

FXCM

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Ensign includes real-time Forex quotes from FXCM. The FXCM feed sends many currency pairs shown below in the table with the letter 'F'. The FXCM quote page can show these pairs and their inverse relationships shown in the table with the letter 'f'. For example, the feed sends EUR/USD, but Ensign can also show the inverse USD/EUR symbol and price if the 'Show Inverse Pair' box is checked.

	AUD	CAD	CHF	CNH	EUR	GBP	HKD	JPY	MXN	NOK	NZD	SEK	TRY	USD	ZAR
AUD	-	F	F		f	f		F			F			F	
CAD	f	-	F		f	f		F			f			f	
CHF	f	f	-		f	f		F			f			f	
CNH				-											f
EUR	F	F	F		-	F		F		F	F	F	F	F	
GBP	F	F	F		f	-		F			F			F	
HKD							-								f
JPY	f	f	f		f	f		-			f	f	f	f	f
MXN									-						f
NOK					f					-					f
NZD	f	F	F		f	f		F			-			F	
SEK					f			F				-		f	
TRY					f			F					-	f	
USD	f	F	F	F	f	f	F	F	F	F	f	F	F	-	F
ZAR								F						f	-

The real-time feed from FXCM updates with every change in a Bid or Ask. Ensign is charting the Bid prices. Ensign's implementation also has a refresh capability for tick based charts, intra-day, daily, weekly and monthly charts. Tick refresh is available for the last 250,000 ticks on each symbol pair. Intra-day refresh is available for the last 4 months. Daily, weekly and monthly refresh is available for the last 15 years for most symbols.

Ensign's FXCM feed also has these index symbols. The symbols must be entered in Ensign using upper and lower case letters, exactly as shown on this list. Example: USOil is correct, while USOIL is wrong.

Symbol	Underlying
AUS200	S&P/ASX index of Australian listed shares
Bund	Euro-Bund
CHN50	SGX FTSE China A50 Future
Copper	Copper
ESP35	IBEX 35 index of Spanish listed shares
EUSTX50	Euro Stoxx 50 Index of European listed shares
FRA40	CAC 40 index of French listed shares
GER30	DAX index of German listed shares
HKG33	Hang Seng index of Hong Kong listed shares
JPN225	Nikkei 225 index of Japanese listed shares
NAS100	Nasdaq 100 index of US listed shares
NGAS	Natural Gas (Henry Hub)
SPX500	S&P 500 index of US listed shares
UK100	FTSE 100 index of UK listed shares
UKOil	Crude Oil (Brent)
US2000	Russell 2000 Index
US30	Index of top 30 shares on Wall Street
USDOLLAR	US Dollar Index
USOil	Crude Oil (WTI)
XAG/USD	Silver
XAU/USD	Gold

Volume

User: It is quite unusual to see volume with Forex symbols and I've been looking back through the historical data and the volume information seems quite useful information from a technical analysis point of view. Is this the volume for all of FXCM trading for a particular symbol?

Ensign: The FXCM feed does not have any volume information. However, Ensign uses a volume of 1 for each price, so what you are seeing is really a tick count. That is useful, like real volume would be, to show periods of increased activity. The activity is that from the FXCM order desk and is independent of what might be happening to Forex trading at other clearing firms.