



"I wished to live deliberately, to front only the essential facts of life, and see if I could not learn what it had to teach" Henry David Thoreau

I was doing some odd posts in EU thread as I was waiting for trades set-ups. Red himself pointed out his Price Action thread. I'm extremely grateful he did. What I discovered there was pure Gold in terms of trading.

I've started to read from the page 1 and was saving the charts and words, I thought will help me learning Price Action trading properly.

I decided to share my learning experience with anybody who is interested in PA trading. As Red says, in the spirit of Traders helping Traders. So I put all the collected charts and words in a PDF file for everybody to drive some benefit from it.

PDF file mostly, in fact about 98% of it contains charts of Red and other traders in Red's thread. Red's Army of Traders. However, these are not ordinary charts. Everything you need to know about Supply and Demand PA are on charts. What's more they are not for some theoretical teaching, but they show the actual trades, meaning they are posted shortly after entering to trade so that you can see how Red's concept of Price Action (PA) trading performs in real life.

I have put reference to identify charts to traders who posted them by putting their user name and page links/numbers on the chars. Non referenced charts are belongs to Red. If I miss anybody in this respect, I sincerely apologies.

All the credit goes to Red and his army of traders.

Red's "Price is Everything" thread URL is:

http://www.forexfactory.com/showthread.php?t=230888

I'll try to update/improve this messy PDF file as and when I get time to do so...

Have a good one..

ken.

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I am more or less a swing trader or range trader. They are essential engulfing whipsaw patterns at key levels and and work well in my trading plan. I also reduce all noise from my charts as its just a distraction to me. Hope you see these too and take advantage. They occur on all time frames and any pair. - Red









Pattern identified, switch to other template for stop placement and view other tech

How come your candles have no wicks on them?

I simply change the wick color to the same as the background, they are still there. The reason for doing this is so that I see the pattern without any distractions then I switch templates that include wicks, pivots and all the rest. But the patterns I trade are based on the candle close, the body which really represents the momentum, the wicks do matter and I do take them into consideration once I spot the pattern



Loony - Possible breakdown



Giving it a go, resistance turned into support with an engulfing candle, might hold for an intra scalp north



cable tech



Took 2/3 position out, leaving a 1/3 to run



Kiwi wedged. Will see how this resolves, could be a low risk long

Loony whipsaw bearish engulfing pattern



Under normal volume conditions I would sell this. Common whipsaw pattern I would trade



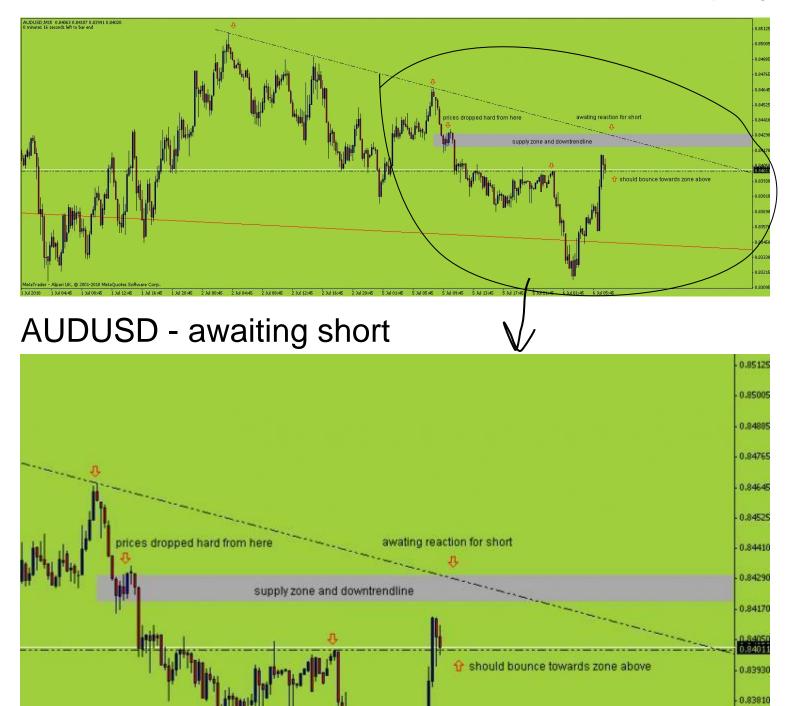






First tg reached, lowered stop slightly, exit 2/3 position, leaving 1/3 to run. Not moving to BE, market usually tests the orgin of the move, therefore leaving stop above the high. By taking 2/3 at this tg, the worst that can happen is I will be +1/3 even if my stop is taken because my first tg is bigger than my stop





0.83690

0.83570

0.83450

0.83330

0.83219



Not sure what this means, but interesting how prices react along tls they share























cable closed at tg

























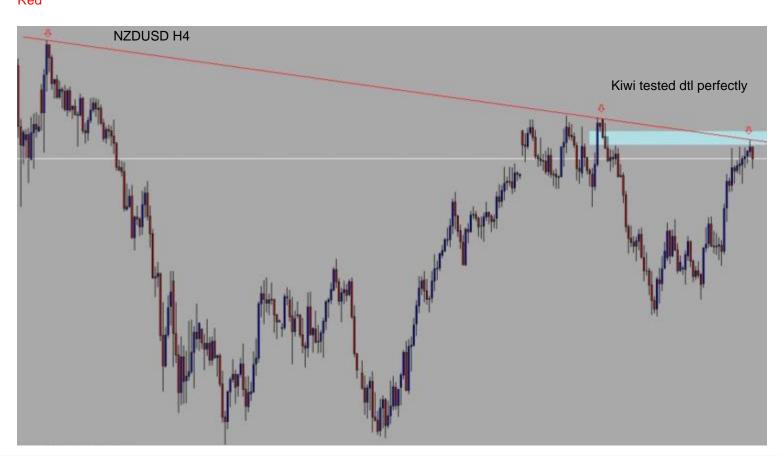


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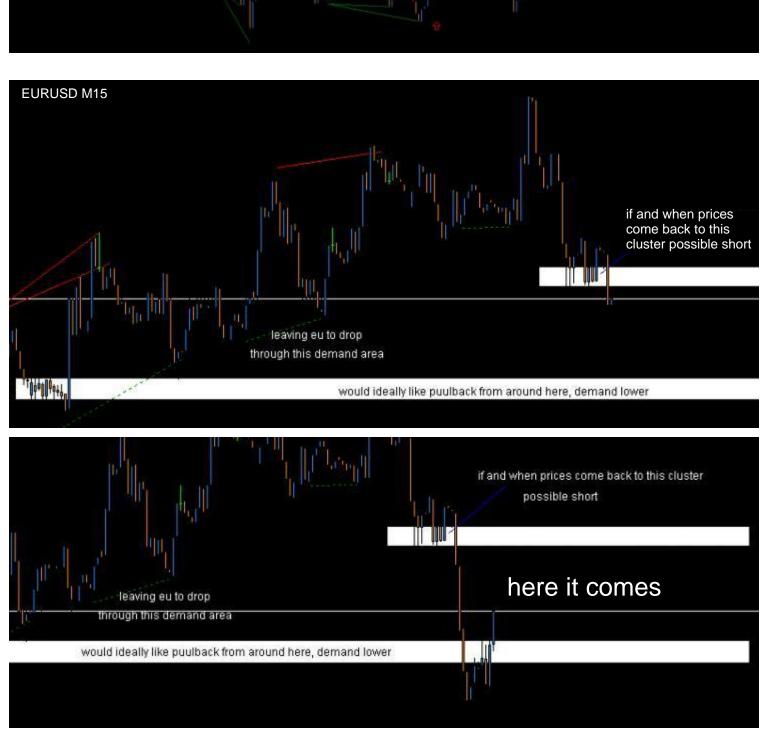
Hi Red,

If u see I did anything wrong or missing something just point it out. I love to learn new things and any critics are welcome for u or any others traders. Thanks for great thread. FX

I am still learning, its not about pointing out wrongs, its all about how you see the market. I see ihe market in a particular way, doesn't mean its right, so lets help each other catch this market Its not what we look at, its what we see Red

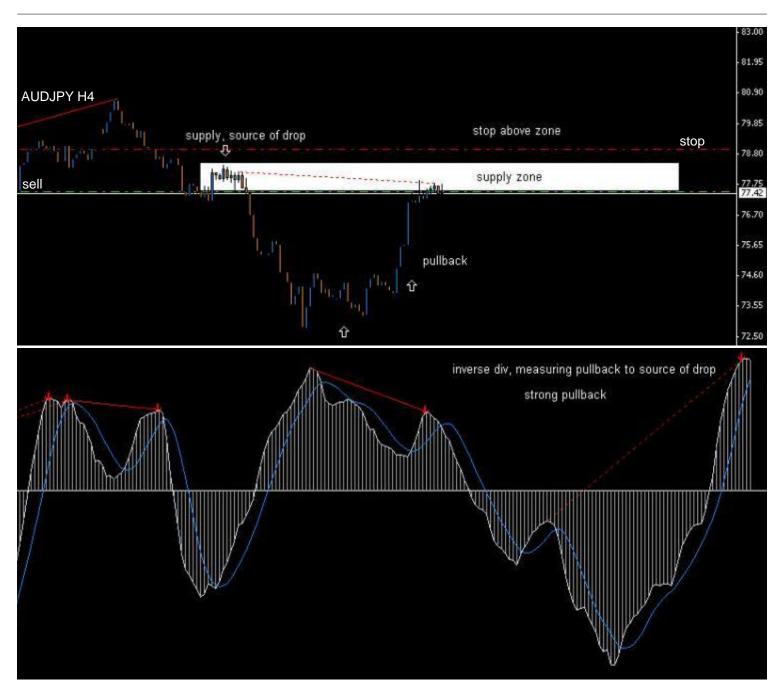








Posted this a while ago, now it is established after the cluster has resolved, there is a huge unbalance, demand exceeds supply. When prices return to the source of this rally, will be waiting for prices to give confirmation for a long



Good indicator



I have found this pair to be a good indicator regarding kiwi, its a headbanger to trade but I have traded it a few times. If it drops from these dtls (DOWNTRENDLINES) it usually suggets kiwi rallies, and therefore audusd usually follows and so on. I watch this often as a leading indicator and has proven useful over the years



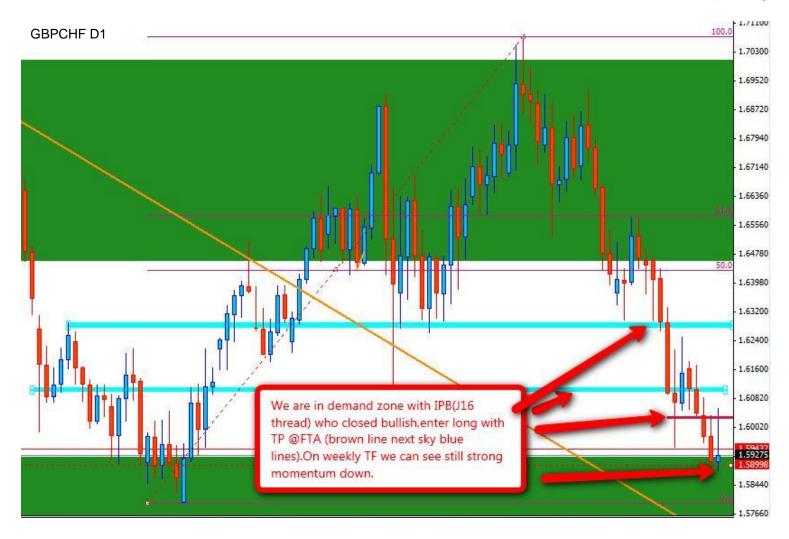
uj wedge Something to watch out for I think

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EURUSD H4







kiwi short













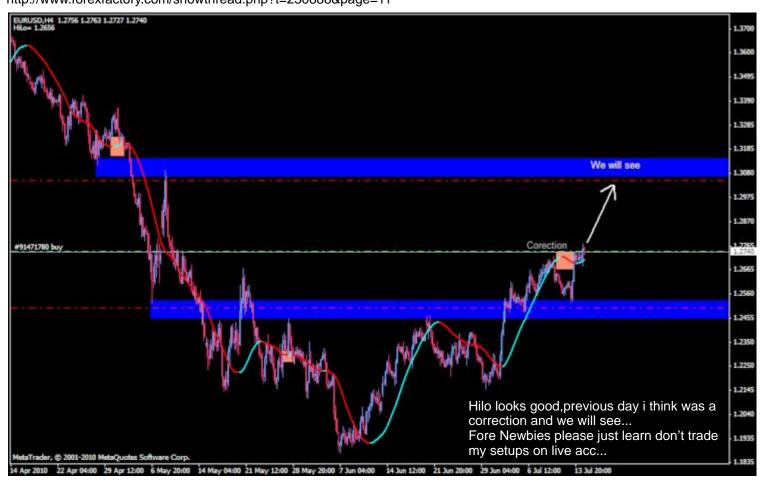








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Money Management











I once asked a question, the trader stated "the 200 ema gave support

I simply asked her/him, if you took the 200 ema OFF your chart WOULD PRICES FALL?





closed cable for a couple, too choppy, nothing clear





















Will see if this is still valid on market open, low risk short

Gold entry







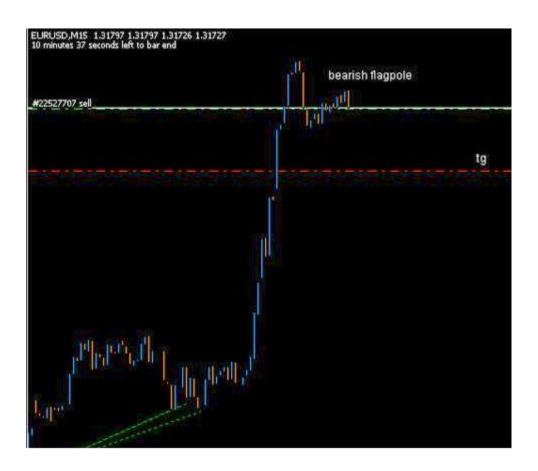


Scalped for now

Iplus3 http://www.forexfactory.com/showthread.php?t=230888&page=17



lets see if this works,, Oh Hell yeh baby,,, It took me a minute to figure out because the art program I downloaded kept pic to big to download.. cool anyway I thin it might be late in the day for this but it's what I was hoping for... Anyway now I know how to post charts.. See ya Monday everyone...



bought cable





Fundamentals

I believe that fundamentals are a vehicle used by the market makers to move prices to key supply and demand levels where they have placed limits ahead of time to be filled

sell the rumor buy the news, buy the rumor sell the news etc - leaks and all the rest of the stuff

its all reflected in patterns regardless in the price in the bars

I follow engulfing patterns, why?

Only institutions have enough money, volume, funds to create those patterns, engulfing represents the other side of trapped retail, if you get my meaning

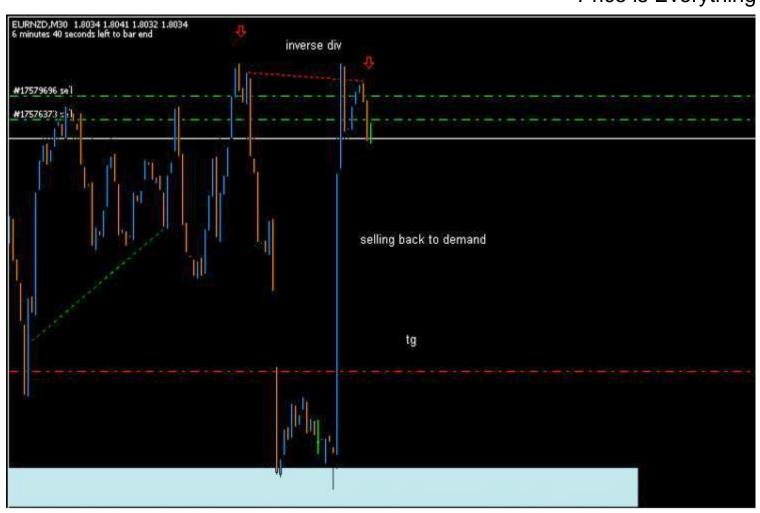
So, it makes market sense to follow the money, follow engulfing patterns for the right side, too simple a trading plan?

An example in real time



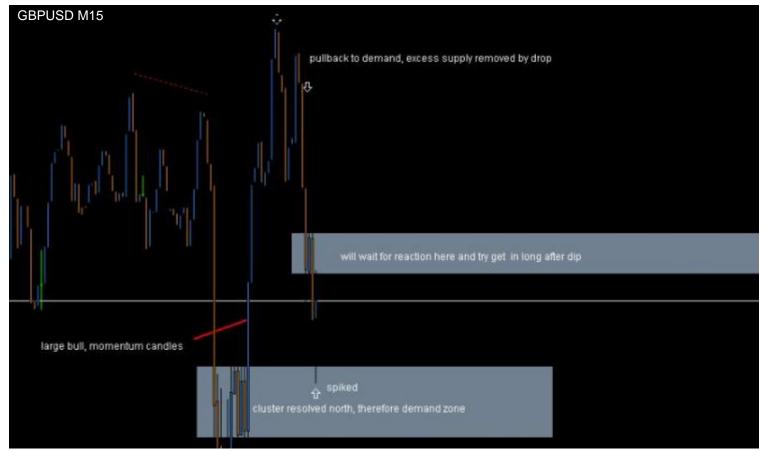


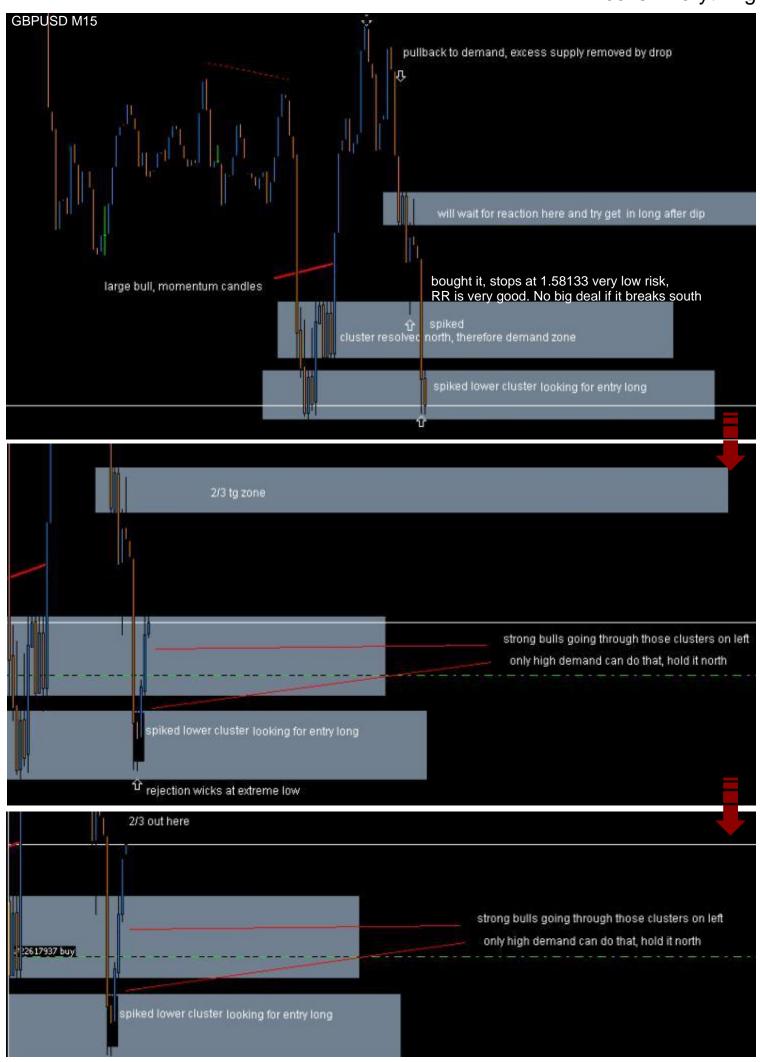
News is a distraction, many books and gurus are out there to sell this type of trading plan, go ahead and buy it, what you will eventually see is that all this news nonsense is REFLECTED IN ENGULFING PATTERNS @ SUPPLY AND DEMAND ZONES REGARDLESS

















Trading will challenge every molecule in your body and thought process. it does it with no regard for you because the market doesn't know you personally - Red



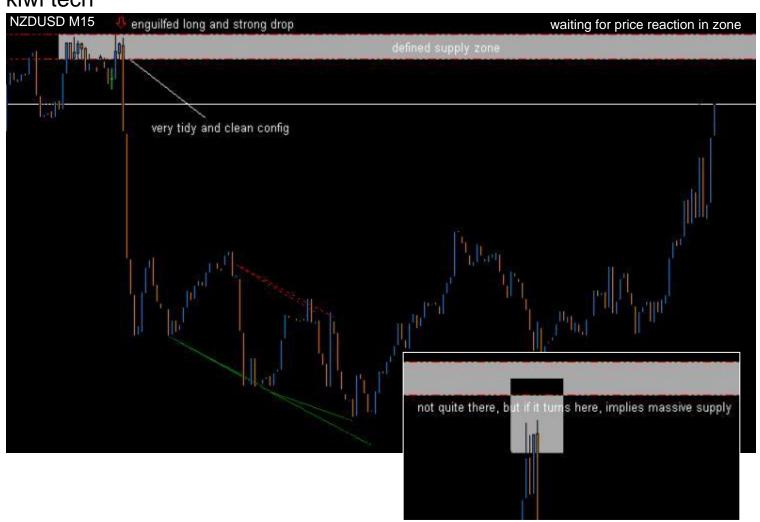




NFP is designed to give new price structure for us to trade and for the market makers to place buy and sell limits against retail, nothing to do with the actual figures.



