

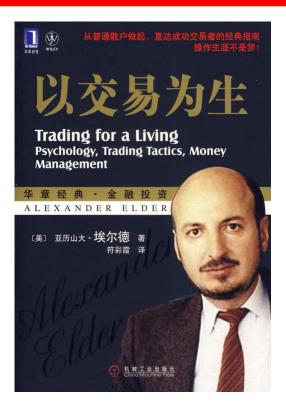
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ALEXANDER ELDER'S "TRIPLE SCREEN" STRATEGY

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Trading for a Living.
Psychology, Trading Tactics, Money Management.

Presentation plan



- 1. Brief introduction to the strategy
- 2. Trend direction on different time frames
- 3. Conflicting signals of technical indicators
- 4. Strategy rules
 - a) Defining the direction of major trend
 - b) Defining the end of correction
 - c) Market entry technique
 - d) Position management
- 5. Practical examples

Problem #1: Trend direction





Different trends on different time trames





Problem # 2: Technical Indicators



 Trend Indicators: MA, Alligator, Ichimoku, Bollinger Bands, ADX

2. Oscillators: Stochastic, RSI, Momentum, CCI, MACD

3. Other Indicators: Volume, ATR

Conflicting signals of technical indicators





Charles Dow Theory



Major trend

Intermediate (secondary) trend

Short-term trend





Intermediate (secondary) trend





Short-term trend







Long (4-5 times longer than Medium)

Medium

Short (4-5 times shorter than Medium)



Monthly Weekly Daily



Weekly Daily 4(6)H

Choosing the right time frames



1H 10(15)M 2(3)M



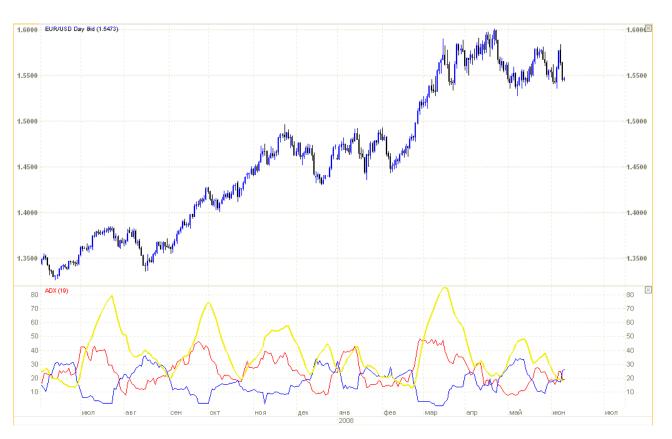
DEFINING THE MAJOR TREND DIRECTION

Moving Average (MA)









