1. Record Nr. UNINA9910254754303321 Autore Conlan Chris **Titolo** Automated Trading with R [[electronic resource]]: Quantitative Research and Platform Development / / by Chris Conlan Berkeley, CA:,: Apress:,: Imprint: Apress,, 2016 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4842-2178-8 Edizione [1st ed. 2016.] 1 online resource (XXV, 205 p. 35 illus., 16 illus. in color.) Descrizione fisica 005.13 Disciplina Programming languages (Electronic computers) Soggetti Computer programming R (Computer program language) Programming Languages, Compilers, Interpreters **Programming Techniques** Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Includes index. Part 1: Problem Scope -- Chapter 1: Fundamentals of Automated Nota di contenuto Trading -- Chapter 2: Networking Part I: Fetching Data -- Part 2: Building the Platform -- Chapter 3: Data Preparation -- Chapter 4: Indicators -- Chapter 5: Rule Sets -- Chapter 6: High-Performance Computing -- Chapter 7: Simulation and Backtesting -- Chapter 8: Optimization -- Chapter 9: Networking Part II -- Chapter 10: Organizing and Automating Scripts -- Part 3: Production Trading --Chapter 11: Looking Forward -- Chapter 12: Appendix A: Source Code -- Chapter 13: Appendix B: Scoping in Multicore R -- . All the tools you need are provided in this book to trade algorithmically Sommario/riassunto with your existing brokerage, from data management, to strategy optimization, to order execution, using free and publicly available data. Connect to your brokerage's API, and the source code is plug-andplay. Automated Trading with R explains the broad topic of automated trading, starting with its mathematics and moving to its computation and execution. Readers will gain a unique insight into the mechanics and computational considerations taken in building a back-tester, strategy optimizer, and fully functional trading platform. The platform

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