kiwi tech

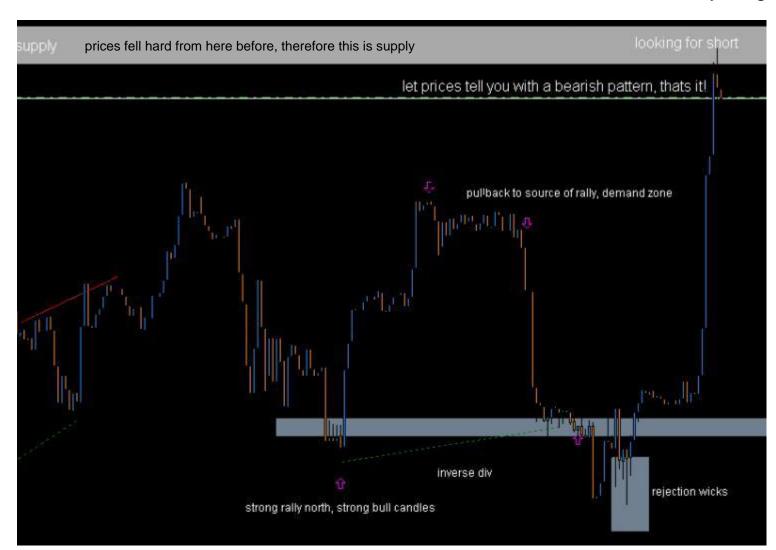


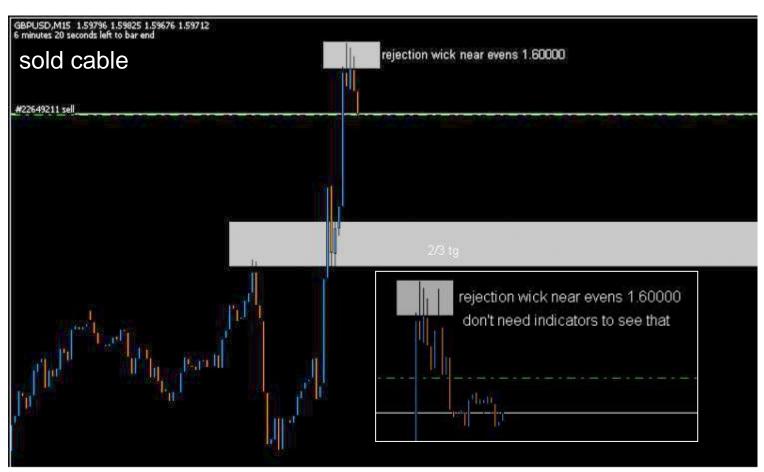




Look left, understand the left - trade to the hard right with conviction It doesn't matter what you look at, what matters is - what you see

Red





cable scalped Don't like the pace of this, out



price play













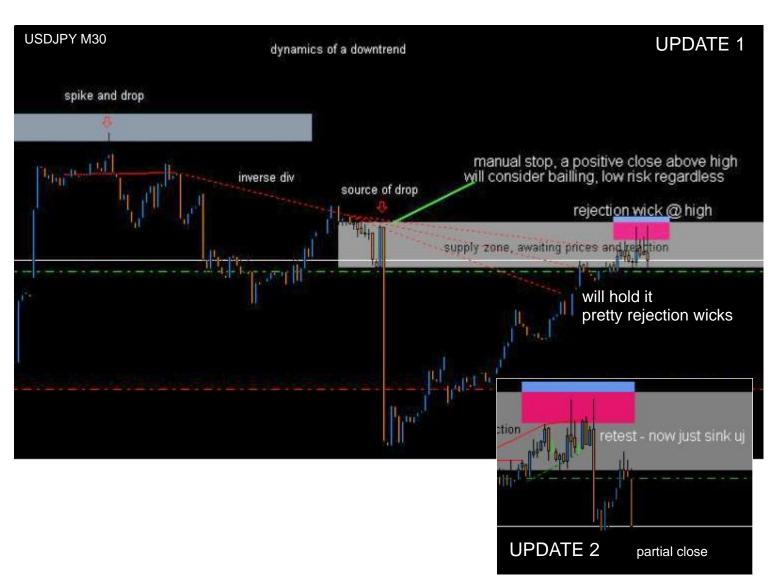




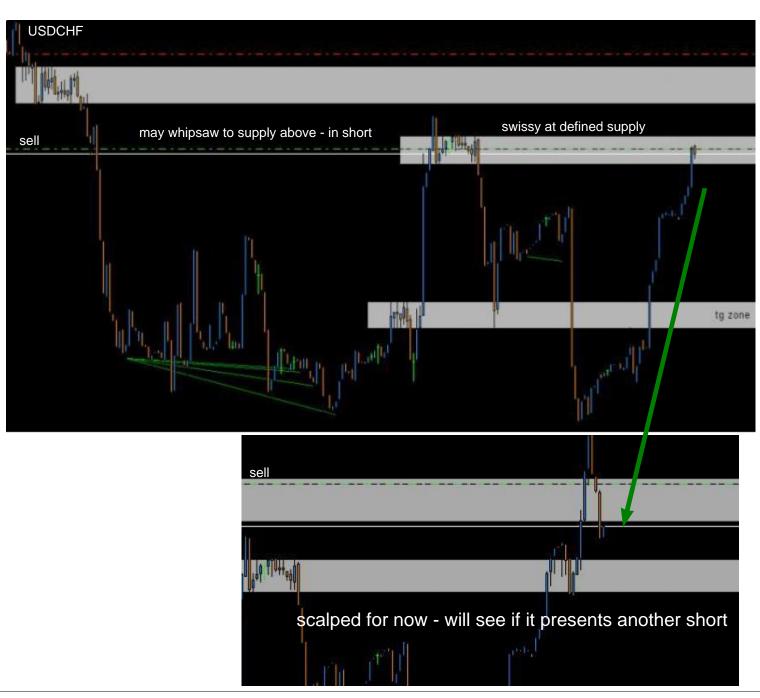
















priceaction

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Let's see if the Swissy has finally found a previous level of supply that it respects.

I like the fact that we have the combination of previous supply and a pierced Bollinger Band on the 4hr.



The Downtrend line - which was there away ahead of current time suggested Kiwi should correct now - watch kiwi. The tls on EN - I use as a leading indicator of the commodity pairs. If this is respected - kiwi and aud go north and loony corrects south-cadjpy goes north and soon. As EN tested dtl - dx was in supply zone too - random market ? - cough

EN - lets go bitch sink for me. - Red



swissy tech



eu tech and entry with dx confluence





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EURO INDEX







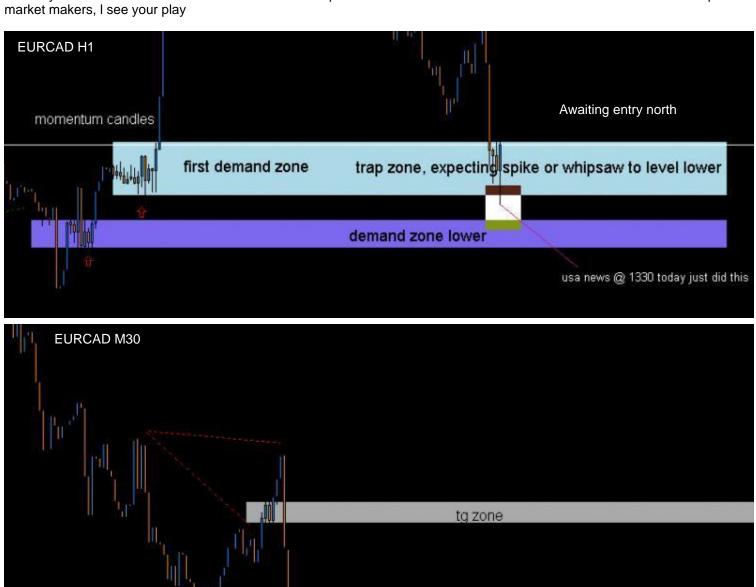


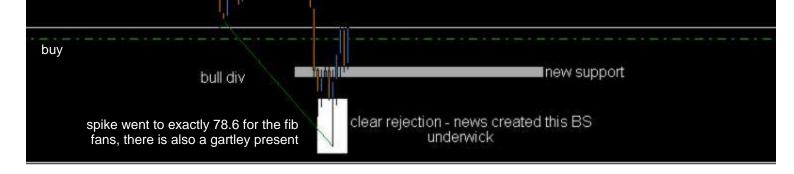


Exactly what happened on swissy this week - remember we were on it?

Ok - how to play it - you can buy the entry on first zone knowing it is a trap, place buy limits lower at extremes - this is one time I might be forced to use limits. If prices then turn at second zone your first entry will be like an add on to your llimits

Mark my words - there will be some BS news that will spike this asshole to lower zone and take out breakevens and stops market makers, I see your play

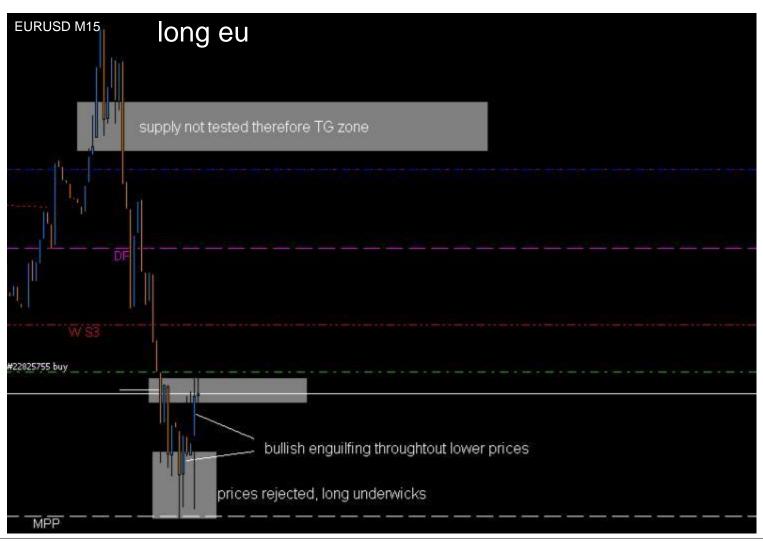












additional reasoning for eu long



Agreed with EU long, just what I was waiting for. BTW, would you mind explaining how to determine the correct target? Is it nearest supply IvI?
Regards,
snu.

nearest tg, will post charts with entries and explanations as I always do - this is the problem - every trade has its own mechanics - in other words its own character and I will do my best to show this with posts this week - however, supply goes to demand and so on - a lot easier when these areas are defined in price structure on the left, not always the case thou and thats where it gets a little subjective - Red



...... a good correlation indicator for this pair is loony and cadjpy. If loony is heading south and cadjpy north this implies Canadian dollar strength therefore gbpcad heads south. I use that when trading this pair - not traded it a lot but its got good structure just now

loony tech

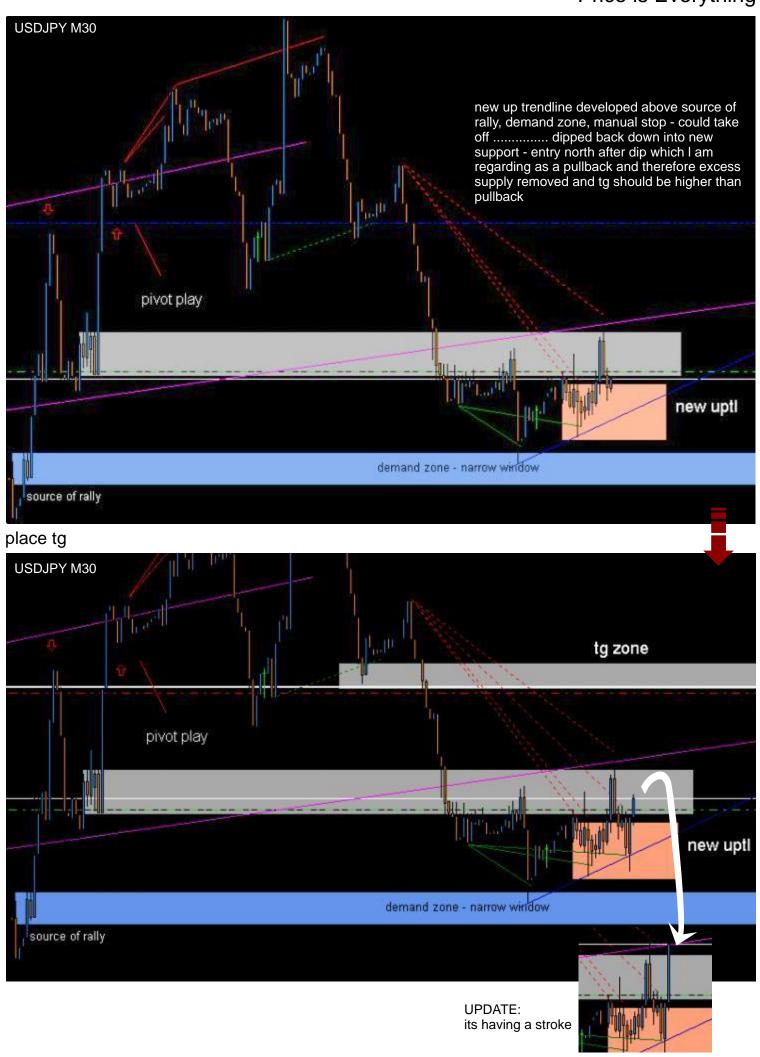


loony update











kiwi tech



sold kiwi





@be broker is really playing with spreads, doubt that it will stay alive - closed most of it

- Did you get in on this Red? - priceaction



- Not yet, waiting a little Red
- What are you waiting for? Retest, bearish OB or something else? priceaction
- I am still confused how you reckon h& s pattern will form? maknil
- just watch price play, see it rally a little, now it might top out they don't all look like text book versions Red







The books tell us to focus on the majors - they respect tech least off all - the brokers offer the lowest spreads on the majors so that you lose your money quicker.

The truth you think you know/believe is inverted to the actual truth.

- Red



bcoz most of your charts speaks different every time. - maknil

hmmmmmm

yes - you have hit on something

Ok, its all about the price STRUCTURE ON THE LEFT, and what we trade as price action on the right thats the key and reward

not going to be easy to just give way to you in one chart - every trader wants exact rules and a system

load of fcuking bullshit, how can you have a system with exact rules when news changes everyday - huh?

I have spent 16 - 18 hours a living day for almost 3 years constant

think I can sum all this up in a few charts?

Wishful and stupid - Red



your strategy is great with good discipline my question red what broker do you use and what lot size do you trade and the time frame you like to use. - fabreu

Hello,

broker Alpari UK, lots sizes vary according to RR and setup - this is relative to your own account size and what free margin is available, you might have several running trades and then another entry comes your way so the question isn't really easy to answer

I will switch tfs to find a price configuration I recognize, this can mean going from daily and scanning into the daily bars to find support or resistance or supply and demand levels which may appear on a 30min chart etc there isn't a set tf - its more a case of what tf has 2 levels that have clear supply and demand levels, then its a case of staying on that tf and trading the levels identified. - Red



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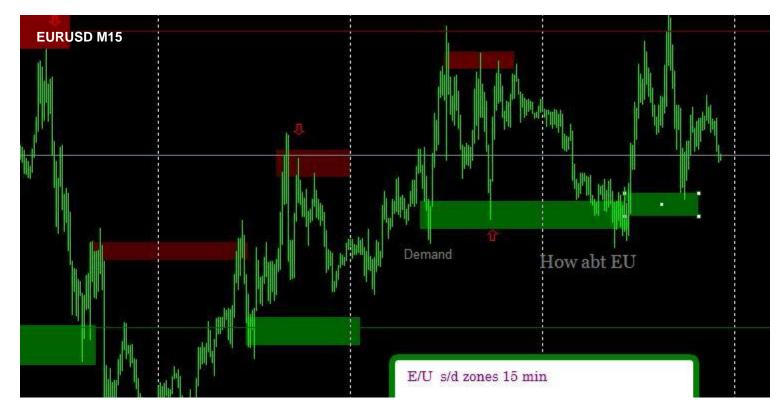
It looks good still running



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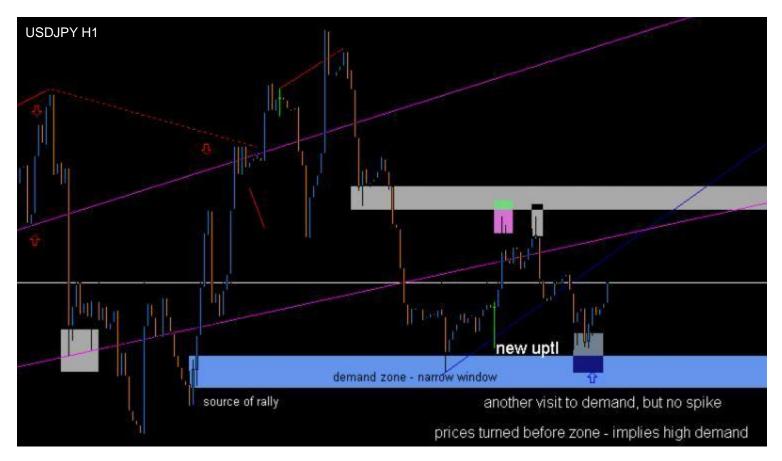












