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Outgoing quote request in the stock







Outgoing quote request in the option







The trading platform – incoming requests

Incoming client requests



- Client-side requests are for a variable quantity at the market price
- You choose whether to
 - Fill the whole order (default)
 - Fill it partially (change the quantity)
- As a rule, honour these orders (business is business). The system measures how effectively you've done this
- The consequence may be a position you don't want. Get out of it by going into the dealer market and unwinding!

Incoming quote requests



- Incoming quote requests are for a variable quantity at a price to be negotiated (2-way price)
- 2-way price format is:

{bid} <space> {ask}

 You can trade in a smaller quantity by appending

' in 4k'

- Again, your market-making activity is monitored.
- Be quick and be close to the market
 Al traders know where the market is and their patience is limited

Post-trading feedback – the dealer's report

