. 29-37.

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See Also

iStar | krg | liquidityFactor | priceAppreciation | timingRisk

Introduced in R2016a

portfolioCostCurves

Estimates market-impact cost of order execution for portfolio

Syntax

```
pcc = portfolioCostCurves(k,portfolio,tradeQuantity,tqRange,  
tradeStrategy,tsRange)
```

Description

`pcc = portfolioCostCurves(k,portfolio,tradeQuantity,tqRange,tradeStrategy,tsRange)` returns the market-impact cost of order execution for a portfolio using:

- Kissell Research Group (KRG) transaction-cost analysis object `k`
- Portfolio data `portfolio`
- Trade quantity `tradeQuantity` with a range of values `tqRange`
- Trade strategy `tradeStrategy` with a range of values `tsRange`

Examples

Estimate Market-Impact Cost for a Portfolio Order

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');  
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');  
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');  
  
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...  
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example portfolio data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData
```

The variable `PortfolioData` appears in the MATLAB workspace.

`PortfolioData` contains these variables:

- Stock symbol
- Local price
- Price in a different currency if applicable
- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Number of shares

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate market-impact cost for an order execution on a portfolio of assets. Specify the trade quantity as `DollarValue`. Specify the trade quantity range `tqRange` with increments of \$10,000,000. Start with a total portfolio value of \$100,000,000 and end with \$500,000,000. Set the percentage of volume trading strategy `POV`. Specify the trade strategy range `tsRange` with increments of 10% by starting with a percentage of volume of 10% and ending with 40%.

```
tqRange = (100000000:100000000:500000000);
tsRange = (0.10:0.10:0.40);
```

```
pcc = portfolioCostCurves(k,PortfolioData,'DollarValue',tqRange,...
'POV',tsRange);
```

Display the first three rows of market-impact cost data.