if and when prices dip into zone, will be watching for reaction and entry long









closed it, don't like the pace - missed my original tg by a few

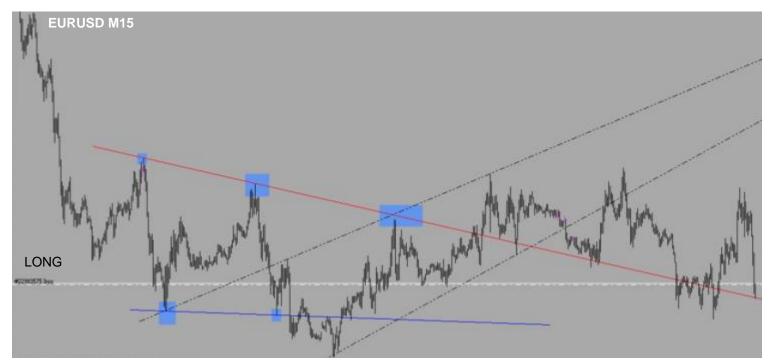


XAUUSD H4



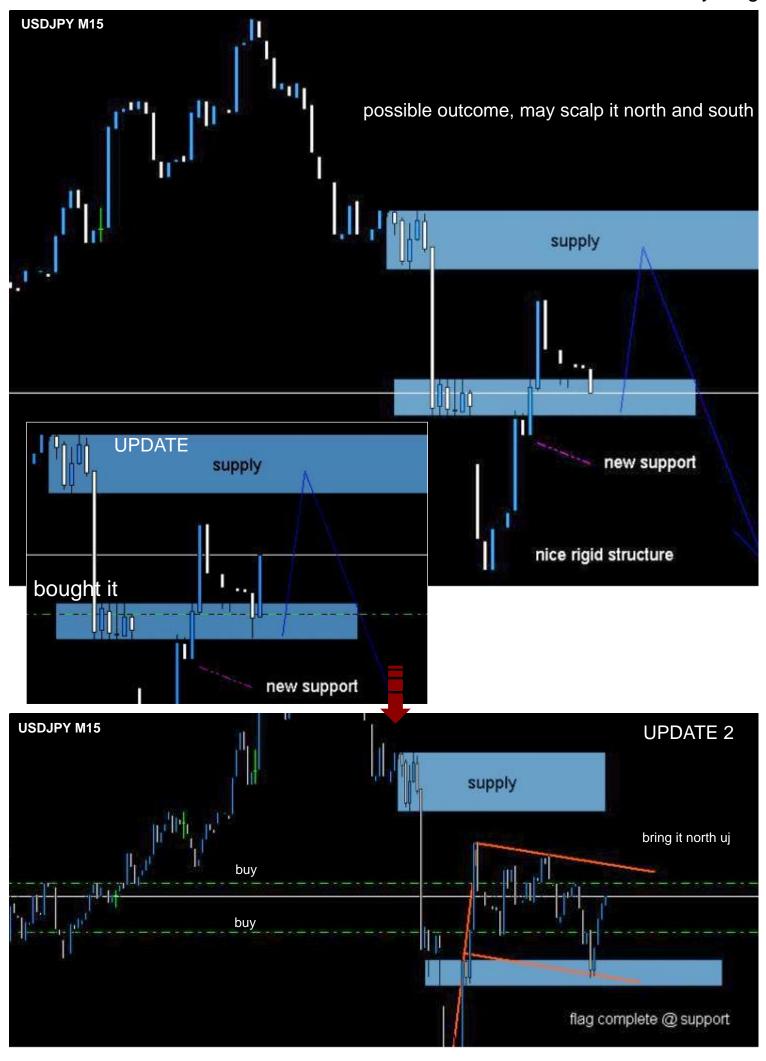




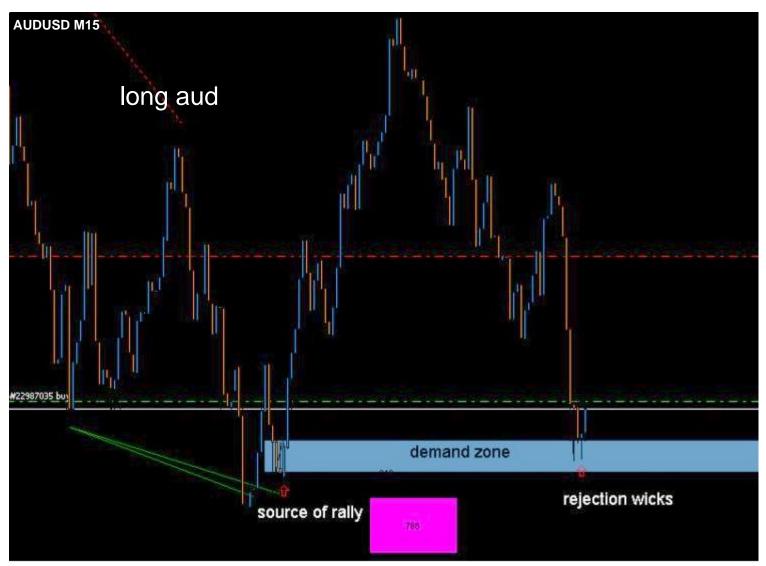


scalped - closed most of it

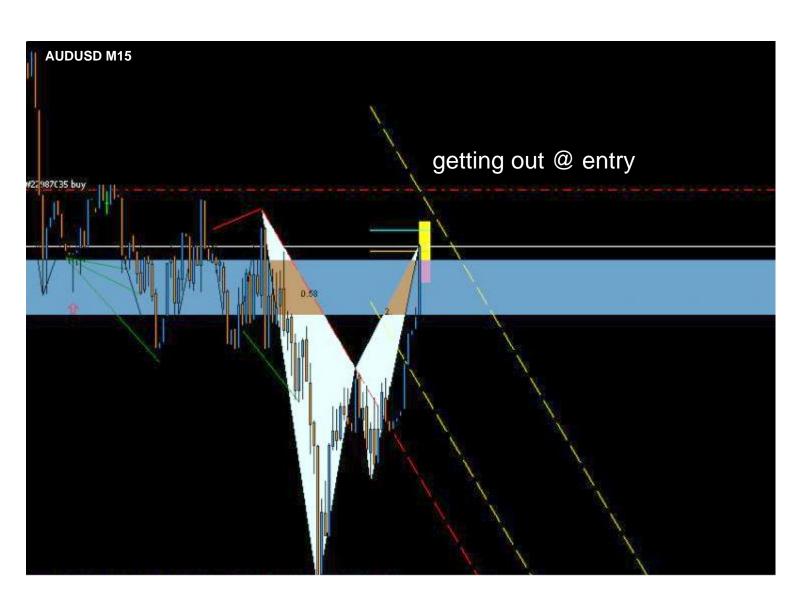














- anyone got thoughts on loony? Red
- buy 1.0420? powerlexus

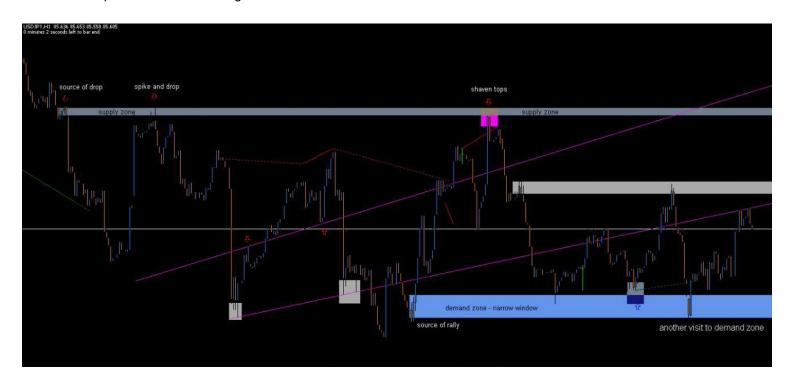


- agreed, want to short it to that zone too - Red

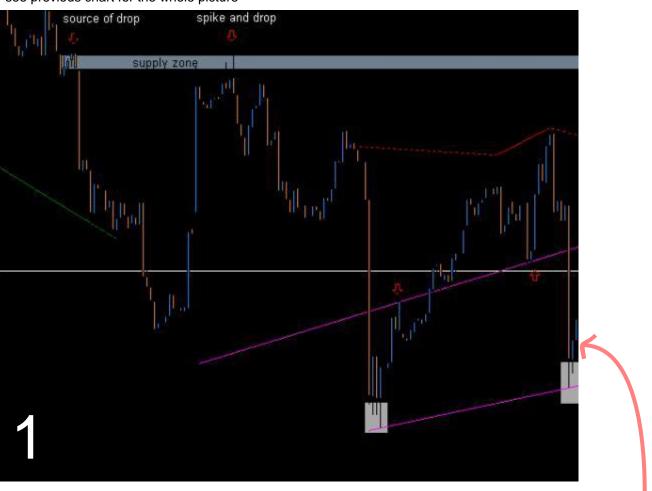


- Yes you can. You can describe in more detail the process of your analysis, the identifiable patterns on a chart that you look for, and an objective way to draw these areas etc. However, if you choose not to do so then that is an entirely different matter. - *A-game*

- Will demonstrate what I can on the live charts, not back testing, as traders we know looking back is always easy. Each trade has its own parameters and characteristics - moreover, before trading any pair I consider other factors too such as correlations or non correlations or inverted pairs as well as the dollar index. So writing down rigid rules to follow is just not possible. Identifying zones of supply and demand as I stated earlier is more to do with screen time - you can see these areas of interest easier with experience rather than rigid rules Red



interesting structure and is respecting zones above and below, will see how it develops for longs and shorts - Red





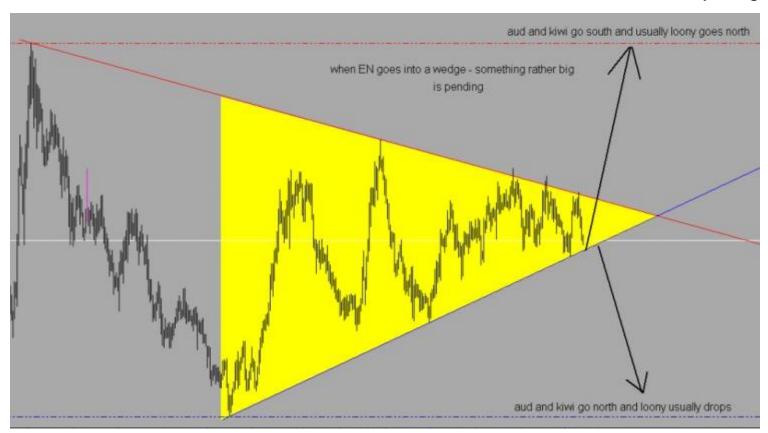


Ok, A-game show me what is confusing about this chart?

The next question is how to trade it, these 2 levels are very close together, the trend may appear to be south therefore most trend traders will short at supply zone - I will not

Because of that cluster below may develop into a support and therefore demand zone and the zones are close together its not easy to trade either way - let it resolve and see what prices tell us after these 2 levels resolve. From experience, its looks like it will break north as it is deep into demand on higher tfs - but let prices tell you

The pink line crossed the green line COUGH - Red

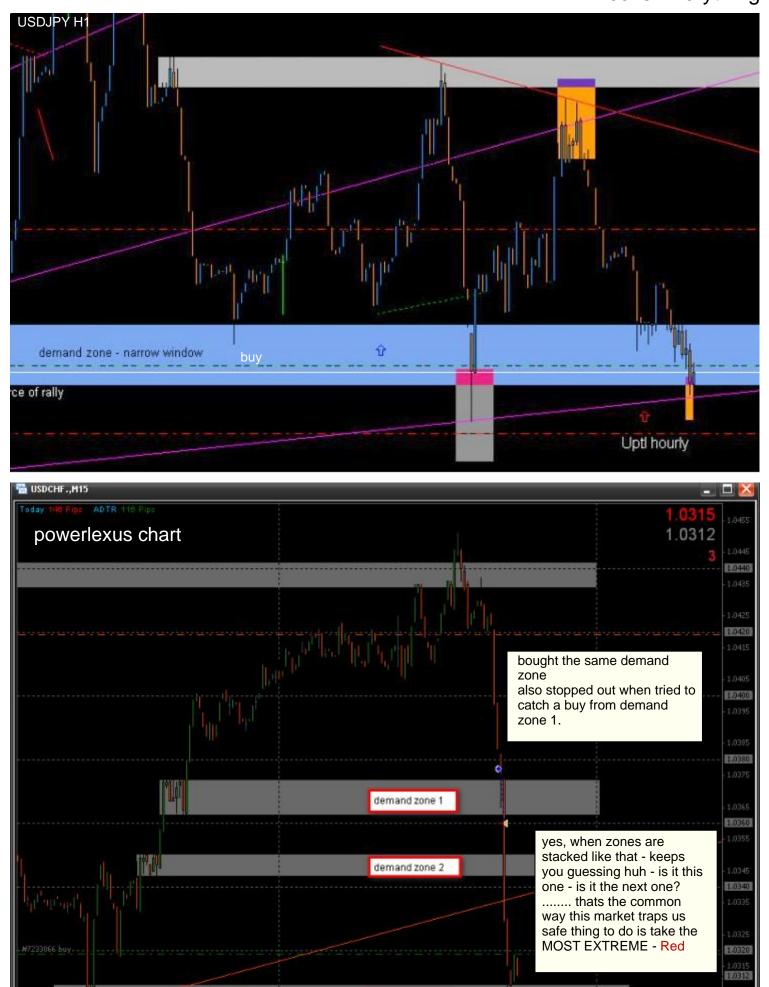


it won't be as clean cut as this but when this pair develops a wedge and a breakout configuration in both directions it usually goes like hell









demand zone 3



its complex for sure, best thing is to learn correlations, that takes a while but no doubt you will see it with time - also when taking gbpcad check eurcad if it also is at defined supply/demand zone

makes good sense to check other related pairs - nothing in this market is random Red























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EU waiting for south direction?



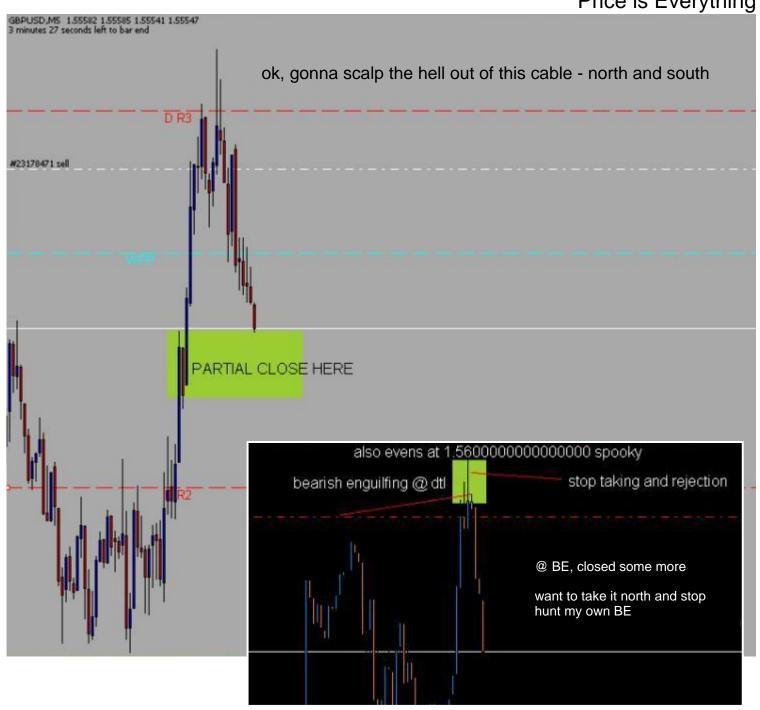
can't see a short, but let prices develop and tell us - no guessing this market - Red



Now wait for next supply zone? - litxus82

yes, I have that zone marked, lets wait and catch it south if prices tell us - Red







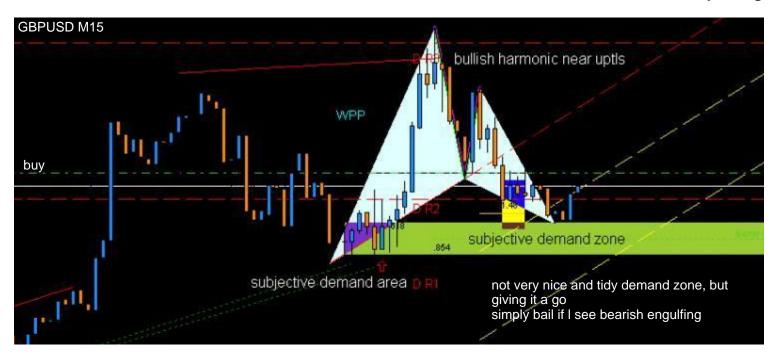
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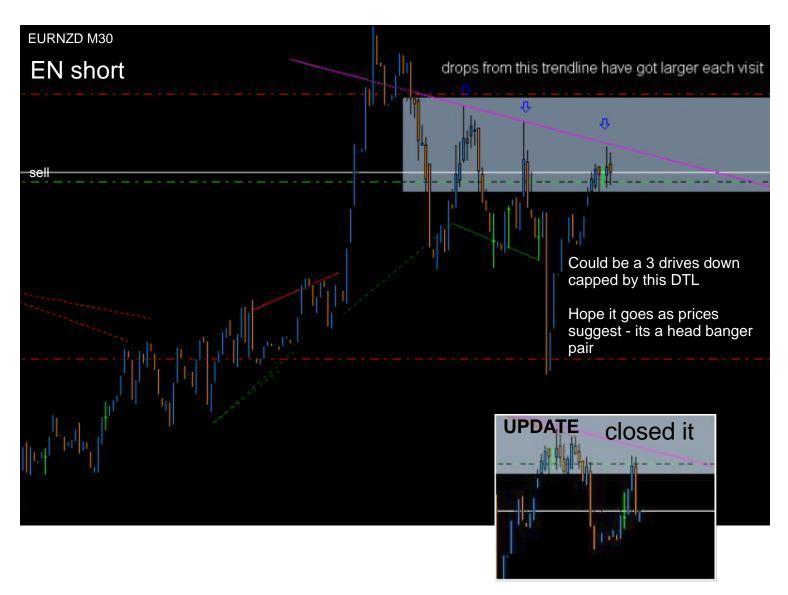
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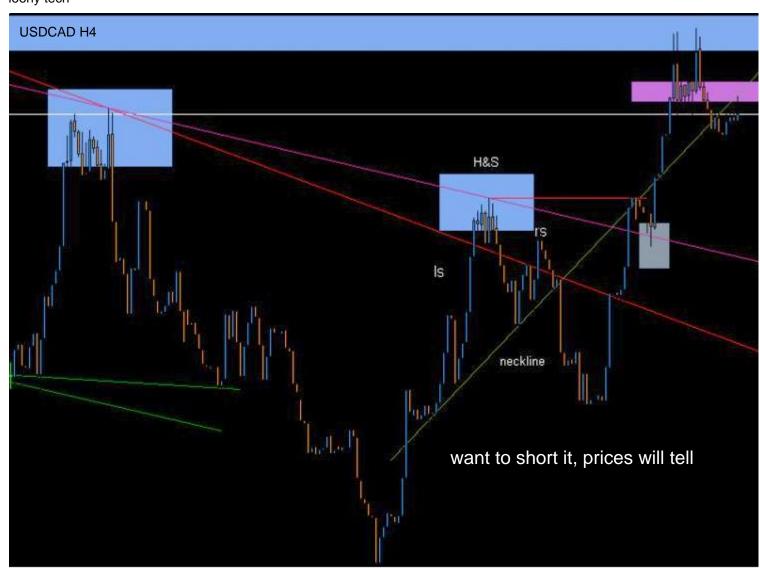


how about selling it to there? - Red









USDJPY M30





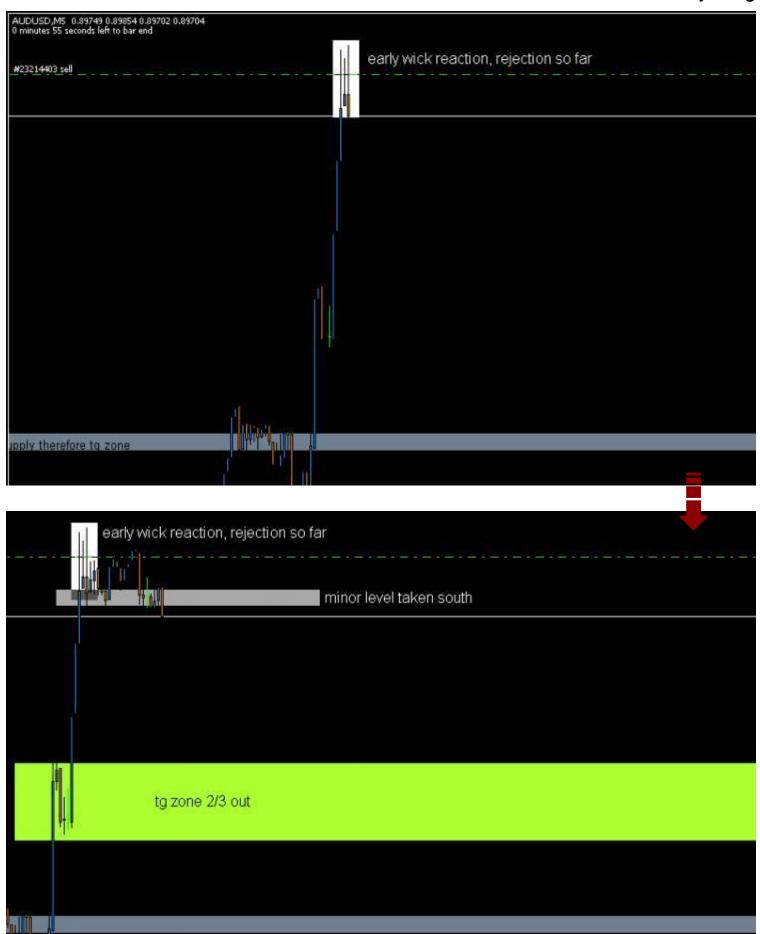
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anyone else short aud? - Red

I did. - powerlexus AUDUSD M5, H1







scalped aud, out

sensible to leave it until kiwi moves through, can always re enter

might have to leave it until next week - Red

UJ TECH







- Tell me redsword do you take fundamentals into consideration when looking for confirmation, or is your method purely technical? - *A-game*

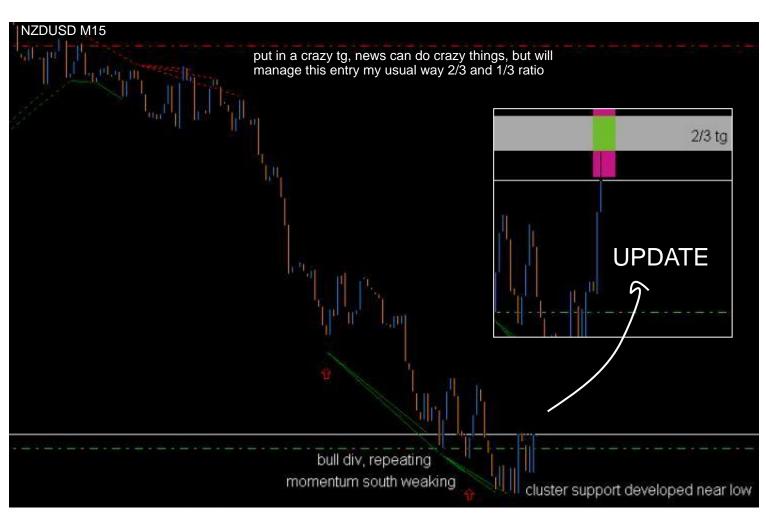
I don't trade news, rather - let the news move prices to levels of interest, then trade the levels that exisit between supply and demand

I regard news as simply a means of moving price to key levels where the instutions have already placed their limit orders ahead of the news etc