Alligator





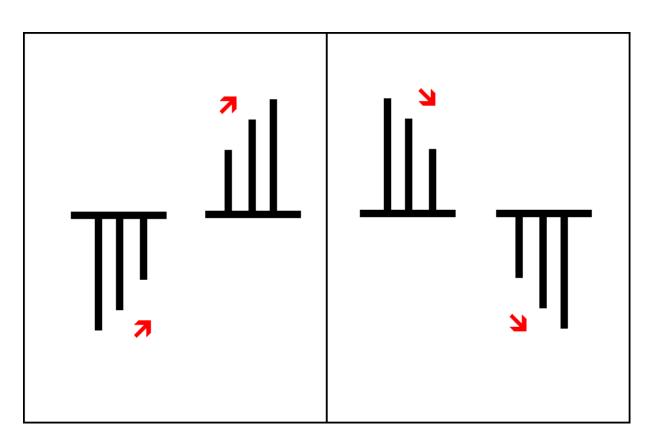
Ichimoku





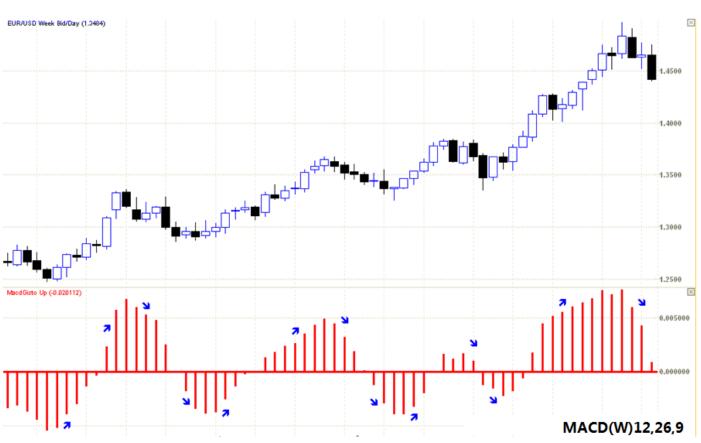
A. Elder's Method: MACD Histogram





Defining Major Trend Direction





Defining Major Trend Direction







DEFINING CORRECTION ON MEDIUM TIME FRAME

A. Elder's Method: Force Index



Force Index [t] = Volume [t] * (Close [t] - Close[t-1])

A. Elder's Method: Force Index





Defining Correction





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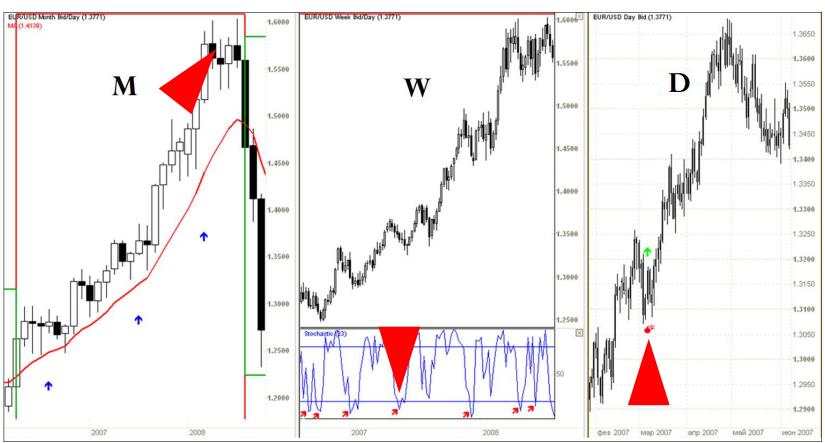




POSITION OPENING

"Triple Screen" Strategy





Opening a position





Opening a position







POSITION MANAGEMENT

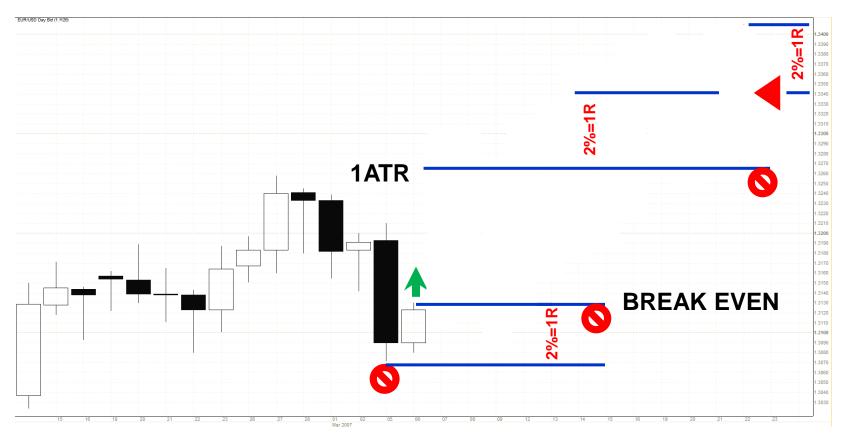
Position management (conservative)



- 1. Setting S/L order after position opening
- 2. Transferring S/L order from entry point to break even point after 1ATR move in price
- 3. Using a T/S with the limit of risk no more than 2% of total assets
- 4. Maintaining position until the major trend changes its direction or until the protective S/L order is executed

Position management (conservative)