```
pcc(1:3,:)
```

```
ans =
```

Size	Shares	TradeValue	AbsTradeValue	POV	TradeTime	Cost_bp
0.02	5612057.03	100000000.00	328737579.09	0.10	0.18	38.74
0.02	5612057.03	100000000.00	328737579.09	0.20	0.08	61.18
0.02	5612057.03	100000000.00	328737579.09	0.30	0.05	80.07

The market-impact cost data contains:

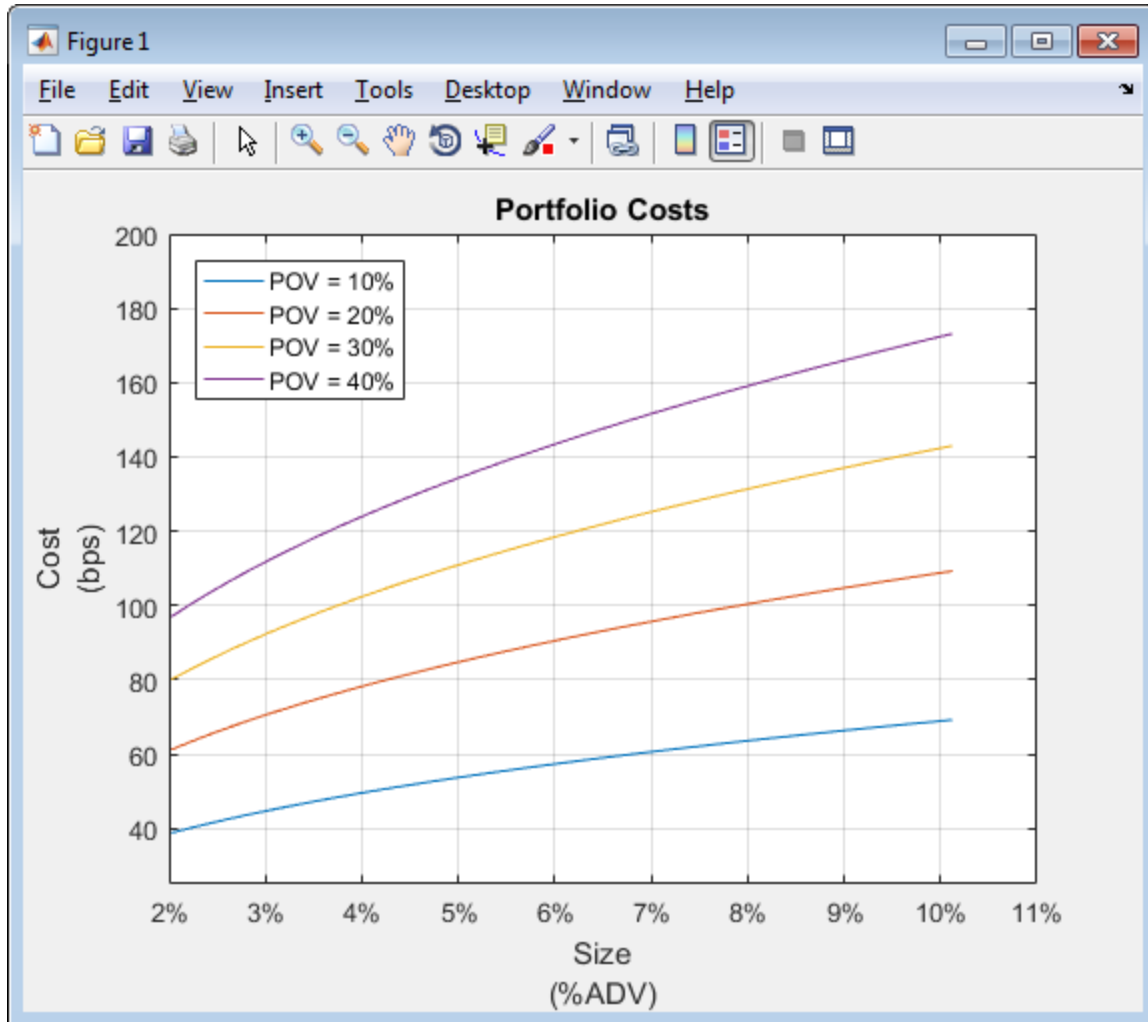
- Average trade size across all stocks in the portfolio
- Number of shares in the transaction
- Sum of traded value across all stocks in the portfolio
- Sum of absolute value of the trade value across all stocks in the portfolio
- Average execution percentage of volume to complete the number of shares
- Average trade time in percentage of the day to complete the number of shares
- Market-impact cost in basis points of local price
- Market-impact cost in dollars per share
- Market-impact cost in total dollar value

Display portfolio cost curves for percentage of volume rates: 10%, 20%, 30%, and 40%.

```
figure
size10 = pcc.Size(1:4:end)*100;
size20 = pcc.Size(2:4:end)*100;
size30 = pcc.Size(3:4:end)*100;
size40 = pcc.Size(4:4:end)*100;
cost10 = pcc.Cost_bp(1:4:end);
cost20 = pcc.Cost_bp(2:4:end);
cost30 = pcc.Cost_bp(3:4:end);
cost40 = pcc.Cost_bp(4:4:end);
plot(size10,cost10,size20,cost20,size30,cost30,size40,cost40)
grid on
axis([2 11 25 200])
xlabel({'Size', '%ADV'})
ylabel({'Cost', '(bps)'})
legend('POV = 10%', 'POV = 20%', 'POV = 30%', 'POV = 40%', ...
'Location', 'northwest')
title('Portfolio Costs')
a = gca;
```



```
a.XAxis.TickLabelFormat = '%g%';
```



This figure demonstrates using portfolio costs to construct the portfolio and manage portfolio contents. By analyzing portfolio costs, you can determine the optimal portfolio size.

- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15

Input Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, specified as a KRG object created using `krg`.

portfolio — Portfolio data

table | structure

Portfolio data that describes the stocks in the portfolio, specified as a table or structure. `portfolio` must contain these variable or field names.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol.
Price_Local	Local price.
Price_Currency	Price, specified as the stock price with a different currency if the stock trades outside the United States. If the stock trades in the United States, the value equals the local price.
ADV	Average daily volume.
Volatility	Volatility.
Shares	Number of shares.

The number of symbols in the portfolio data must match the number of values for each market-impact parameter in the `miData` property of `k`. For details about the market-impact parameters, contact the Kissell Research Group.