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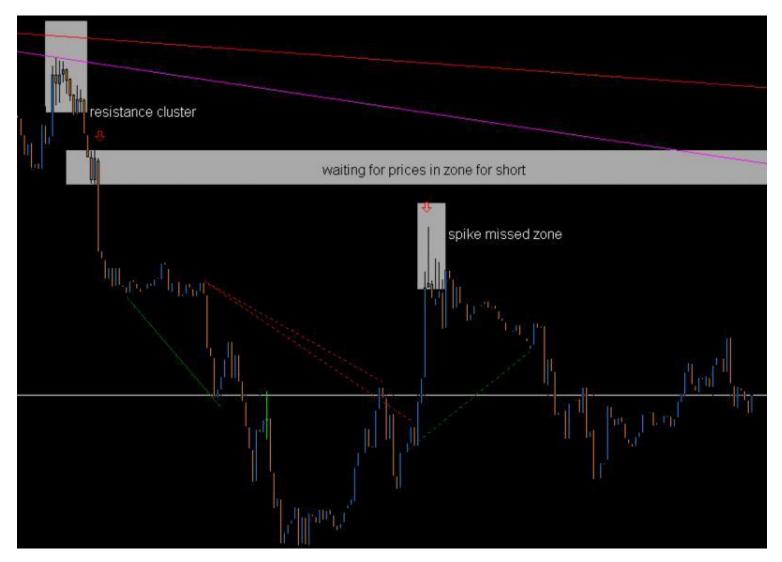


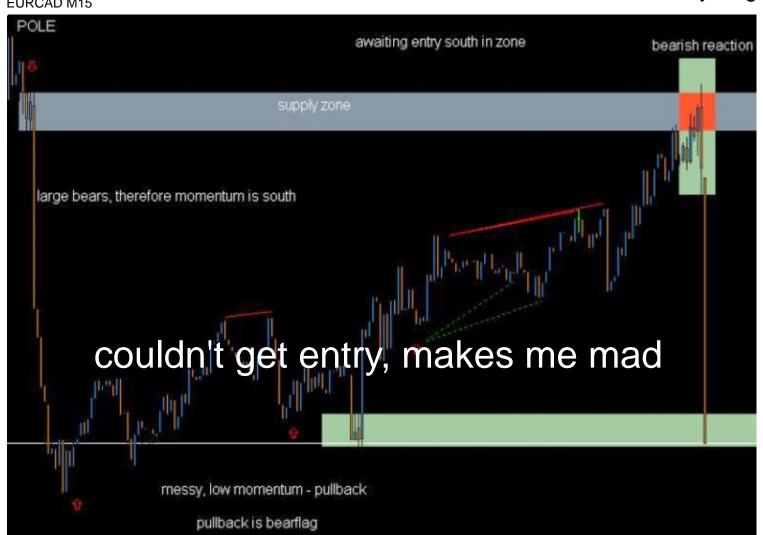








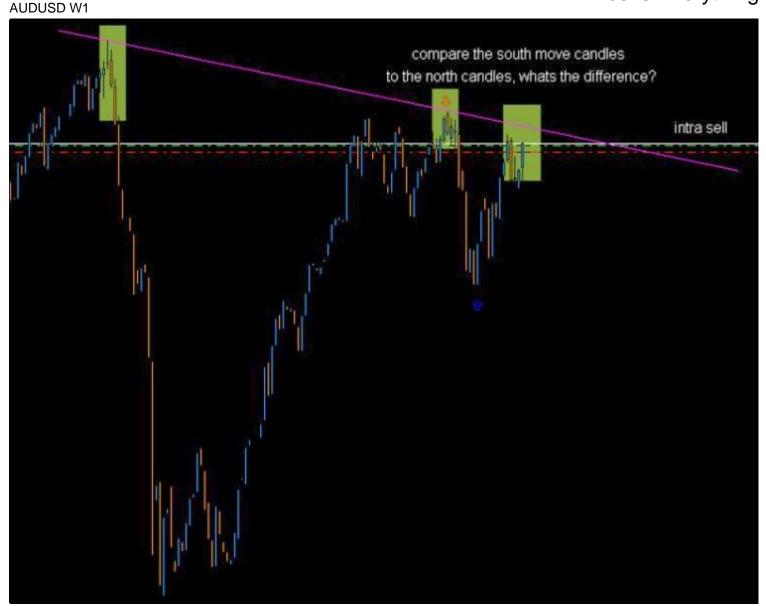






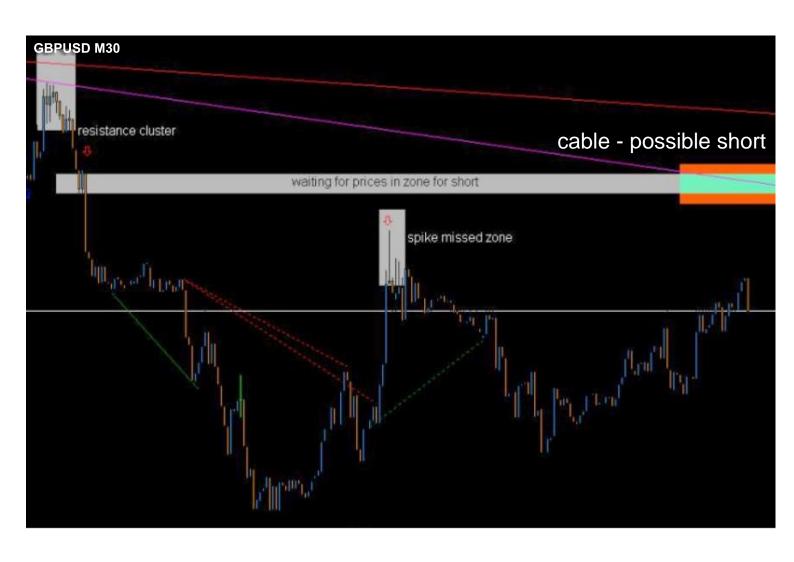




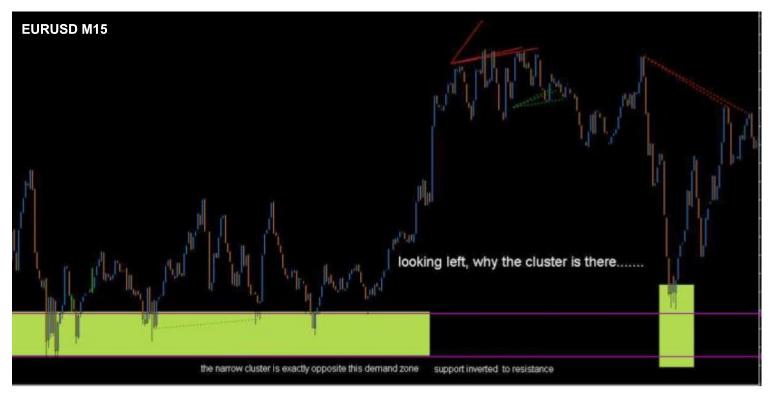












Hi,

Why dont you trade the Majors on this? I have been visually back testing, the winners are greater than the losers... Do you also use a volume indicator to help see the volume? - ozzieb88

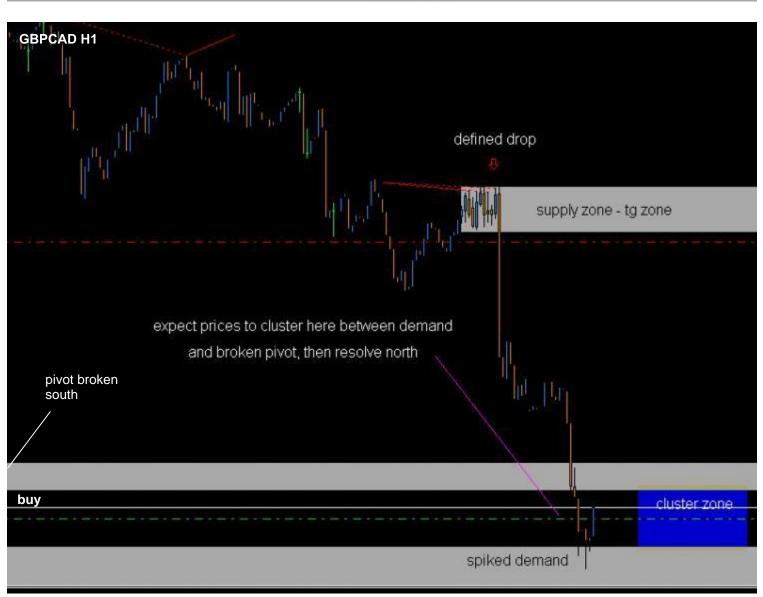
Not the biggest fan of the majors as they respect tech least of all in my trading experience - correlations and rigid price structure is what I like to focus on, if the majors have a structure I like I will trade them too

I don't use volume - Red











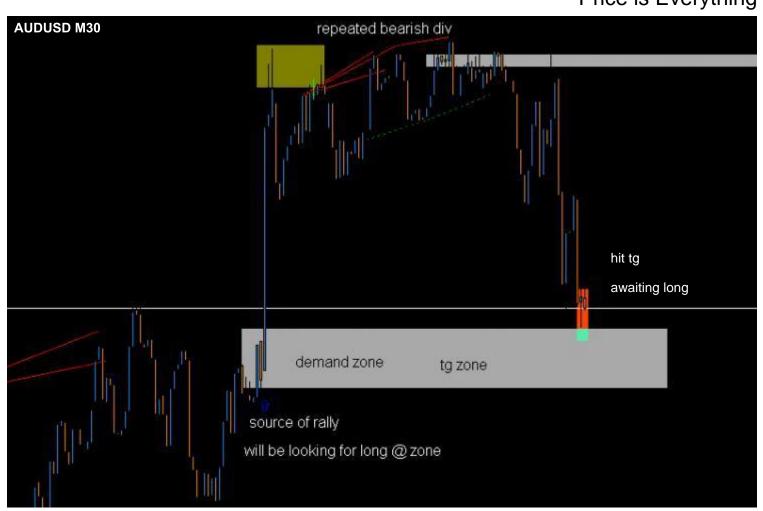


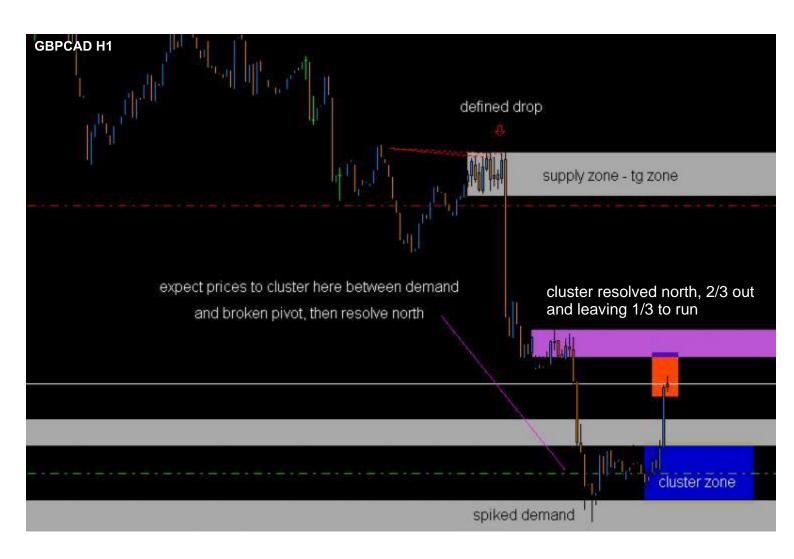




















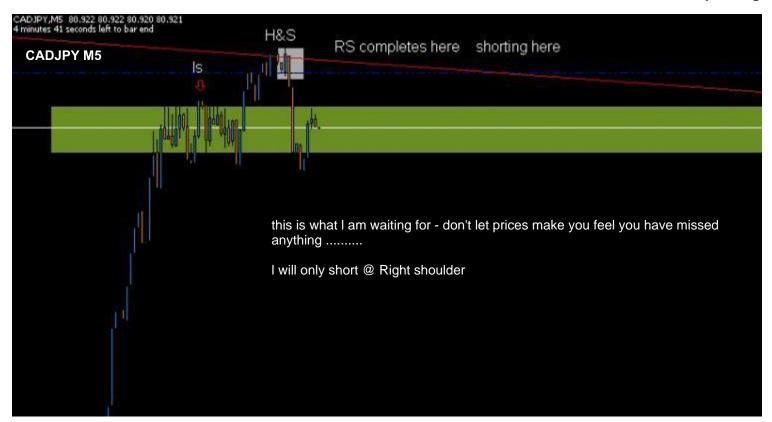












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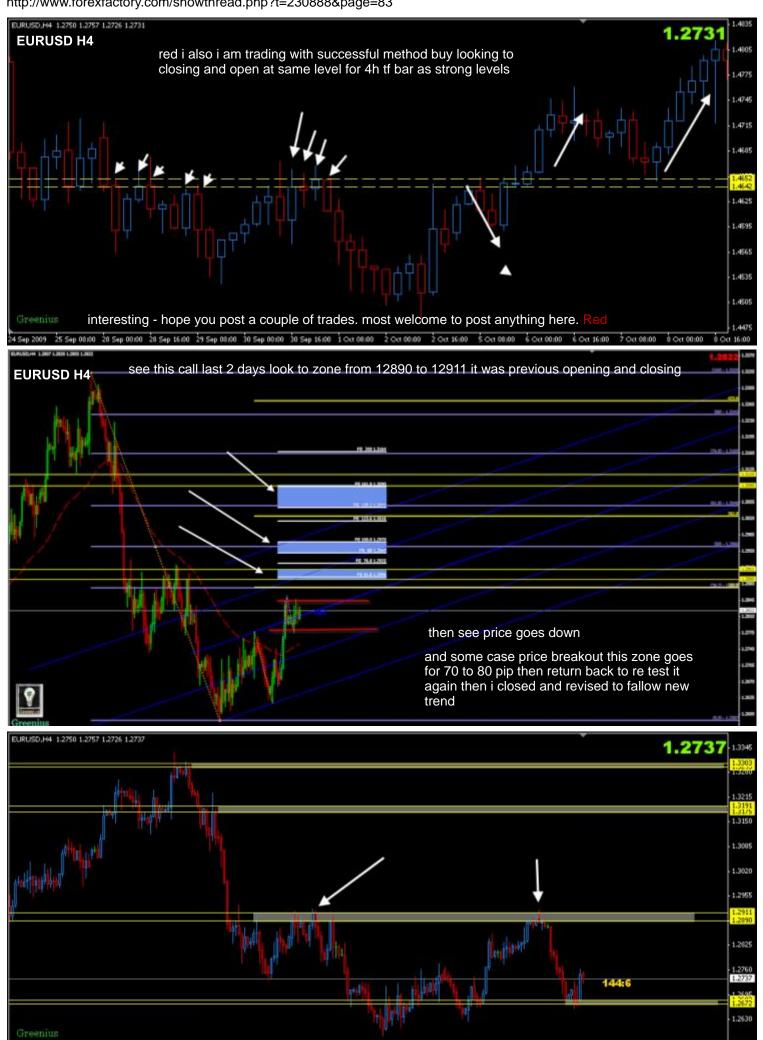


Hev red.

Could you pls elaborate on how you defined the range (pink lines) here an is this a historical demand zone along with a PPZ/support.? Thanks. - *MktScape*

its simply where there is massive enguilfing - thats all

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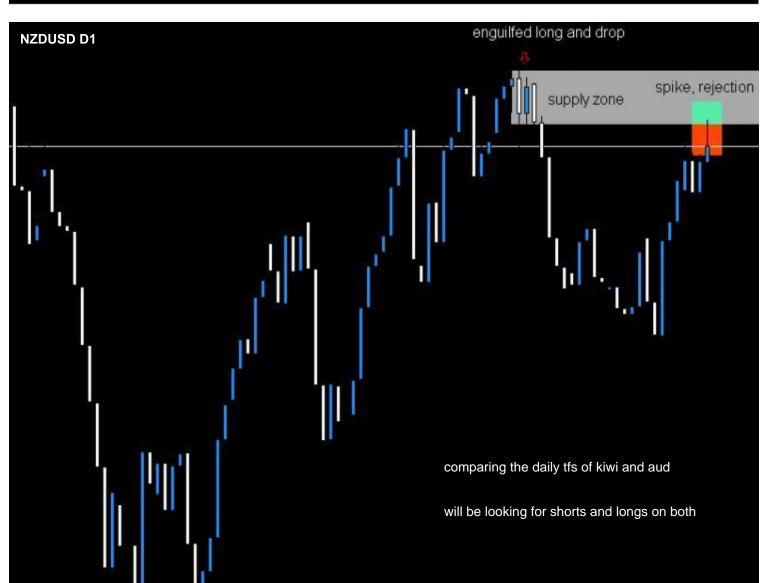












Hello Red

If u wait for engulfing bars to develop in do supply/demand zones u probably miss a lot of trades that just touch area and go (AUDUSD spike that u just mentioned). On the other side u can avoid some loses by waiting for confirmation am I right? When we are talking about weekly/daily supply/demand zones do u still wait for confirmation (engulfing bars) on lower TFs? (5, 15 min) or u prefer to use the same TF (weekly) for confirmation? thank u - alter

I always wait for engulfing - its the only conformation I know that works best, why........ engulfing represents institutional order flow, its what the other side of retail looks like in the bars! The patterns come in many shapes and twisted patterns. So, I have to enter after the engulfing pattern presents its self. I will switch tfs in a demand or supply zone until I see something I recognize and thats pretty much it

missing trades is annoying but I would rather be on the right side and confirming it, thats my plan and so far its served me well - Red



Hey red, enjoying reading your thread, only about 30 pages in so far. I had a couple of quesitons if you have the time, I'd appreciate it. When you are looking at a lower time frame and put up your supply and demand zones do you check out a higher time frame to see what it looks like? Sorry if that's already been answered.

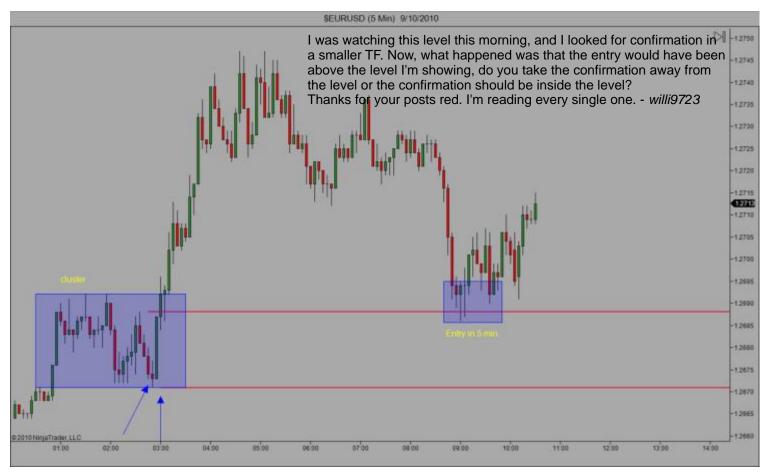
Also do you have any other tips on learning supply and demand trading besides Seiden's stuff and practice. Any other resources that you think are worth checking out? This type of trading definitely intrigues me and I hope to... - *trublu*

I have no other material that I could recommend but there isn't much more to the strategy than what you have seen - wait for prices to reach YOUR PREDETERMINED ZONES and study the reaction and pick your moment. How you you pick your moment?that just comes with experience and screen time, no magic flashing lights and EA required - read price, know what is doing and why its reacting - Red









its either - prices do both, either just kisses the cluster or sinks into it, no way or really predetermining this but you have the idea

its always a little subjective but once you have predetermined your RR it doesn't really matter - in this particular case the profit margin isn't great so no trade for me - Red



Sam says that he enters limit @ these level, I do that but no in forex, is been tough for me. Have you ever enter limit or you always wait for confirmation? - willi9723

I rarely use limits because how do you know a level is going to be respected or not?