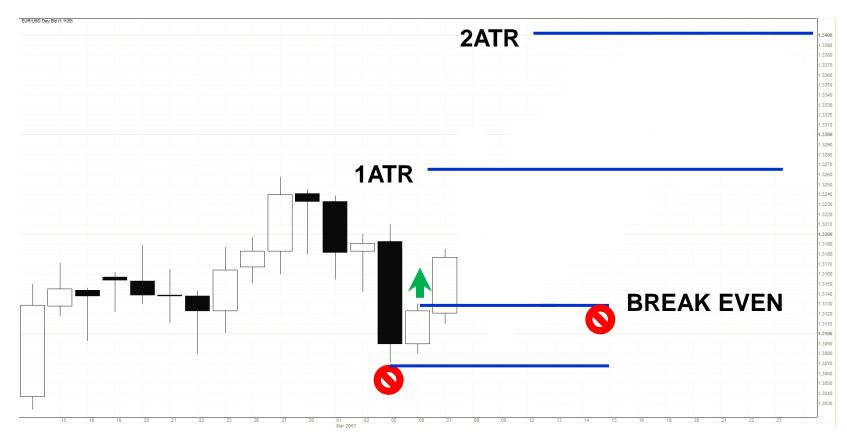
Position management (aggressive)



- 1. Setting S/L order after position opening
- 2. Transferring S/L order from entry point to break even point after 1ATR move in price
- 3. Protecting 50% of «paper» profits after 2ATR target is reached
- 4. Adding new position after new trading signal is generated on the second screen
- 5. Taking profits according to trading signals generated on the second screen (OB/OS)

Position management (aggressive)







SUMMARY

"Triple Screen" Strategy Signals



Weekly Trend	Daily Trend	Action	Order
Uptrend	Uptrend	Wait	No orders
Uptrend	Downtrend	Buy	Trailing Buy Stop
Downtrend	Downtrend	Wait	No orders
Downtrend	Uptrend	Sell	Trailing Sell Stop

"Triple Screen" Strategy (example #1)



- First Screen: MONTHLY
- (Trade Direction: LONG/SHORT/NO TRADE)
- **Indicator: EMA(M)13**
- **❖ Second Screen: WEEKLY**
- (End of Correction)
- Indicator: SS(W)4,1,1(20/80)
- **❖ Third Screen:** DAILY or <u>WEEKLY</u>
- (Entry Points)
- Indicator: no

"Triple Screen" Strategy (Screen #1)





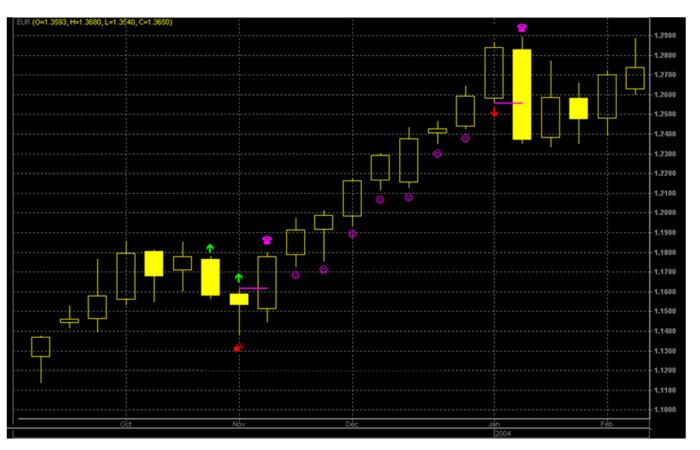
"Triple Screen " Strategy (Screen #2)





"Triple Screen " Strategy (Screen #3)





"Triple Screen" Strategy (example #2)



- First Screen: WEEKLY
- (Trade Direction: LONG/SHORT/NO TRADE)
- Indicator: EMA (W) 13
- **Second Screen: DAILY**
- (End of Correction)
- Indicator: SS(D)5,3,3 (20/80)
- ❖ Third Screen: 6H или DAILY
- (Entry Points)
- Indicator: no



THANK YOU!