```
Example: portfolio =
table({'XYZ'},100.00,100.00,860000,0.27,550,'VariableNames',
{'Symbol' 'Price_Local' 'Price_Currency' 'ADV' 'Volatility'
'Shares'})
```

```
Example: portfolio =
struct('Symbol','XYZ','Price_Local',100.00,'Price_Currency',100.00,'ADV',860000)
```

These examples do not represent real market data.

Data Types: struct | table

tradeQuantity — Trade quantity

'DollarValue' | 'PercentValue'

Trade quantity, specified as one of these values.

Value	Trade Quantity Description
'DollarValue'	Total dollar value of the portfolio
'PercentValue'	Percentage of the total dollar value of the portfolio

Data Types: char

tqRange — Trade quantity range

vector

Trade quantity range, specified as a vector. `portfolioCostCurves` uses these values with the trade strategy range values to estimate market-impact costs for different quantities and strategies.

Example: 'Size', (0.01:0.01:1) specifies a trade quantity range with increments of 0.01 starting from 0.01 and ending at one

Data Types: double

tradeStrategy — Trade strategy

'POV' | 'TradeTime'

Trade strategy, specified as one of these values.

Values	Trade Strategy Name
'POV'	Percentage of volume
'TradeTime'	Trade time in percentage of the day

Data Types: char

tsRange — Trade strategy range

vector

Trade strategy range, specified as a vector. `portfolioCostCurves` uses these values with the trade quantity range values to estimate market-impact costs for different quantities and strategies.

Example: 'POV', (0.05:0.05:0.5) specifies a trade strategy range with increments of 0.05 starting from 0.05 and ending at 0.5

Data Types: double

Output Arguments

pcc — Portfolio cost curves

table | structure

Portfolio cost curves, returned as a table or structure with these variable names or fields.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Size	Average trade size across all stocks in the portfolio.
Shares	Number of shares in the transaction.
TradeValue	Trade value, or the total dollar value of the stock position in the portfolio adjusted for side. Long/Buy positions have a positive trade value and Short/Sell positions have a negative trade value.
AbsTradeValue	Sum of absolute value of the trade value across all stocks in the portfolio.
POV	Average execution percentage of volume to complete the number of shares.
TradeTime	Average trade time in percentage of the day to complete the number of shares.
Cost_bp	Market-impact cost in basis points of local price.
Cost_DollarsPerShare	Market-impact cost in dollars per share.
Cost_Dollars	Market-impact cost in total dollar value.

More About

Tips

- To test multiple portfolio transactions, you can use different ranges. You can change the percentage of shares in the transaction or use a different trade strategy. For details, see “Input Arguments” on page 5-336.
- For details about the calculations, contact Kissell Research Group.
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

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See Also

costCurves | iStar | krg | marketImpact | timingRisk

Introduced in R2016a

priceAppreciation

Estimate trading cost due to natural price movement

Syntax

```
alpha = priceAppreciation(k,trade)
```

Description

`alpha = priceAppreciation(k,trade)` returns the trading cost due to the natural price movement of a stock, or price appreciation. `priceAppreciation` uses the Kissell Research Group (KRG) transaction cost object `k` and trade data `trade`.

Examples

Estimate Alpha

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');  
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');  
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');  
  
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...  
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData
```

The variable `TradeData` appears in the MATLAB workspace.

`TradeData` contains these variables:

- Shares in the transaction, which is a percentage of average daily trading volume
- Number of shares
- Average daily volume
- Percentage of volume
- Trade time in percentage of the day
- Volatility
- Stock price
- Alpha estimate

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate alpha using the Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`. Display the first three alphas.

```
alpha = priceAppreciation(k,TradeData);
```

```
alpha(1:3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
    -9.49  
     8.47  
     0.93
```

Alphas display in basis points.

- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15
- “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24
- “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28
- “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32

Input Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, specified as a KRG object created using `krq`.

trade — Trade data

table | structure

Trade data that describes the stocks in the transaction, specified as a table or structure. `trade` must contain these variable or field names.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Size	Shares in the transaction, which is a percentage of average daily trading volume
Shares	Number of shares
ADV	Average daily volume
POV	Percentage of volume
TradeTime	Trade time in percentage of the day
Volatility	Volatility
Price	Stock price
Alpha_bp	Alpha estimate in basis points

The trading cost varies with the trade strategy. `priceAppreciation` determines the trade strategy using these variables in this order:

- 1 Percentage of volume
- 2 Trade time
- 3 Trade schedule

To change the trade strategy from percentage of volume to trade time, remove the variable `POV` in the table and add the variable `TradeTime` with trade time data. To use the trade schedule strategy, remove the variable `TradeTime` and add the `TradeSchedule` and `VolumeProfile` variables.

If you specify `size` in the trade data, `priceAppreciation` uses the `Size` variable. Otherwise, `priceAppreciation` uses the variables `ADV` and `Shares` to determine the size.

```
Example: trade =
table(0.01,9300,860000,0.17,0.40,0.27,29.68,3,'VariableNames',
{'Size' 'Shares' 'ADV' 'POV' 'TradeTime' 'Volatility' 'Price'
'Alpha_bp'})
```



```
Example: trade =
struct('Size',0.01,'Shares',9300,'ADV',860000,'POV',0.17,'TradeTime',0.40,'Vol
```

These examples do not represent real market data.

Data Types: struct | table

Output Arguments

alpha — Alpha

vector

Alpha, returned as a vector. The units of alpha, or the natural price movement of the stock, are basis points.

More About

Price Appreciation

Price appreciation (PA) estimates the trading cost due to the natural price movement of a stock.

The natural price movement commonly refers to expected return, alpha, price trend, drift, or momentum. This movement represents how the stock moves in a market without any uncertainty. PA represents the trading cost due to the underlying trading strategy. For example, buying passively in a rising market or selling passively in a falling market causes the fund to incur higher costs due to market movement. Conversely, buying in a falling market or selling in a rising market causes the fund to incur lower costs due to transacting at the better prices. PA is based on the alpha estimate you specify in the trade data. Funds and managers heavily guard their alpha estimates and expected returns. These expectations are highly proprietary and valued. This function lets you input alpha estimates directly into the model running on your desktop that prevents information leakage.

The PA model is represented as a linear trend. The PA model is

$$PA = 0.5 \cdot \text{Alpha}_{bp} \cdot \left(\frac{\text{Shares}}{\text{ADV}} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{1 - \text{POV}}{\text{POV}} \right).$$

Shares are the number of shares to trade. *ADV* is the average daily volume of a stock. *POV* is the percent of market volume, or participation fraction, for the order. *Alpha_bp* is the alpha estimate for the day in basis points. A positive value for the alpha estimate indicates adverse price movement for the order. A negative value for the alpha estimate indicates favorable price movement.

Tips

- For details about the formula and calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

References

- [1] Kissell, Robert. “A Practical Framework for Transaction Cost Analysis.” *Journal of Trading*. Vol. 3, Number 2, Summer 2008, pp. 29-37.
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See Also

iStar | krg | liquidityFactor | marketImpact | timingRisk

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timingRisk

Estimate uncertainty of market-impact cost

Syntax

```
tr = timingRisk(k,trade)
```

Description

`tr = timingRisk(k,trade)` returns the uncertainty of the market-impact cost estimate, or timing risk. `timingRisk` uses the Kissell Research Group (KRG) transaction-cost analysis object `k` and trade data `trade`.

Examples

Estimate Timing Risk for Stocks

Retrieve the market-impact data from the Kissell Research Group FTP site. Connect to the FTP site using `ftp` with a user name and password. Navigate to the `MI_Parameters` folder and retrieve the market-impact data in the `MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv` file.

```
f = ftp('ftp.kissellresearch.com','username','pwd');  
cd(f,'MI_Parameters');  
mget(f,'MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv');  
  
miData = readtable('MI_Encrypted_Parameters.csv','delimiter',...  
                  ',','ReadRowNames',false,'ReadVariableNames',true);
```

`miData` contains the encrypted market-impact date, code, and parameters.

