

Opening Range (ORB) Strategy Backtesting

I would like to run a backtest in python for a single stock symbol (QQQ - Nasdaq100 or the NQ).

I will provide you the historical 1 minute data in multiple files of 1 month data. Need to backtest for one full year.

Option A - Opening Range Breakout

Conditions for the opening range market open at 9:30 AM EDT (New York session)

- Wait for minimum **price movement range of 0.30%** (market could be up or down, doesn't matter)
- Wait a minimum of **15 minutes**. (may take longer to reach 0.3%)

Only if BOTH of these conditions are met then go long or short based on breakout from this range.

Conditions for entry:

1.) price must retrace at least 0.010% from the long or short trigger points.

example :

- stock opens at 10.00, after 15 minutes price moves up to 10.30.....#1 this means the 0.30% criteria is met
- going short at 9.99 is valid because price had moved more than 0.10% away from 9.99....but going long at 10.31 is not yet valid.
- If the stock moves down to 10.20, now both the long at 10.31 or short at 9.99 are valid

2.) Wait for 1 minute price bar to close above (or below) the valid trigger, enter at open of next bar

OR

Enter immediately if price spikes more than **0.005%** above (below) the valid trigger point

Profit Target = 0.50%

Stop Loss

- Use the opposite end of the opening range as the stop loss
 - MAX stop = 0.50%
- When stopping out then also **reverse** the trade at the stop
 - Add option (on/off) here to make the reversal trade **2X** the size of original trade

Break Even

- Move stop loss to B/E after the the stock moves 0.5%
 - ability to turn off the break even parameter

Max trades per day: = 2

No new trades after: 12:00 PM EST

***** All variables (in yellow) should be optimizable using something like backtesting.py or vectorbt. I want to control which combination of parameters I optimize

Option B - Opening Range Failure Scalp

- Use the same opening range as above
- Condition #1: Price to close above/below the range
- Condition #2: Stay above/below the range for 1 minute
 - But not more than 30 minutes
- Condition #3: Close back below/above the range
 - OR pierce below/above the range limit by 0.005% (no closing below is required)
- **Profit Target: 0.015%**
- **Stop loss: 0.005%**
- If first play is a loser then look for second entry
 - But second entry profit target: 0.030%

Max trades per day: = 2

No new trades after: 12:00 PM EST

Visualization

- I want to see overall performance statistics (max drawdown, number of winners/losers, avg win/loss)
- I want to see all the dates where we lost money
- What tool / library will you use for visualization?

options:

<https://vectorbt.pro/>

<https://seaborn.pydata.org/examples/index.html>

<https://www.machinelearningplus.com/plots/top-50-matplotlib-visualizations-the-master-plots-python>

<https://plotly.com/python/>

Platform

- What platform will you use? Jupyter etc ...?
- Which libraries will you use? I need **specifics** not options

Can you give me your thoughts on the project?

Have you done anything similar before? how long will it take? Cost?

Any screen shots from past work?

Thanks,

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