

Automated Trader Update: MAS through the FinTech looking glass

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Looking Glass @ MAS debuts, eight startups join Accenture's FinTech project, SGX updates on Baltic Exchange purchase, Bats provides MiFID testing, Bloomberg buys BRAIS, Deutsche Bank and ICAP join blockchain utility project, Blockchain Foundry launches platform, Dion provides data app to Chi-X, first Asia apps on Eikon, TeleWare and Linx partner. Risk Focus, Tullet Prebon, Ancoa, and C5 announce appointments.

The Monetary Authority of Singapore has announced the establishment of its FinTech Innovation Lab. Called [Looking Glass @ MAS](#), it's named after Alice Through The Looking Glass, by Lewis Carroll, and promises a place where innovation and imagination can run free.

Also going down the FinTech rabbit hole this week are the eight startups who joined Accenture's [FinTech Innovation Lab Asia-Pacific](#).

Industry News

SGX updated on the [proposed acquisition of Baltic Exchange](#).

The CFTC charged Deutsche Bank with [swap reporting failures](#).

[Bats provided testing for MiFID II](#) order record keeping requirement.

Bloomberg completed its acquisition of [Barclays Risk Analytics and Index Solutions](#).

BNY Mellon, Deutsche Bank, ICAP & Santander joined [UBS & Clearmatics' blockchain utility initiative](#).

Products and Services

Blockchain Foundry launched the first [blockchain-based e-commerce platform](#).

Dion delivered a [market data app to Chi-X Australia](#).

[Thomson Reuters introduced the first Asia apps](#) on Eikon via App Studio.

Exegy announced [Exegy Journal Replay](#).

[TeleWare and Linx Networks](#) formed a strategic partnership.

People in the News

Ex-DTCC Elena Gaetini joined [Risk Focus EMEA team](#).

[Tullett Prebon](#) named Rebecca Shelley as Group Corporate Affairs Director.

Hugo Jenkins and John Barker joined [Ancoa's Advisory Board](#).

[C5 Partners appointed Marcos Battisti](#) to head its cloud fund.

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