THE FOREX PROJECT



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**Well done!**

You just bought a state of the art software which will help you succeed in trade transactions. Soon you won’t even remember how you could have worked without its priceless help!

# Installation

This software is fully portable, meaning there is no needed installation. It can be launched from anywhere on your computer, or even on an USB device!

Just make sure that you have write permissions where you launch the program as it needs to create some configuration files where it stands; for instance you can’t burn it on a cd and launch it from the CD-ROM as the program won’t be able to write on the CD.

# Features

The core function of the program consists of checking the Forex data in real time and store them in a secured local database whenever there is a change in cross rates.

The main feature is of course the ability to display the actual purchase and selling values of a selected collection of currencies pairs, along with the last change’s timestamp and the percentage change.

It can also display every values of a selected currencies pair from one day to another, showing you the past evolution of that currencies pair and therefore helping you to foresee which trend it goes towards.

Moreover, the user has the opportunity of selecting independently which currencies pairs he wants to store in the database and which pairs he wants to display on the main screen.

Last but not least, there’s an analysis module which displays dynamic statistical charts and graphics.

# Usage

The software is mainly composed of a display area where live cross rates of a selection of currencies pairs are shown. On top of it, there’s a menu bar composed of two items.

## System

### Options

Here you can modify the database settings such as its filename, the login and password needed to access it, and the URL (internet address) of the Forex website.

The second part lets you choose which currencies pairs will be downloaded and stored in the database. Just check the currencies pairs you want to store in the database, and uncheck the ones you want the software to ignore.

**Beware:** This will **NOT** affect the main screen’s display. The main screen will still display every pairs but the ones you’ll have unchecked won’t be updated anymore. If you want to choose which pairs to display on the main screen, use instead the « Currencies » menu detailed below.

Once your choices are done, just click on the « Apply » button to save them. They will be stored in a specific file and will be remembered next time you’ll run the program.

### Quit

Click on this item to quit the application.

## Currencies

### Display choice

Here you can select which currencies pairs will be displayed on the main screen. Just tick the pairs you want to display, and untick the ones you want to hide. Then click on the « Apply » button which will bring you back to the main screen where the display has been updated to your liking.

### By time interval

This is where you can choose to display the evolution of a selected currencies pair between two dates. A new window will pop up.

Select which pair you want to display in the combo box labelled « Currencies choice ». Now type in the start date and the end date in the appropriate cells, and click on the « Ok » button. Every values stored in the database from date 1 to date 2 for the selected pair will then be displayed. Click the « close » button to close this windows and come back to the main window.

# Trouble Shooting

### The program don’t start!

Make sure the program has write permissions. Check the windows help website for further information.

### The program runs but don’t show me anything!

Make sure your internet configuration is correct. Then please make sure that your firewall is configure to allow the program to access the internet.