# **FIX Client Simulation**

Simulation for FIX Client Initiator.

The following are the objectives of this simulation:

- Send 1,000 randomized BUY, SELL, SHORT orders for "MSFT", "BAC" and "AAPL" within 5 minutes.
- Within the same timeframe, initiate random cancel order requests.
- Calculate the following metrics:
  - Total Trading Volume (USD).
  - o Profit and Loss (PNL) from the session.
  - Volume Weighted Average Price (VWAP) for fills of each instrument.

#### Summary of the simulation:

- client.main will initiate SocketInitiator
- execute application.fix\_pricing.run . Simulation steps are detailed accordingly under the run function for object fix\_pricing .
- save Market Data under Results.market data <timestamp>.csv and close initiator.
- process statistics and produce summary file under Results.summary <timestamp>.csv .

### Installation

#### Requirements:

- Python 3.8 or above. Default = Python 3.8.16
- pipenv or any other virtualenv control.

Initiate virtualenv by venv or pipenv.

```
# venv
cd your_project_directory
python -m venv venv
source venv/bin/activate
# pipenv
pipenv shell
```

Install necessary packages.

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```
# venv
pip install -r requirements.txt
# pipenv
pipenv install -r requirements.txt
```

Create a config.cfg file from config-sample.cfg and fill in the following details:

```
SocketConnectHost=
SocketConnectPort=
SenderCompID=
TargetCompID=
```

### Usage

Edit following configurations in config.cfg as needed.

Run the simulation using the following command:

```
python client.py
```

FIX message logs will be compiled in <timestamp>.log under Log folder, and raw data to be compiled in CSV format market\_data\_<timestamp>.csv under Results folder.

Once completed, a summary file summary\_<timestamp>.log should be generated under Results folder after each execution.

## **Example**

Sample outputs can be found under sample folder.

NewOrder - MSFT SELL: 100

Below is a sample output under summary\_<timestamp>.log .

Generating Report for Session <SessionID> - 20231022110744

Total Order Counts:

NewOrder - AAPL\_BUY : 119

NewOrder - AAPL\_SELL : 102

NewOrder - AAPL\_SHORT: 105

NewOrder - BAC \_BUY : 141

NewOrder - BAC \_SELL : 110

NewOrder - BAC \_SHORT: 100

NewOrder - MSFT BUY : 137

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```
NewOrder - MSFT_SHORT: 86
    Total NewOrder
                    : 1,000
    Total CancelOrder: 53
Total Trading Volume:
    AAPL: $222,904,884.01
    BAC: $54,792,688.15
    MSFT: $367,738,501.28
    Total: $645,436,073.44
Profit and Loss (PNL) (diff(Buy/Sell_LastPx - MktPx)):
    AAPL: $567,271.97
    BAC : $123,640.21
    MSFT: $125,822.18
    Total: $816,734.36
Volume Weighted Average Price (VWAP):
    AAPL : $151.46
    BAC : $32.53
    MSFT: $239.93
```

### **Sources**

FIX Protocol Documentation by ONIXS FIX GitHub sample by darwinex Python Quickfix GitHub Library Quickfix Engine Documentation

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