

# **Rithmic Connection Guide**

#### Step 1: Download Rithmic R | Trader Pro

To begin, download the **Rithmic R | Trader Pro** platform using the link provided <u>HERE</u>.

- On the download page, look for the "Download R | Trader Pro" button.
- Ensure that you download R|Trader Pro Version 17.42.0.0 or higher to avoid compatibility issues.
- **Please note:** R | Trader Pro<sup>™</sup> is built for and runs on Windows machines only.



## Step 2: Download Rithmic R | Trader Pro

Once you click the R Trader Pro link then an executable file will be downloaded onto your computer. Once downloaded, open the executable file and install the R|Trader Pro platform.

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# Once you have installed the software, please follow these instructions when logging in for the first time:

- 1. Open the R | Trader Pro application.
- 2. Click on **'Remember Me'** so the system saves your credentials and you don't have to enter them each time you log in.
- 3. Orders: Ensure this is turned [On]
- 4. Leave Selective Load turned OFF.
- 5. Copy and paste your **Rithmic ID** and **Password in both sections**.
- 6. Set the **System** to: **PropShopTrader**.
- 7. Set the Gateway to: Chicago Area or the area closest to you.
- 8. Market Data: Ensure this is turned [On]. Use the same credentials as above.
- 9. **Allow Plugins**: Click on **'Allow Plugins'** to turn this feature **ON**. This enables position syncing between Rithmic and your external trading platform.

A Note: To ensure seamless position management—especially if one platform is not responding—you must enable 'Allow Plugins' (or 'Use Plugin Mode') on both platforms so that you can close or modify positions on the platform that is working.



#### **Step 3: Sign the Required Agreements**

Upon your first login, click **Login** and complete the signing of **two mandatory agreements**:

Document	Туре	Published	Submit By	Status	Date
Rithmic, LLC Market Data Subscription Agreement	Mandatory	18-Apr-2014	Prior to Next Login		
Rithmic, LLC Market Data Self-Certification	Mandatory	18-Apr-2014	Prior to Next Login		

#### 1. Data Subscription Agreement

- Read through the agreement carefully.
- Click 'I Agree' to accept the terms and proceed.

#### 2. Market Data Self-Certification

- Review the document and select your correct classification:
  - Select 'Non-Professional' and submit if trading for personal use and not affiliated with a financial institution.
  - Select 'Professional' and submit only if you meet the qualifying criteria:
    - You hold a valid financial license
    - You are **employed** by a financial or trading firm
    - You use market data on behalf of a company, business, or institution





Need more clarity or have questions?

Check out our Market Data Fees, Professional Status & Level 2 Access FAQ

## After Signing the Agreements

Once you have agreed to the contracts, **R | Trader Pro** will launch and display a blank screen. You can **customize your workspace** by selecting the available applications from the **left-hand side panel** of the program.



That's it! You're now ready to connect your PST Rithmic data to your preferred trading platform.