Answer - you don't - therefore let prices sink or rally into zone, then identify entry based on price reactions

bearish enguilfing @ supply

bullish enguilfing @ demand

and thats it, nothing else needs to be said about it - Red

note - when BOJ weaken yen the other market makers weaken the dollar @ the exact same period - this is done to screw all retail in every direction

most traders think when uj rallies its dollar strength - thats not always the case - how to tell is looking at dx

if uj rallies and dx rallies then its dollar strength

if uj rallies and dx drops the makers have weakened yen and weakened dollar which is very confusing to retail

the right side of the trade - read price - Red

during the NFP this is common place

- 1. weaken yen and weaken dollar
- 2. strengthen yen and strengthen dollar
- @ the exact same time not all retail is dumb money I see you Red







You're right with gbp, is very complicated This message is hidden because willi9723 is on your Ignore List. - willi9723



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awaiting short, as yet doesn't look like it - narrow band and strong drop - would expect a drop here prices are misleading or bullish for a break north













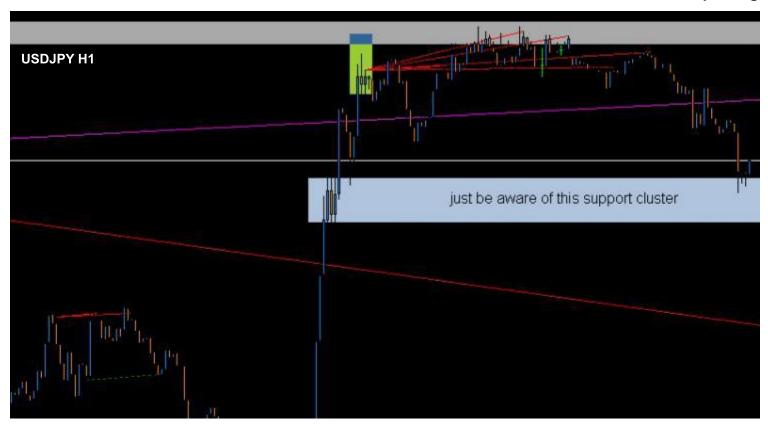
MktScape

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looking left - had a narrow zone - was away from the charts for a about a week, makes sense - Red



would you consider the highlighted area as demand zone ... looks like a clean move up? - MktScape



thats would be your 2/3 tg, because its been tested twice already demand may have been consumed from that level so let the 1/3 run to lower demand and leave stop in its original postion and with this ratio - you will always be +1/3 and stress free and not taken @ breakeven - Red

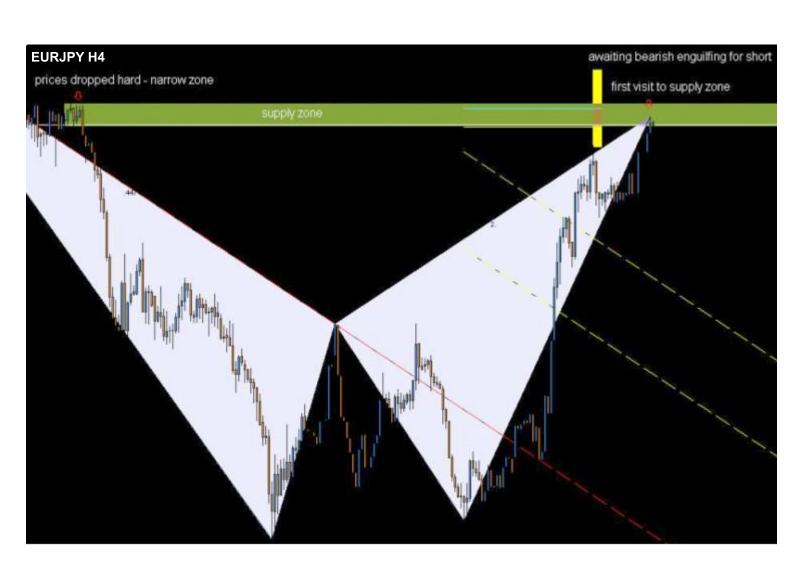


closed this near tg, it just missed my tg but I closed it anyway













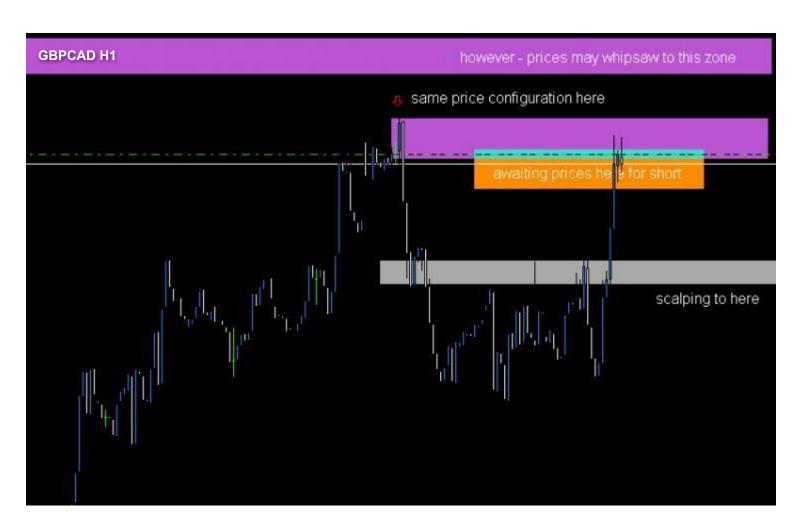
Hey Red, Its appears to be a big H&S if neck line goes ...dollar is kapoot. - *MktScape*

I just can't see it going south without a bullish reaction first a correction will really help us get entries on many pairs - Red

















leaving prices to form cluster and then breakout of cluster, will enter long then







Originally Posted by **Dropped Onion** View Post nice trade Red. painless.

Is it better for a trader to seek certainty or look to better the odds?

certainty and better odds - mounts to the same thing really

what matters is the price structure on the left and how it respects levels or not, this is where risk reward ratio comes in

what really matters above all else is RISK, REWARD AS YOU SEE IT AND THE MANAGEMENT OF THE RATIO WITHIN A GIVEN TRADE

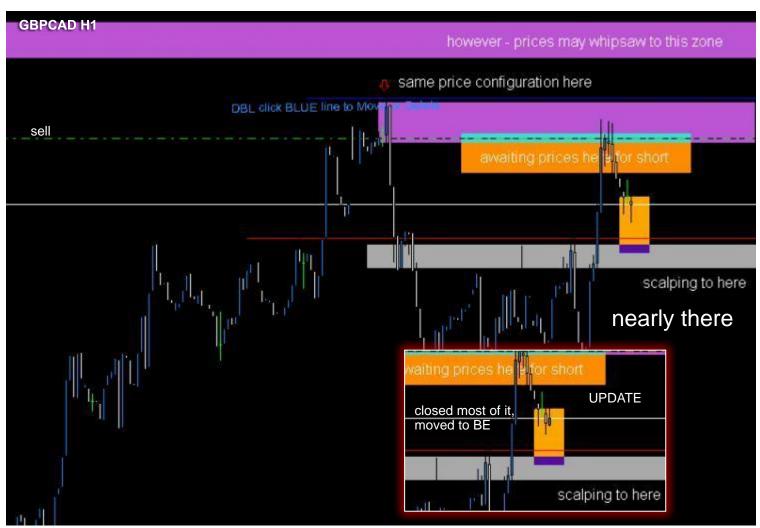
I am out of kiwi - because that was my tg - could fall another 200, who knows but within the context of that trade and tf its a winner - I read price, trade it without doubts

full conviction or nothing - Red

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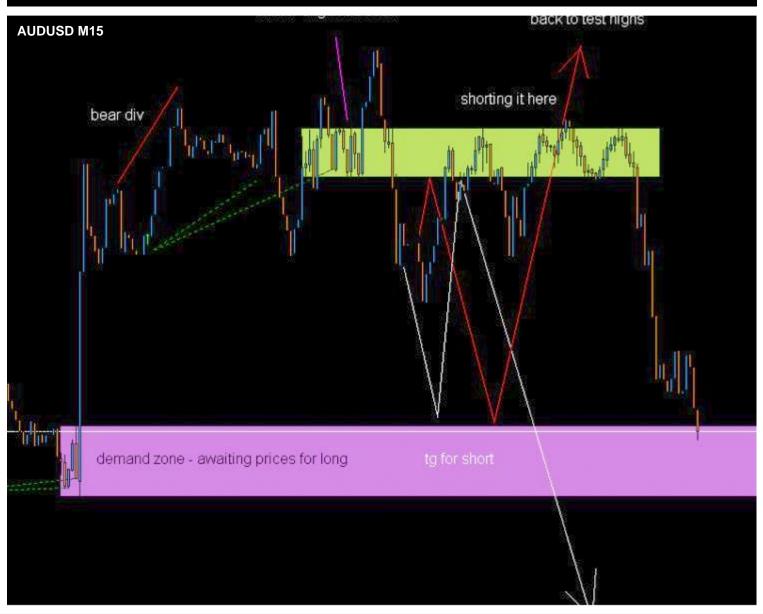


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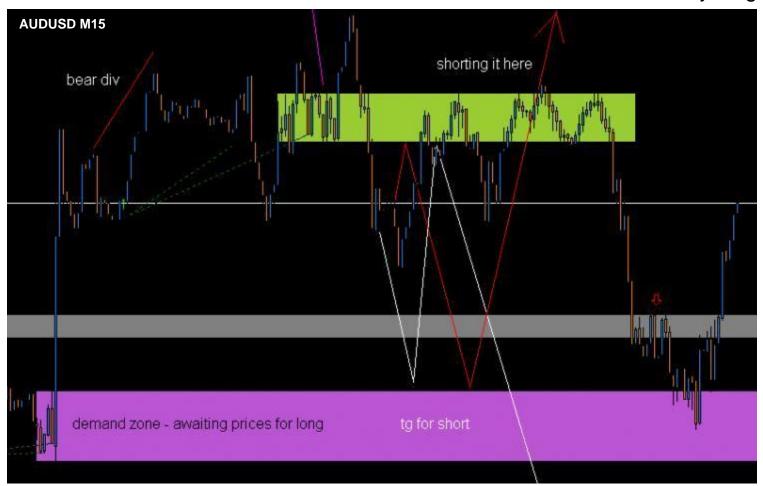








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makes me mad I never took it, was watching dx and it looked very bullish very misleading













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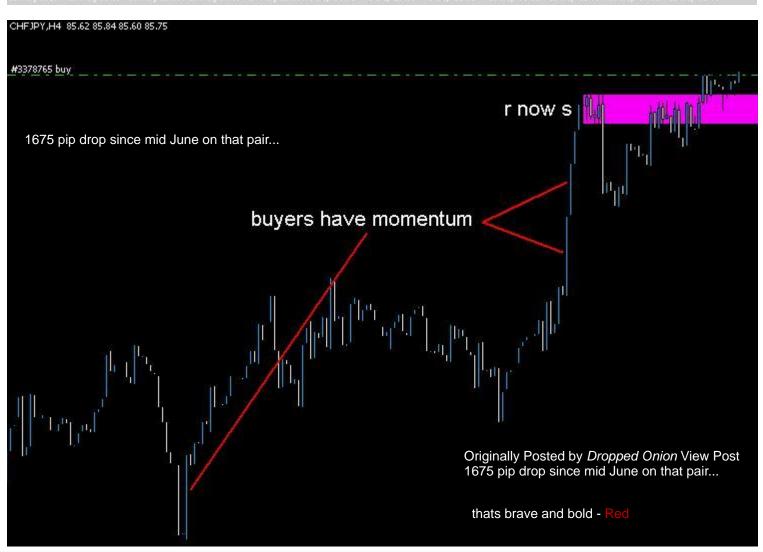
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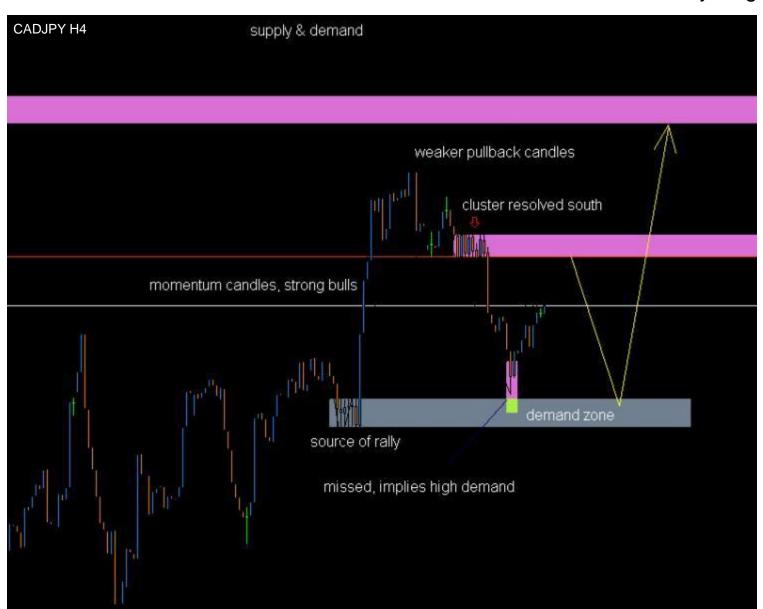
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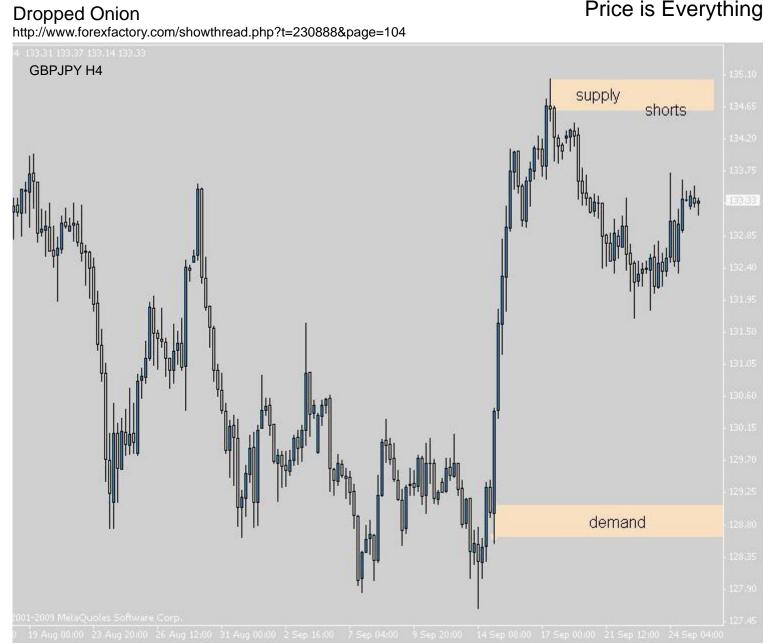
entry based on price reaction







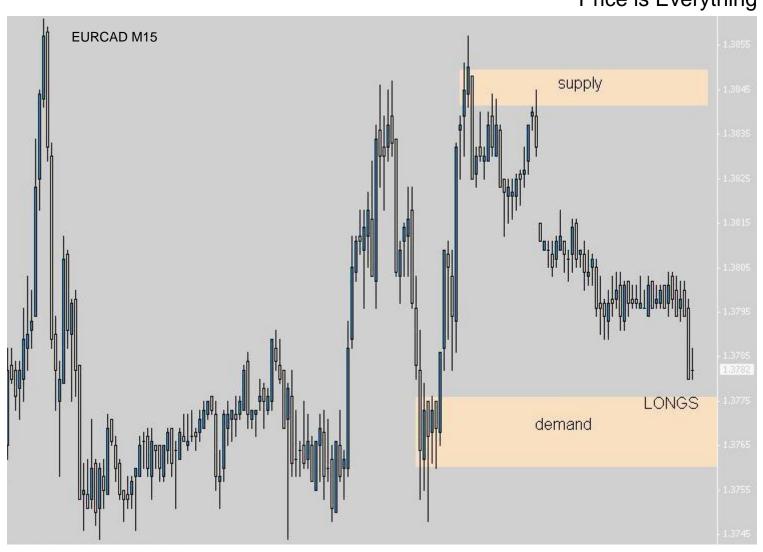






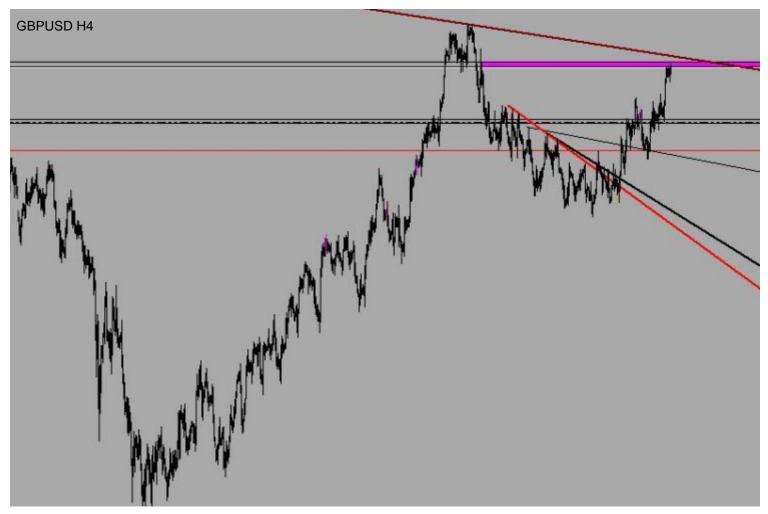








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awaiting short cable























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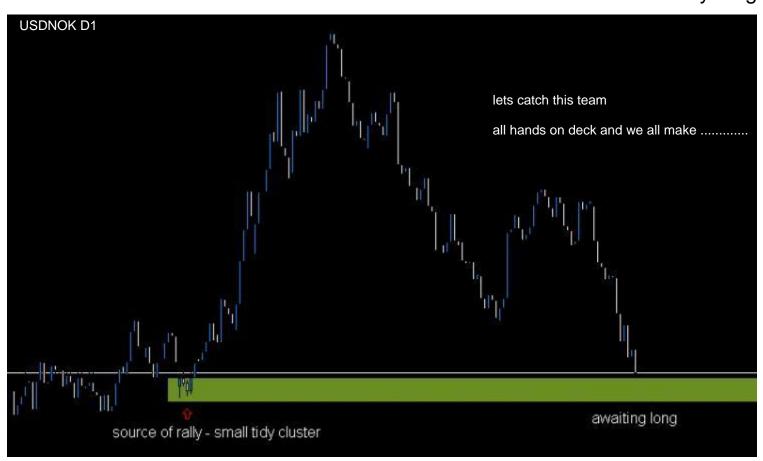


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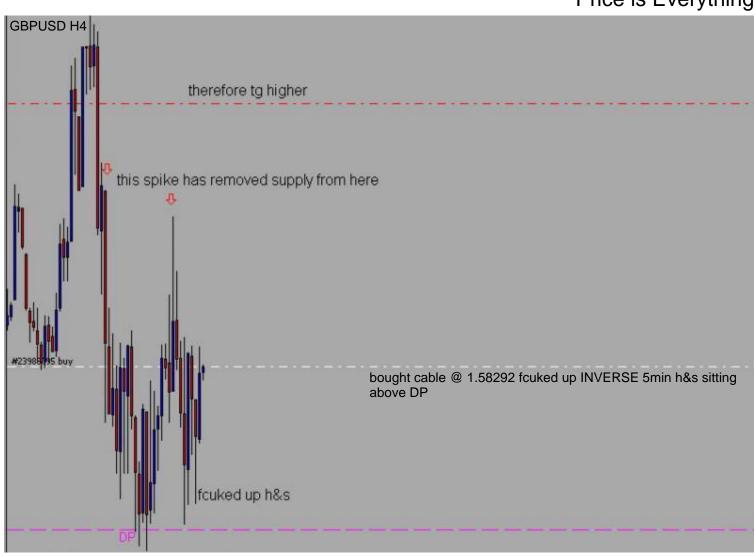














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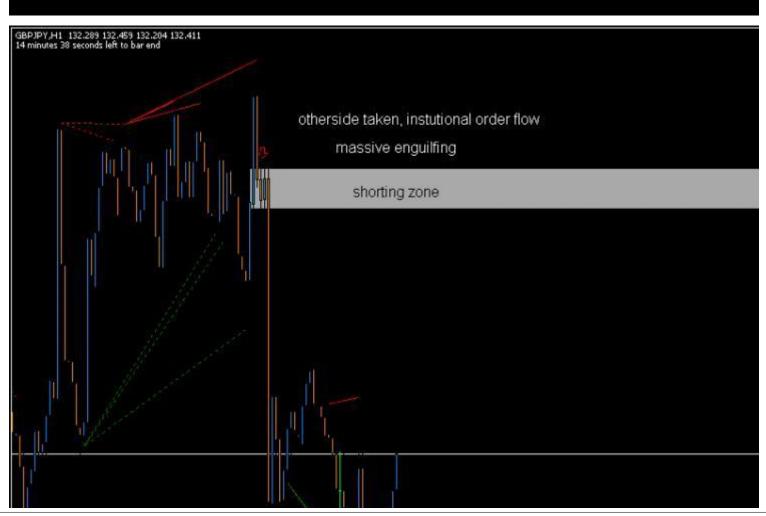












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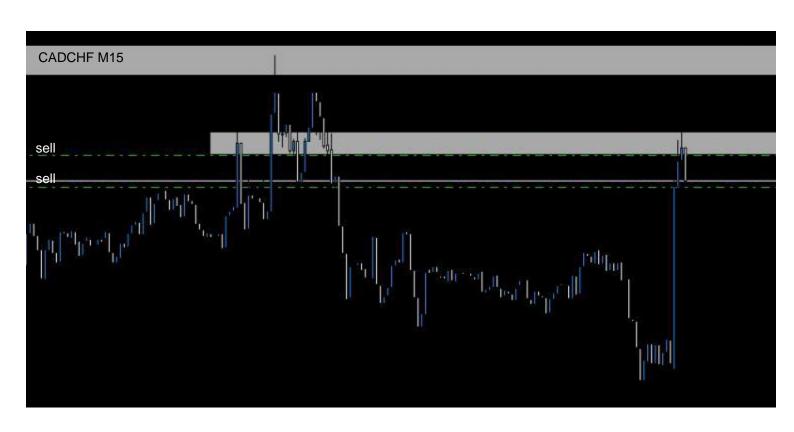


