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Sommario/riassunto	<p>This beautifully illustrated guide presents a carefully curated collection of 20 plant species native to Hong Kong, with scientific, detailed illustrations and morphological descriptions, together with botanical references, all essential for species authentication. Of the 20 species selected, 15 are precious, rare and endangered, or protected species, making this guide of special importance for plant preservation in Hong Kong, as well as for botanists, plant lovers, and illustrators. The botanical illustrations are all based on many years of field observation, plant dissection, vouchers and collected specimens of the Shiu-Ying Hu Herbarium at the Chinese University of Hong Kong, and have been authenticated by professional botanists and illustrated by botanical artists. This book is also a very useful reference for STEAM education, with a helpful guide that provides a variety of suggested activities for primary and secondary school teachers to use in their classrooms, helping teachers to organize classes in a way that encourages students' interest in science through the integration of plants, art and technology.</p>

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Exchange Rates in a Stochastic Discount Factor Framework 15. Volatility and Correlation Timing in Active Currency Management Part III. FX Markets and Products 16. Is There a Premium for Currency Investing (Beta) 17. Is There Skill or Alpha in Currency Investing? 18. Currency Hedging for International Bond and Equity Investors 19. FX Reserve Management 20. High frequency finance: Using scaling laws to build trading models 21. Algorithmic Execution in Foreign Exchange 22. Foreign Exchange Strategy Based Products 23. Foreign exchange futures, forwards and swaps 24. Options and Volatility Derivatives Part IV. FX Markets and Policy 25. A Common Framework for Thinking about Currency Crises 26. Official Intervention in the Foreign Exchange Market 27. Exchange Rate Misalignment - The Case of the Chinese Renminbi.

Sommario/riassunto

"Handbook of Exchange Rates is an impressive compilation of research from more than thirty-five leading researchers and experts on the topic. The book is clearly organized into five succinct sections that explore the foreign exchange (FX) market, from its background and economic foundation to current practices, obstacles, and policies in the modern foreign exchange market. Part I presents an overview of the history of the FX market and exchange rate regimes, the key instruments/players in the FX trading environment, and both macro and micro approaches to FX determination. Next, Part II focuses on forecasting exchange rates, featuring methodological contributions on the statistical methods for evaluating forecast performance, parity relationships, fair value models, and flow-based models. Part III treats FX as an asset class, outlining active currency management, currency hedging, hedge accounting, high frequency and algorithmic trading in FX, and FX strategy-based products. Part IV discusses products and pricing in FX, the FX options market, and volatility derivatives. Finally, the book concludes with a section on FX markets and policy, prediction and management of FX crises, FX regimes and policy; regulation in FX market that also features discussion of the effects of exchange rate regime choice on international trade. Each chapter follows the same easy-to-follow format. Following an introduction, a description of theory is presented along with key formulae. Next, the discussed theory is applied to a real data set and accompanied with illustrative descriptions. Exercises and real-world examples from the finance industry are spread throughout each chapter, and a summary provides a brief overview of main points and concepts"--