Create a Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`.

```
k = krg(miData);
```

Load the example data from the MAT-file `KRGExampleData.mat`, which is included with the toolbox.

```
load KRGExampleData
```

The variable `TradeData` appears in the MATLAB workspace.

`TradeData` contains these variables:

- Stock symbol
- Side
- Number of shares
- Size
- Stock price
- Average daily volume
- Volatility
- Percentage of volume

For a description of the example data, see “Kissell Research Group Example Data Set Description” on page 3-9.

Estimate timing risk `tr` for each stock using the Kissell Research Group transaction-cost analysis object `k`. Display the first three timing risk values.

```
tr = timingRisk(k,TradeData);
```

```
tr(1:3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
    159.05  
    242.37  
     62.88
```

Timing risk trading costs display in basis points.

- “Analyze Trading Execution Results” on page 3-2
- “Estimate Portfolio Liquidation Costs” on page 3-19
- “Conduct Sensitivity Analysis to Estimate Trading Costs” on page 3-15
- “Optimize a Percentage of Volume Trading Strategy” on page 3-24
- “Optimize a Trade Time Trading Strategy” on page 3-28

- “Optimize a Trade Schedule Trading Strategy” on page 3-32

Input Arguments

k — Transaction cost analysis

KRG object

Transaction cost analysis, specified as a KRG object created using `krg`.

trade — Trade data

table | structure

Trade data that describes the stocks in the transaction, specified as a table or structure. `trade` must contain these variable or field names.

Variable or Field Name	Description
Symbol	Stock symbol
Side	Buy or sell side
Shares	Number of shares in the transaction
Size	Shares in the transaction, which is a percentage of average daily trading volume
Price	Stock price
ADV	Average daily volume
Volatility	Volatility
POV	Percentage of volume

The trading cost varies with the trade strategy. `timingRisk` determines the trade strategy using these variables in this order:

- 1 Percentage of volume
- 2 Trade time
- 3 Trade schedule

To change the trade strategy from percentage of volume to trade time, remove the variable `POV` in the table and add the variable `TradeTime` with trade time data.

To use the trade schedule strategy, remove the variable `TradeTime` and add the `TradeSchedule` and `VolumeProfile` variables.

If you specify size in the trade data, `timingRisk` uses the `Size` variable. Otherwise, `timingRisk` uses the variables `ADV` and `Shares` to determine the size.

```
Example: trade = table({'XYZ'},  
{'Buy'},9300,0.06,29.68,860000,0.27,0.17,'VariableNames',{'Symbol'  
'Side' 'Shares' 'Size' 'Price' 'ADV' 'Volatility' 'POV'})
```

```
Example: trade = struct('Symbol',{'XYZ'},'Side',  
{'Buy'},'Shares',9300,'Size',0.06,'Price',29.68,'ADV',860000,'Volatility',0.27
```

These examples do not represent real market data.

Data Types: `struct` | `table`

Output Arguments

tr — Timing risk

vector

Timing risk, returned as a vector. The vector values correspond to the timing risk in basis points for each stock in `trade`.

More About

Timing Risk

Timing risk (TR) estimates the uncertainty surrounding the estimated transaction cost.

Price volatility and liquidity risk creates uncertainty. Price volatility causes the price to be either higher or lower than expected due to factors independent of the order. Liquidity risk causes the market-impact cost to be either higher or lower than estimated due to market volumes. TR is dependent upon volumes, intraday trading patterns, and market impact resulting from other market participants. The TR model is

$$TR = \sigma \cdot \sqrt{\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{250} \cdot \frac{Shares}{ADV} \cdot \left(\frac{1-POV}{POV}\right)} \cdot 10^4.$$

σ is price volatility. 250 is the number of trading days in the year. *Shares* are the number of shares to trade. *ADV* is the average daily volume of the stock. *POV* is the percentage of market volume, or participation fraction, of the order.

Tips

- For details about the formula and calculations, contact the Kissell Research Group.
- “Workflow for Kissell Research Group Transaction Cost Analysis” on page 3-37

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