.....and there goes cable too, bring it



partial close @ 1.58738









kaboom see note 222



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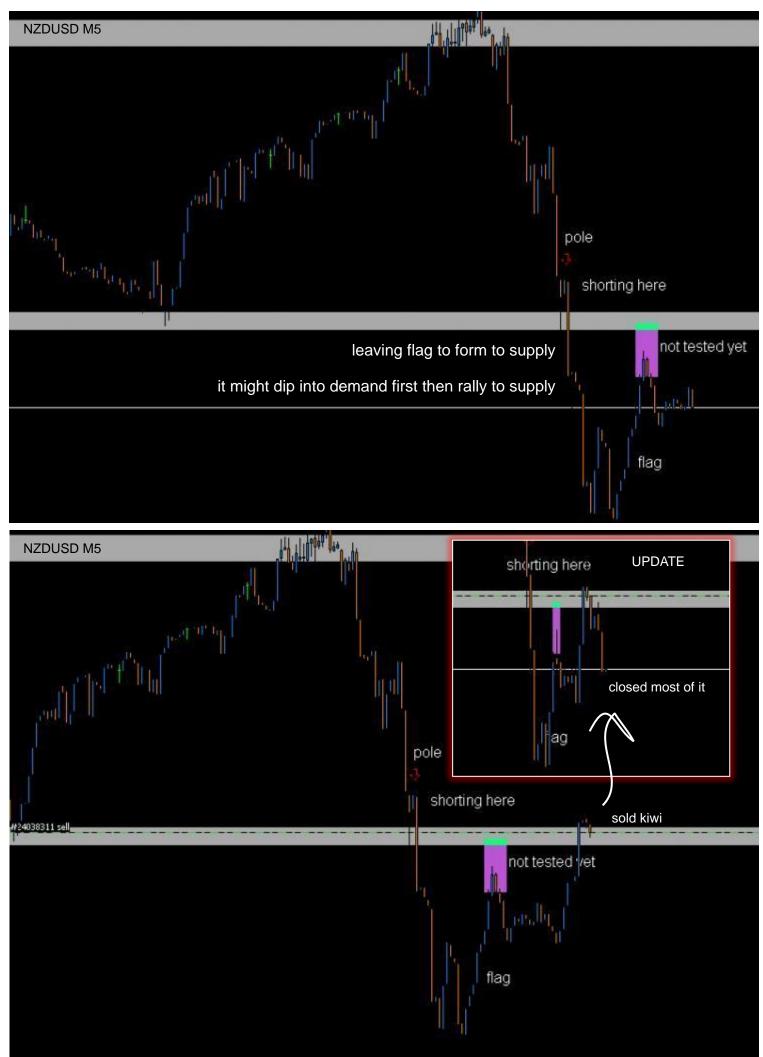




AND ANOTHER THING - I NEVER READ ANY FINANICAL STUFF, Gartman, Bloomberg and all the rest - why bother when you trade price levels from supply to demand and back again - its in the bars all this BS

eh gives a fcuk what they say or what fib, or pink line crossing blue line etc

read the left - trade to the right with conviction and money management - Red

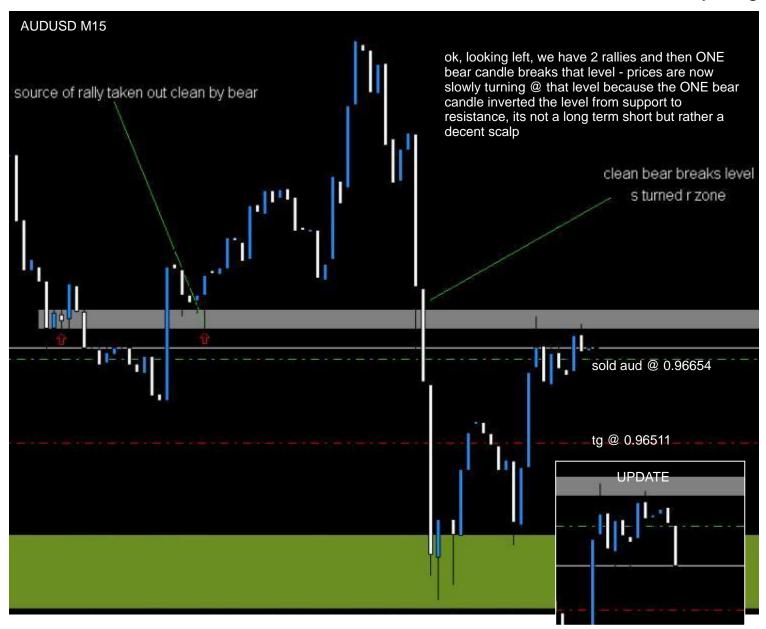


















[&]quot;You and I are essentially infinite choice-makers. In every moment of our existence, we are in that field of all possibilities where we have access to an infinity of choices." Deepak Chopra. applies to trading

"just need to trade with conviction. If you don't believe there is an opportunity at hand, you won't pull the trigger. so it is that novices rue the trades they did not take and wish they had not taken those trades they actually took." - *Dropped Onion*







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Check this outclear price fall at a pivot level goes back to early sept.

What do you think.

Originally Posted by MktScape

Check this outclear price fall at a pivot level goes back to early sept.

What do you think.

uj Dependant - let it decide before any trades on any yen

CHFJPY H1



Originally Posted by MktScape

Are you anticipating a rally as price reaching previous demand zone?

ok - uj should rally like hell, when this happens, usually cadjpy will go north too, this pulls loony south and therefore kiwi and aud go north

this ONLY happens when its a dollar market, not a yen weakness market, how do we know, keep an eye on dx

the yen and dollar mix is how the market makers screw the market

Originally Posted by Fxfighter View Post

Hi Red,

What does mean pole on your chart?

If you do touch trade say in the case EJ so what is your SL?or is it just mental SL?

S;P.I wasn't here long time so aswear is maybe somewhere in this thread,than i,ll find it lol.

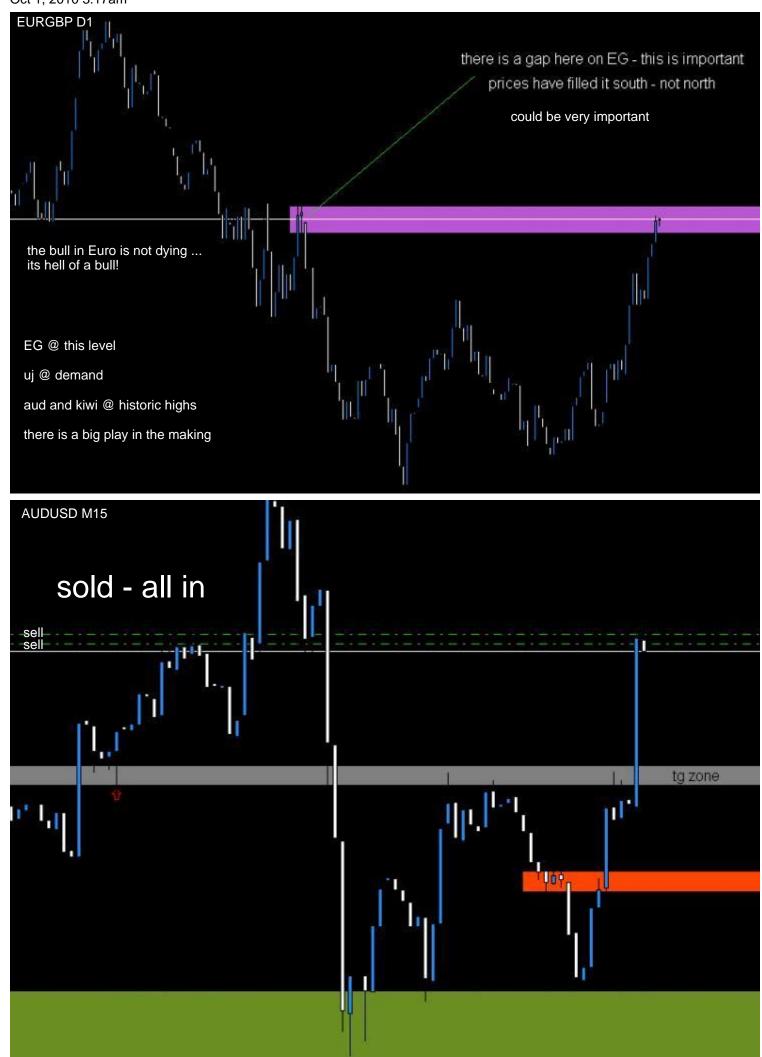
Ones again thanks for your posts and anothers guys as well. FX

pole is momentum, check the length of the candles and compare them to the length of the pullback candles

in general - trends are defined in momentum candles, trend is momentum and pullbacks are weak in momentum and can take a long time to reach there level to then return to the trend

in a downtrend, strong bears - pullbacks are weak and messy - sell @ supply

uptrend - strong bulls - pullbacks are weak and messy - buy @ demand





our emotions screw us as it says under your name - put all that in the nearest bin and trade the momentum candles and pullback candles

the trend is your friend, why? Momentum candles DEFINE THE TREND, so read them and it all makes sense - when the momentum changes, let it change and we then go with the new momentum candles - agreed?



for example......momentum candles can be hard to catch because news does it fast and crazy - but they then create levels for us to trade, we miss nothing with the news BS - it gives us the levels or rather makes levels for us

read all you want about rumours and predictions by the PROFESSIONAL ECONOMISTS, never seen one of those guys/girls who can trade even thou they study all this BS - but levels are made and broken, trade them









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views of the same level, posting this now before market opens so we can all be ready for action

how to play this

assuming we get a bearish reaction, not going to short it, let prices confirm this is a significant supply zone buy it @ demand BACK to this zone, then if prices react bearish again, its a better short buying @ lower demand zone is still safer

bbakker

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I am looking for a swing trade on cable based on the weekly supply zones which I have marked off on my h4 chart and tightened off the zones using h1.

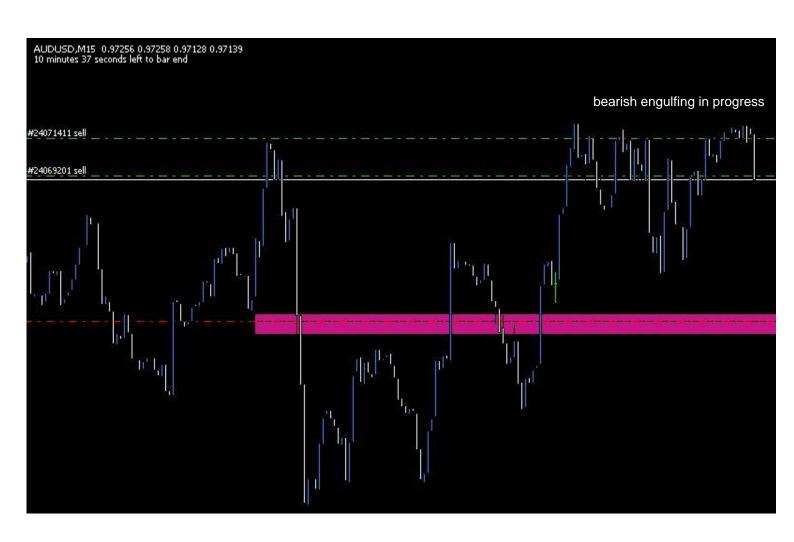
I will only take these trades depending on arrival based on the h4 chart. I need to see a clear profit target which depends on where the opposing demand level has been formed. Black supply zone is aggressive. Otherwise I will go long on another pullback to the demand zone at 1.5640-1.5672.

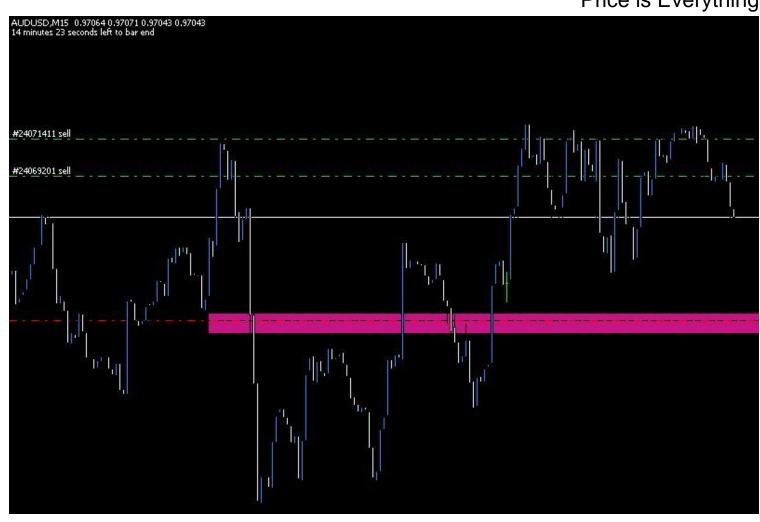
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wonderful price structure, very tradable - nothing random here

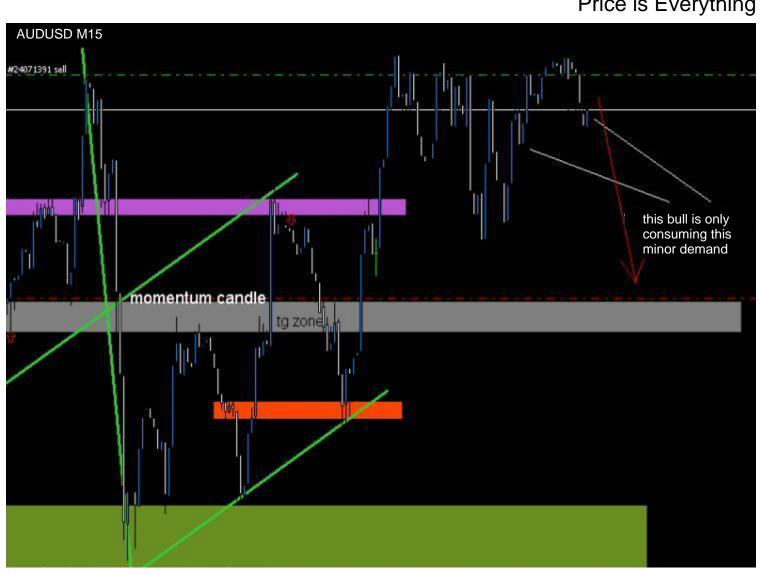








Just remember that higher timeframe supply and demand zones have greater weight than the lower timeframes! You should always keep in mind the higher timeframe demand and supply zones when working off the lower timeframes. bbakker





before trading kiwi or aud, use EURNZD supply AND demand zones on the same tf as you are trading kiwi or aud

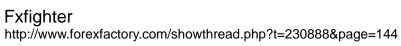
when EN is @ support - kiwi generally goes south, so check KIWI (AND AUD) its @ supply or some kind

when EN is @ resistance - kiwi (and aud) generally goes north, check this yourselves and you can time your entries with correlations which helps

EN levels are a good LEADING INDICATOR - Red





















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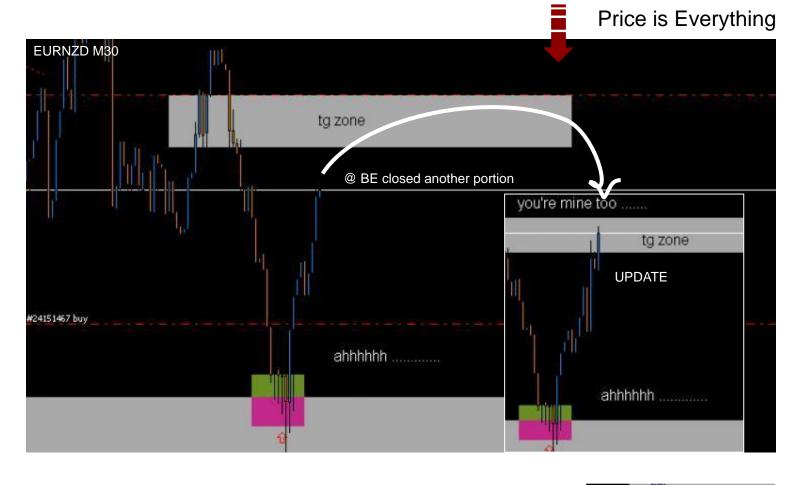














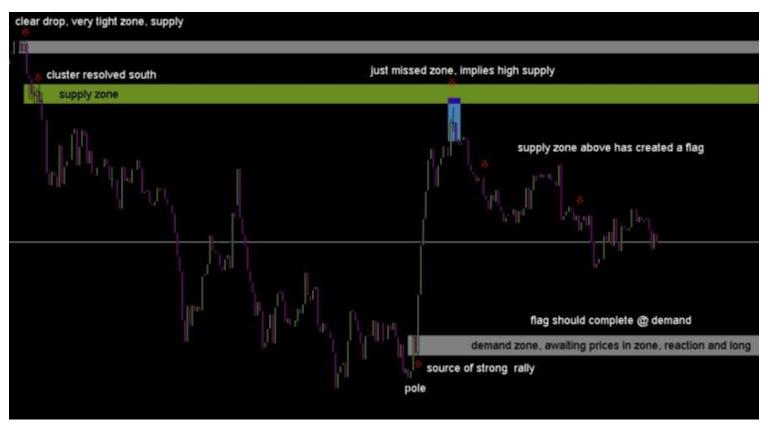












awaiting long instead of shorting











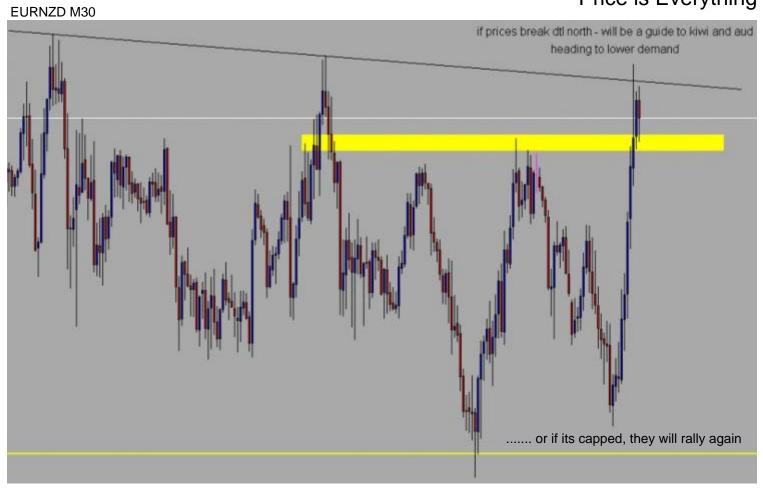
















Originally Posted by *abbie1* hey red, will u short aud.usd if it reaches 9850?

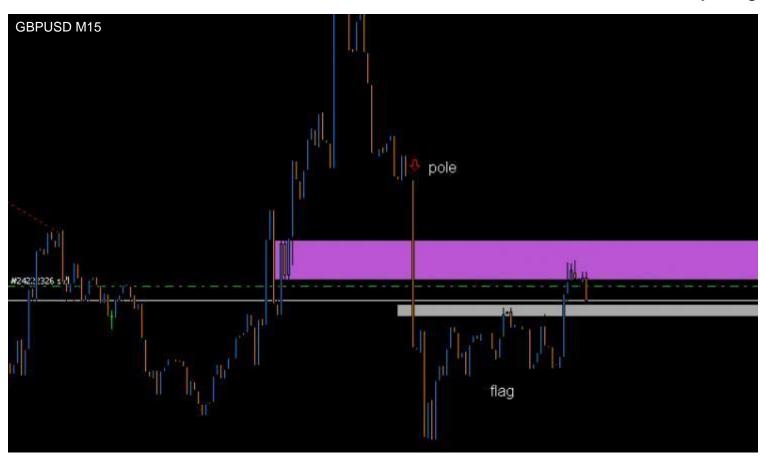
its not an automatic entry - wait for prices to give entry, might whipsaw slightly higher than 9850 then fall many possibilities here and pre NFP BS - anything can happen, so wait for prices to tell us

@ 9850 wait for a bearish engulfing pattern you recognize, if no bearish pattern develops, then it goes higher















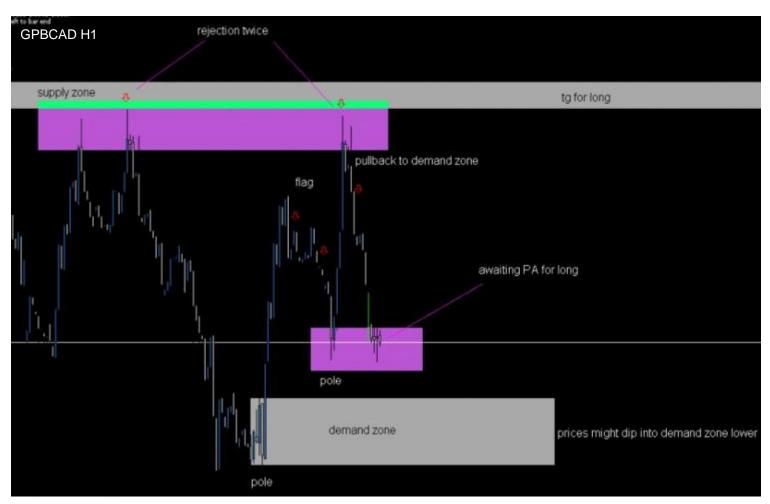




















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Originally Posted by *Dropped Onion* any interest in these level on usdchf Red?

yes, I had that marked out - I am just not the biggest fan of swissy but its valid

pole and flag (chop) for sure - Red







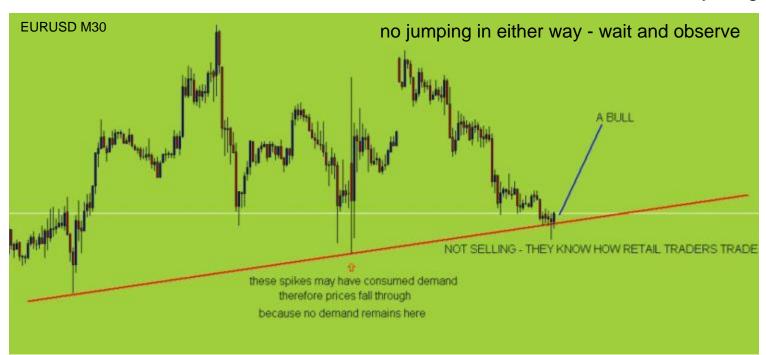
UPDATE: damn that loony, turned before the tg zone and engulfed the other way, @ DP now, will hold north or bail if it drops any further

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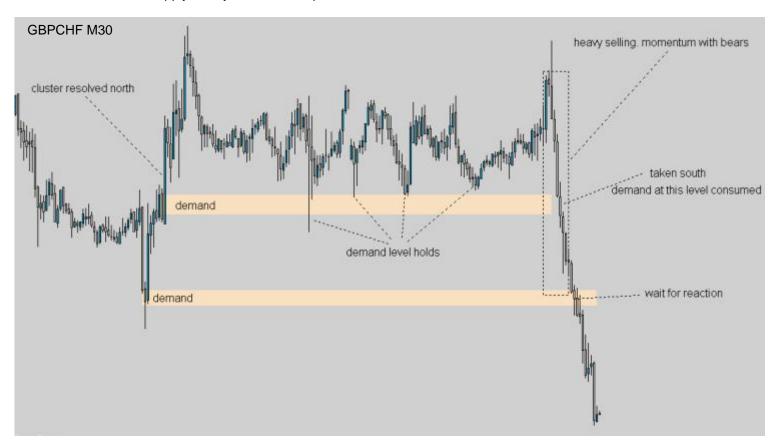


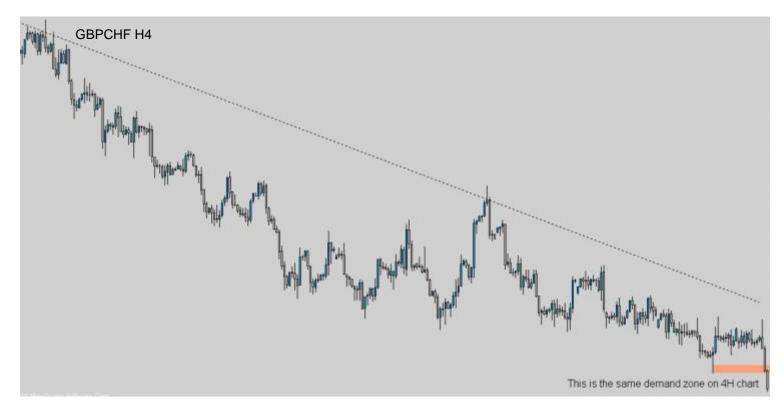
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Originally Posted by *alter*I was stopped out on GBPCHF. Clear demand zone but failed to hold.

There had been a lot of demand consumed by the level just above it. Prices reached your demand zone with a lot of momentum, suggesting bears were strong, as previous demand had been consumed. and on 4H (lower chart), bears are clearly in control.

safer to short rallies at supply or buy demand with price confirmation.











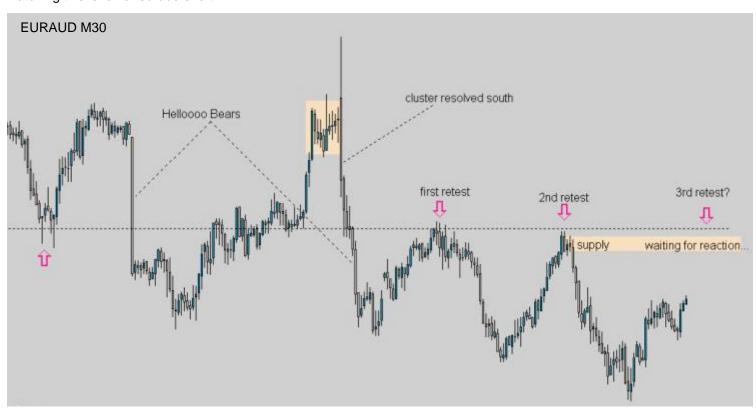


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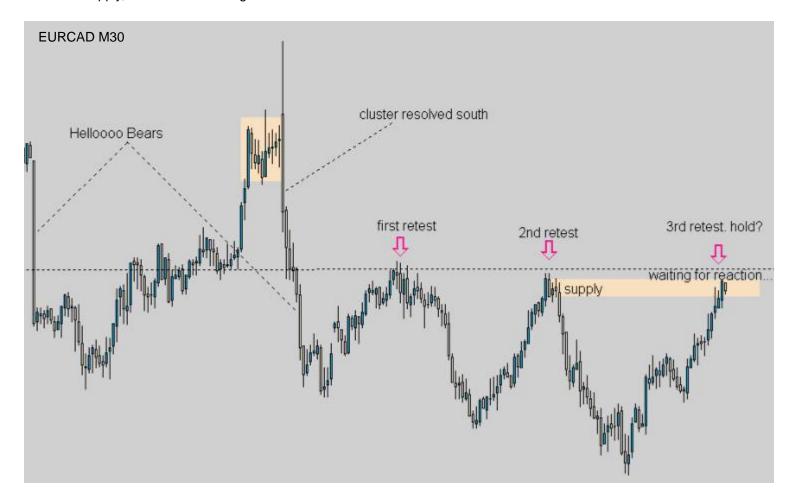
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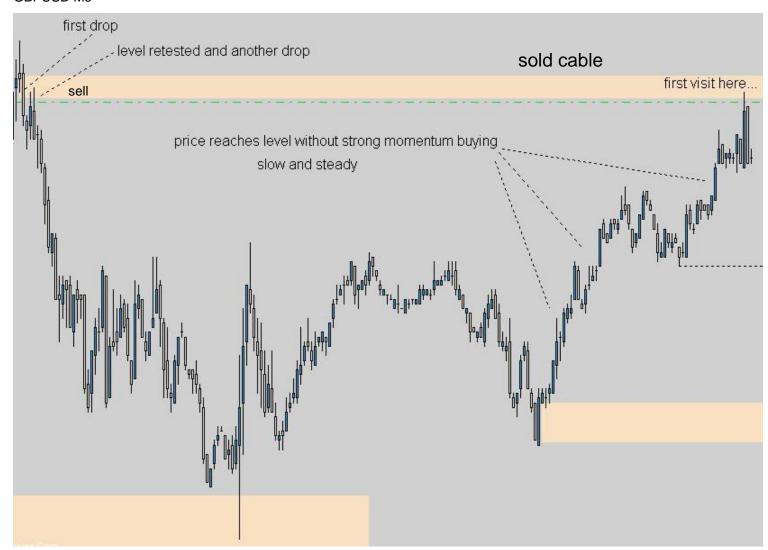
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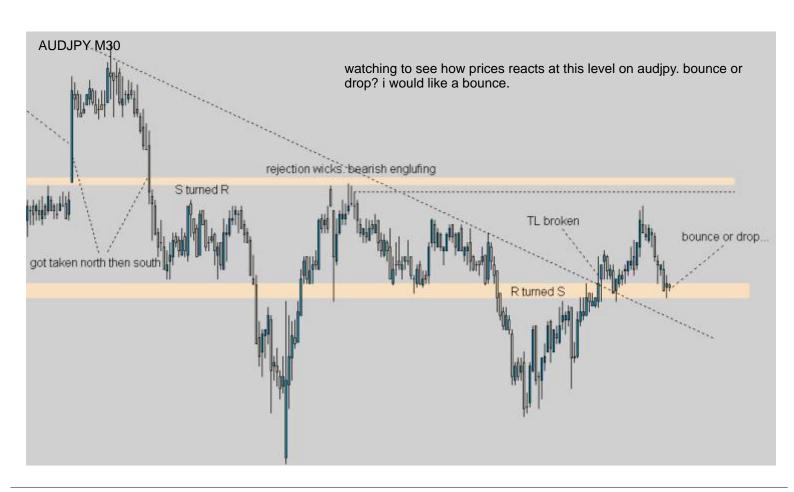


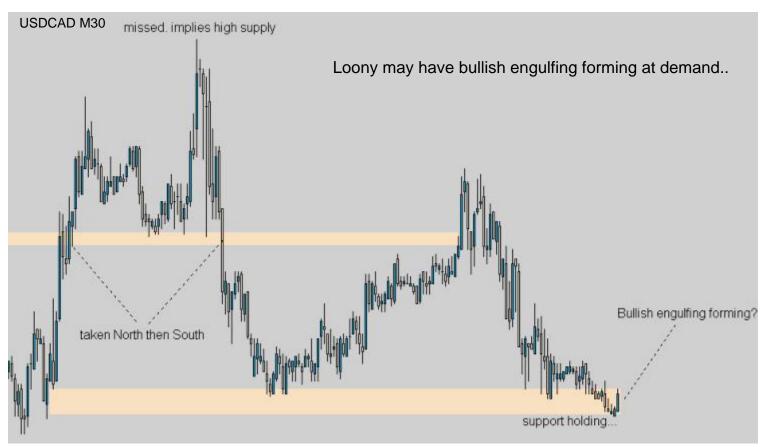
euraud at supply, but no bullish config on audusd...



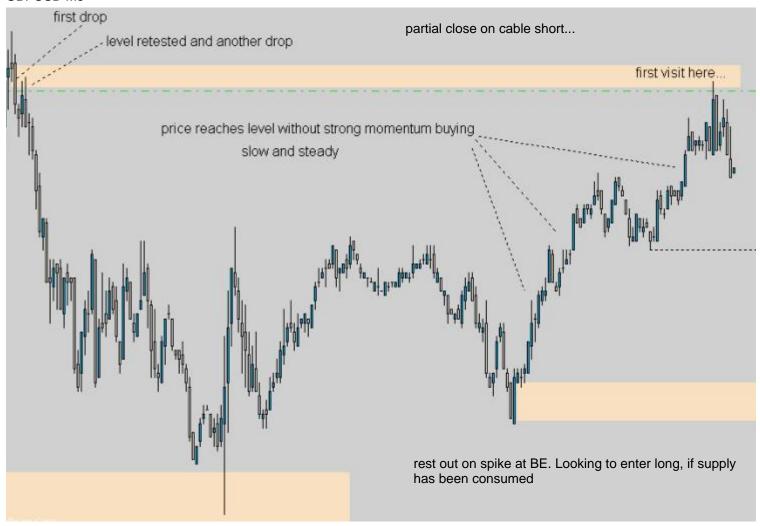






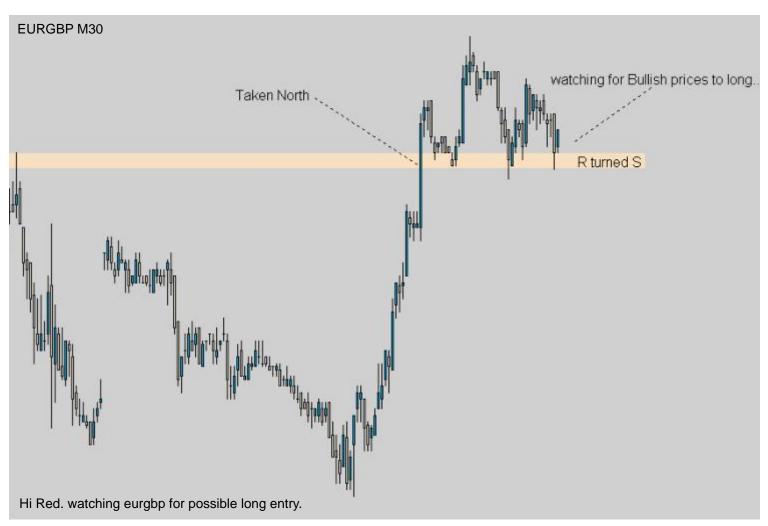


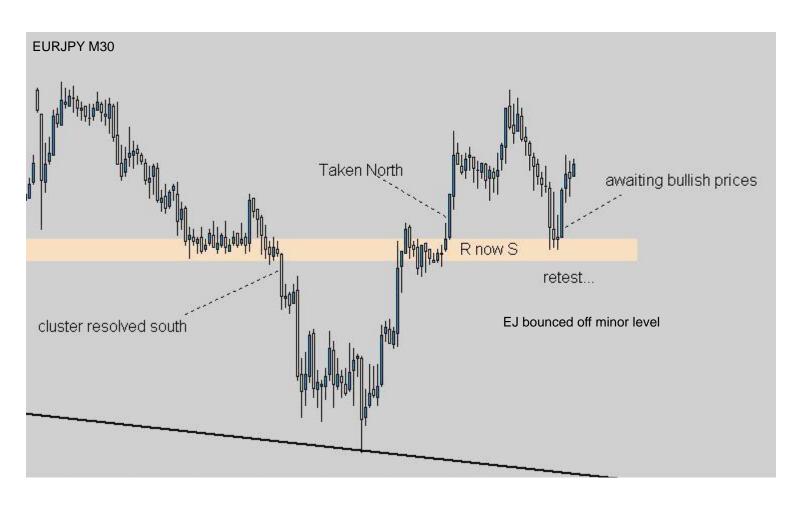






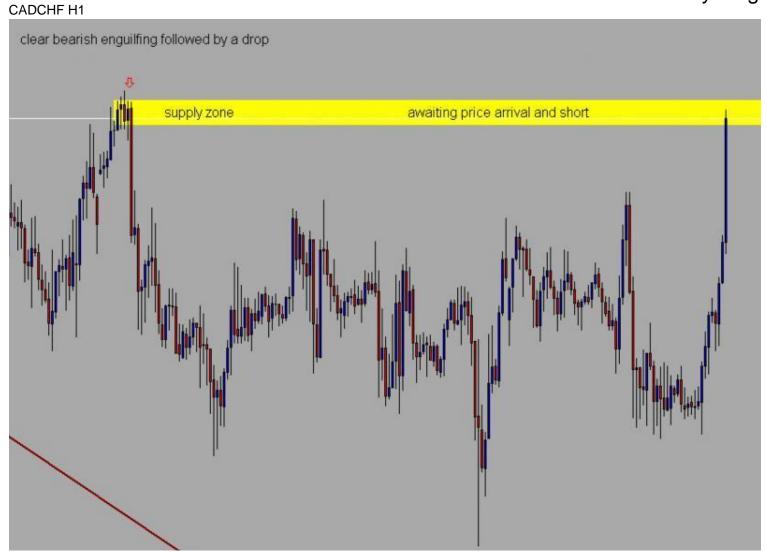






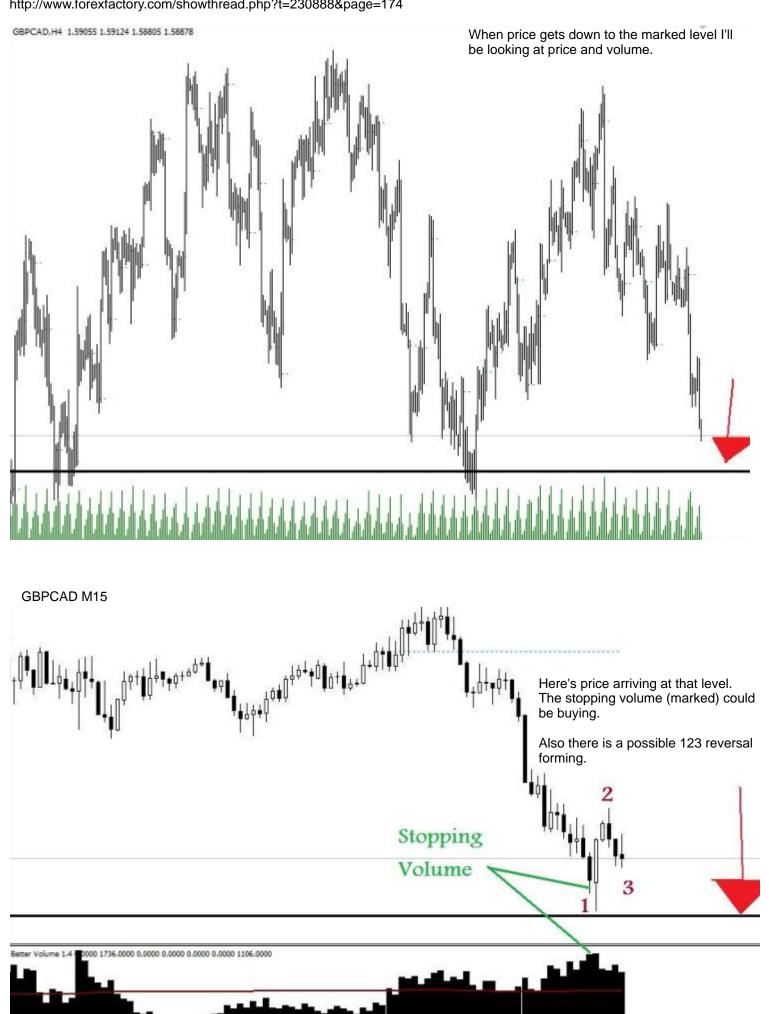








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it might struggle D.O

check momentum of candles, pole is north







Originally Posted by *Oshawa* Hi, Red and DO

This may sound like a very stupid question but I would rather appear silly than act stupidly. I saw you use supply and demand on very low timeframe such as 15m and 5m. At such timeframe how often would the levels hold? And how many times a level is tested that you would consider that level insecure? Or do you mainly rely on price actions (candlesticks) to assist identifying whether that's a tradable level? At the moment the most daring lower time frame for me with this method is 1H, and I would love to find out how well it works...

supply and demand zones exisit in all tfs, scanning the tfs you can get many valid intrday trades, as long as price structure is clean and easy to identify

the issue with zones being respected or not based on tfs zones on 4hr and hourly can fail easily too. Most people think lower tfs are just noise but I see structure so I am very comfortable trading on lower tfs as well as larger tfs

Sam trades the higher tfs because that fits his personality and his ratios, but nothing wrong with lower tfs for scalping

ALL LEVELS ON ANY TF ARE SUBJECTIVE, SO INSTEAD OF USING LIMITS, WAIT FOR PA TO GIVE YOU REASONING TO ENTER

Red

























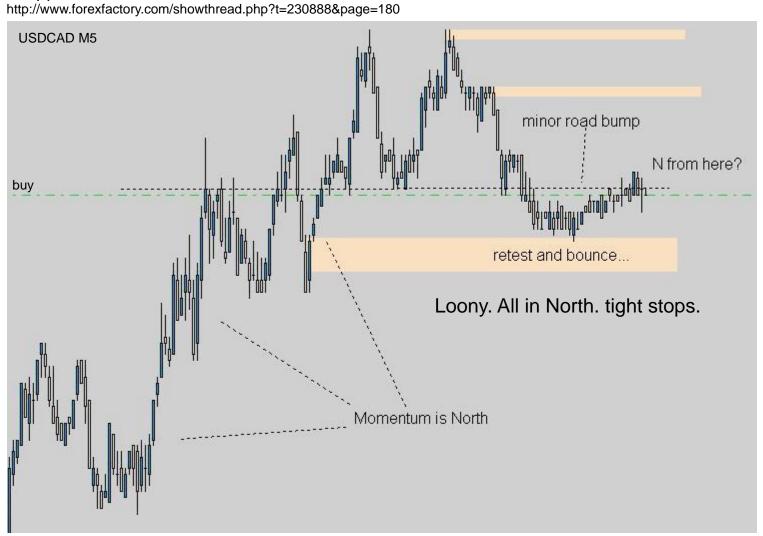


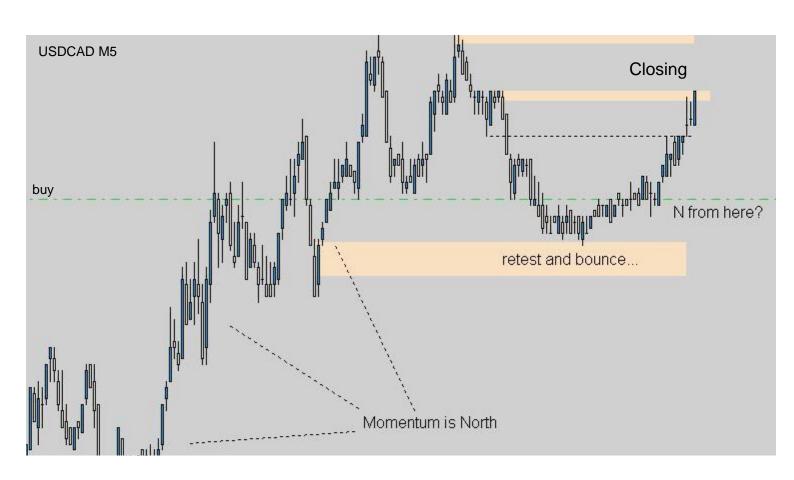


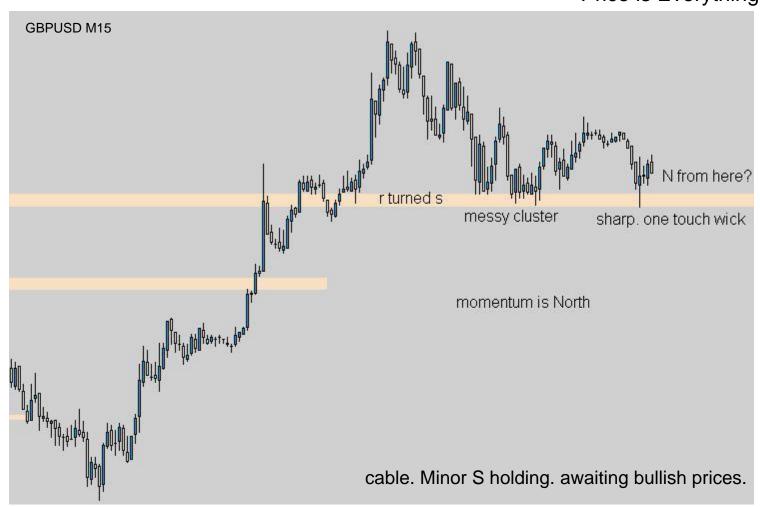


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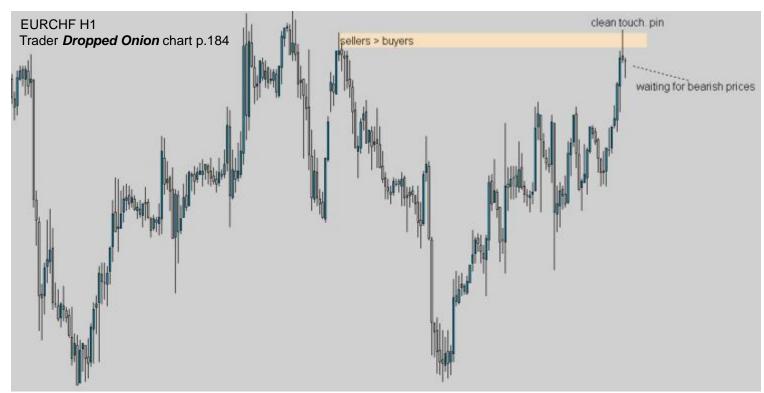






a bullish UJ DOES NOT MEAN dollar strength - it usually means a weaker Yen

this is how correlations are screwed, we look @ UJ being bullish and think dollar strength - thats the misleading BS the market makers create - Red







awaiting PA for short







USDSEK M15





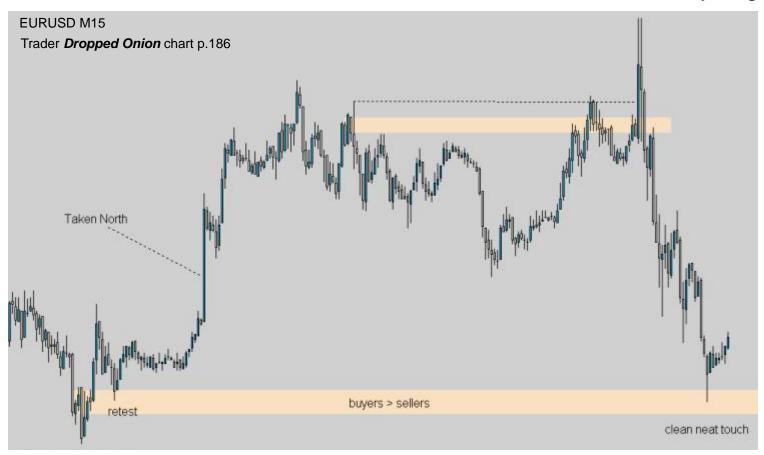






cluster and zone holding for now

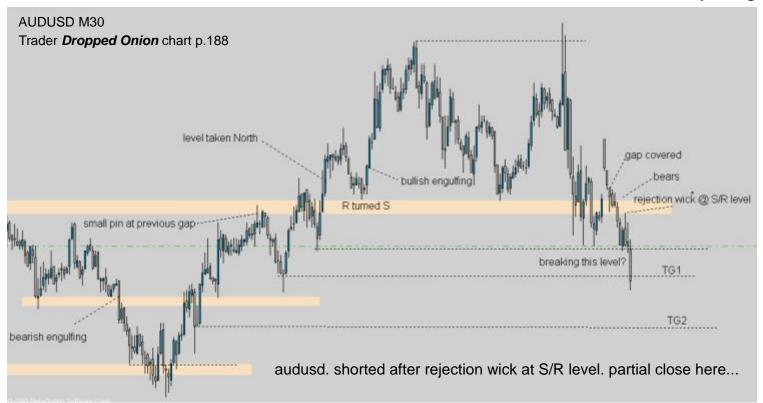
..... you can't see the cluster on that tf D.O, I always switch tfs to find the reason why

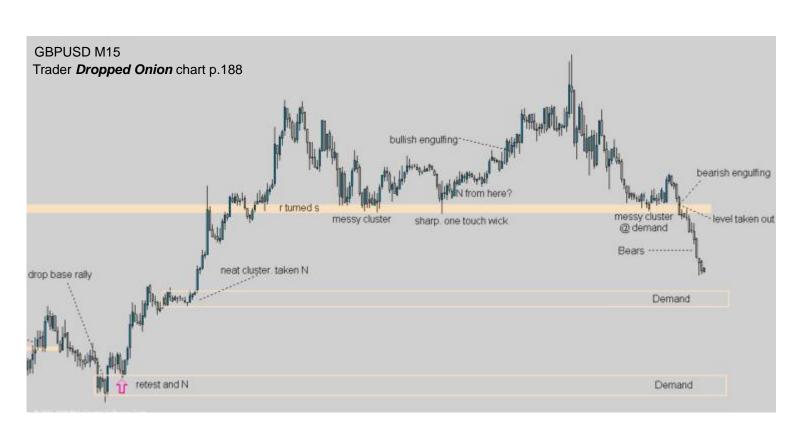


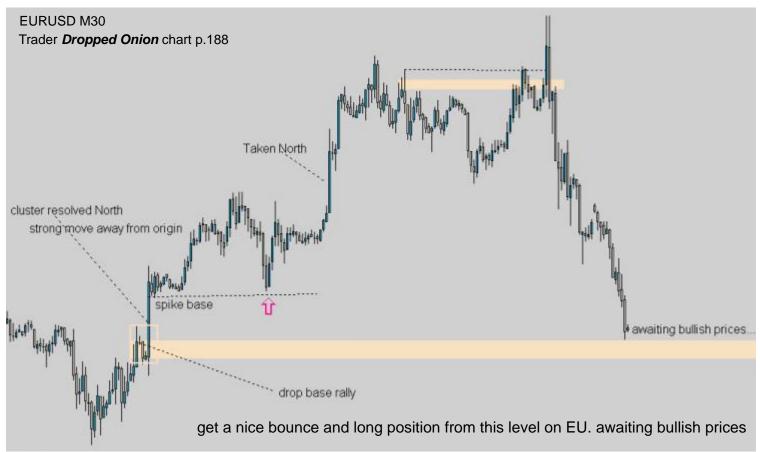
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appears bullish @ supply, which leads me to think those wicks are minor rejection or rather supply consumption to move higher if a bearish pattern develops will consider a short possible h&s playing out, right shoulder









its going to whipsaw north - Red

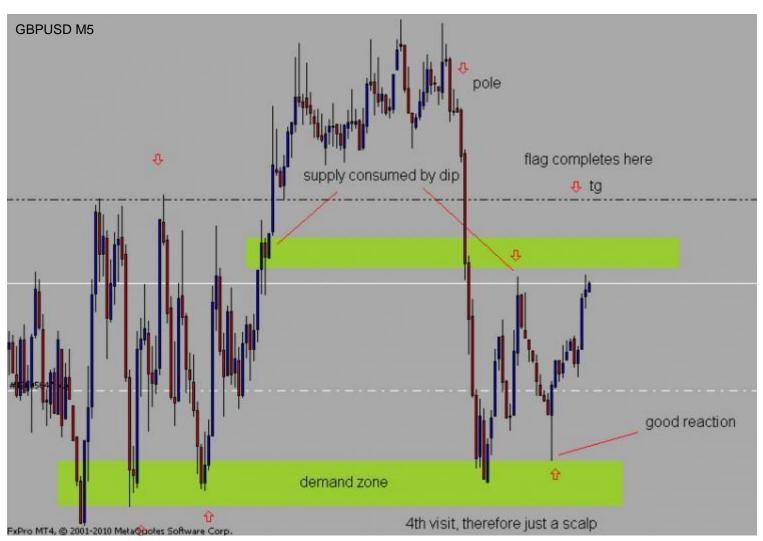




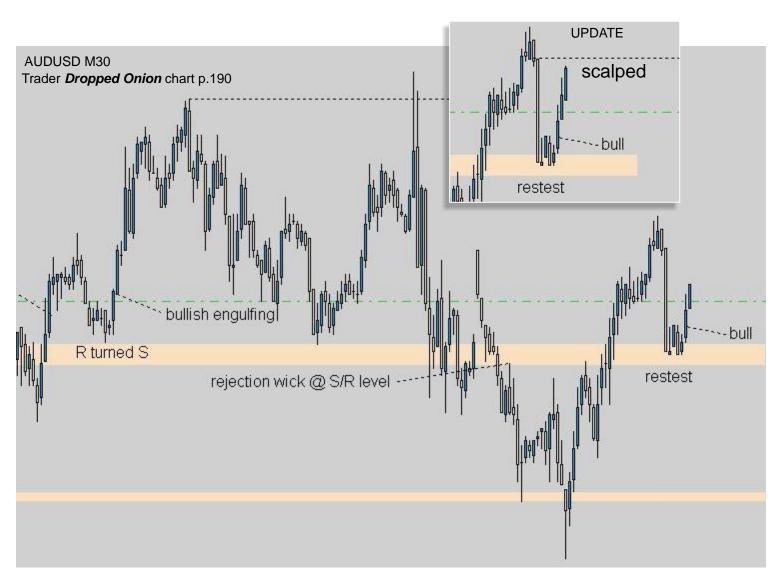


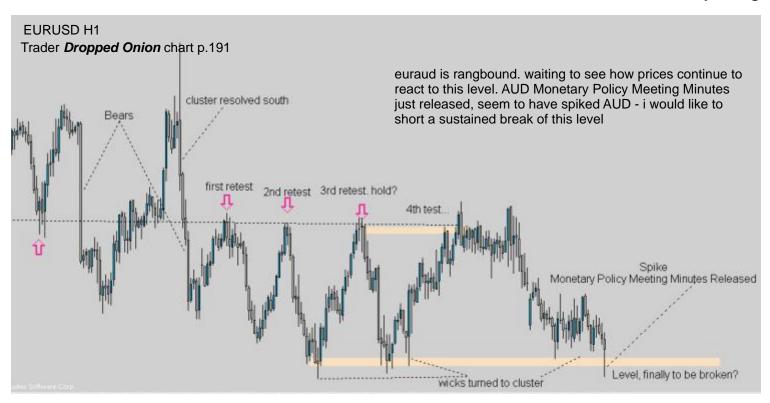


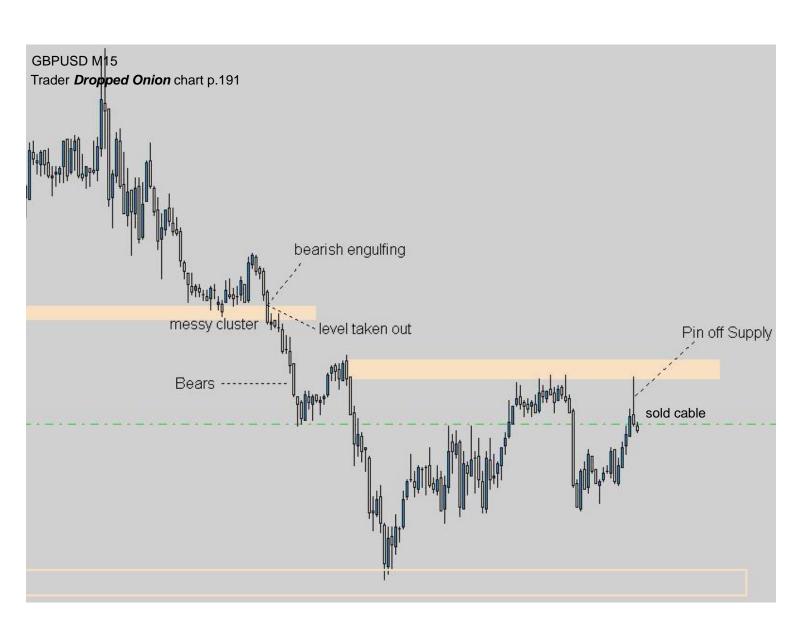






























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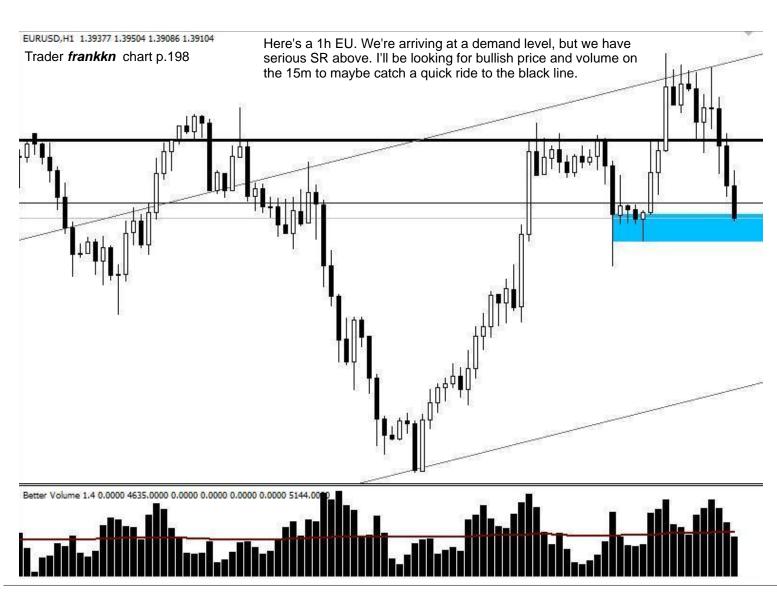


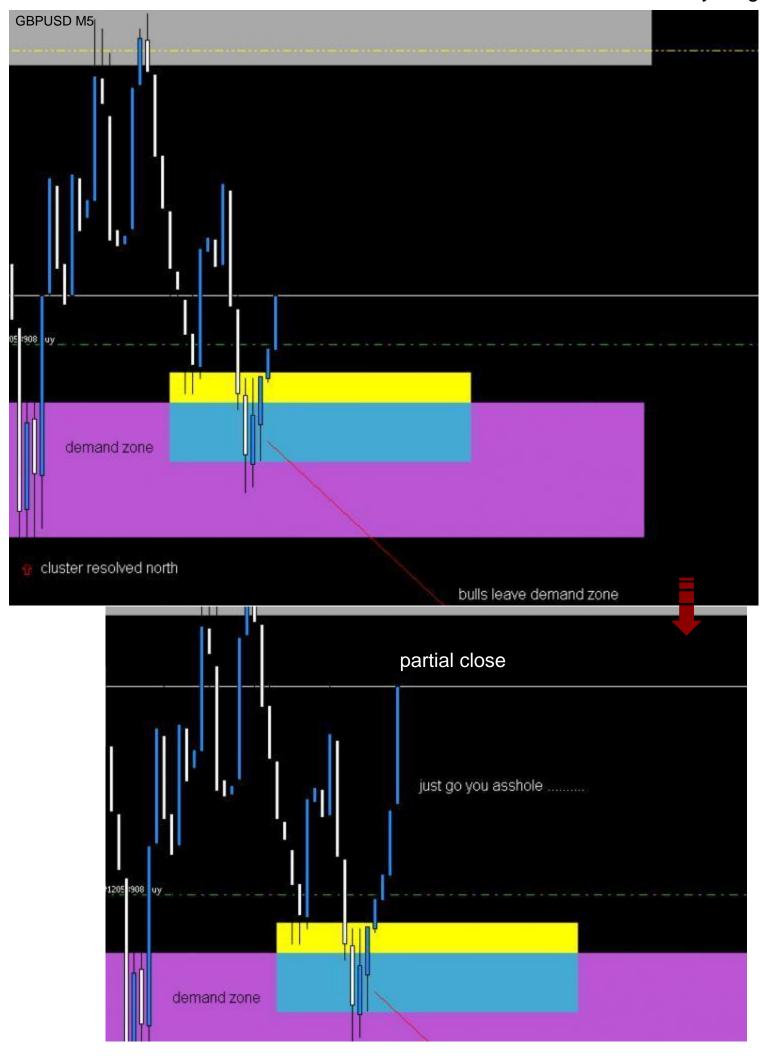


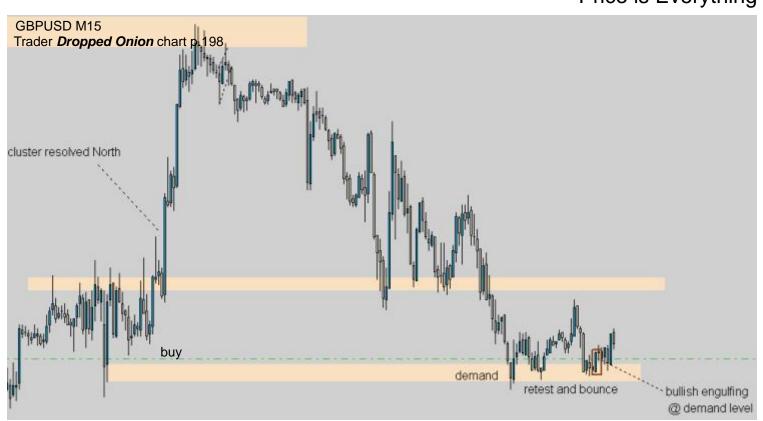














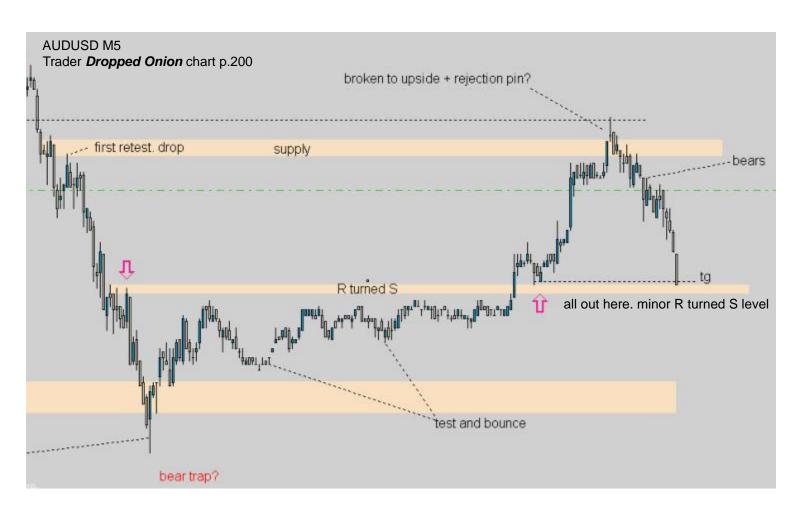










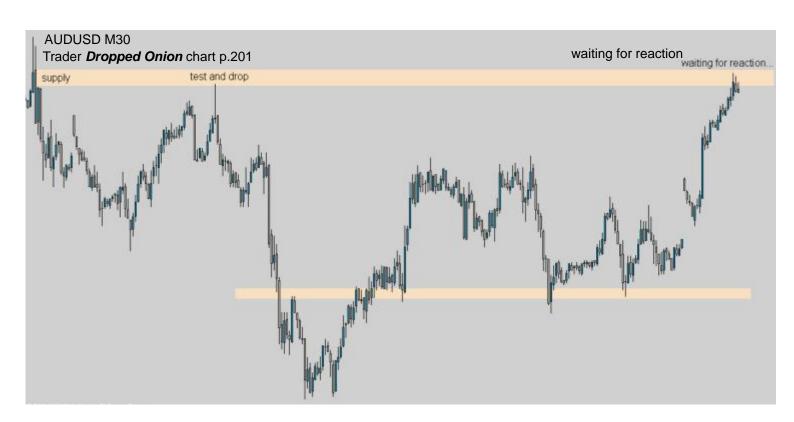




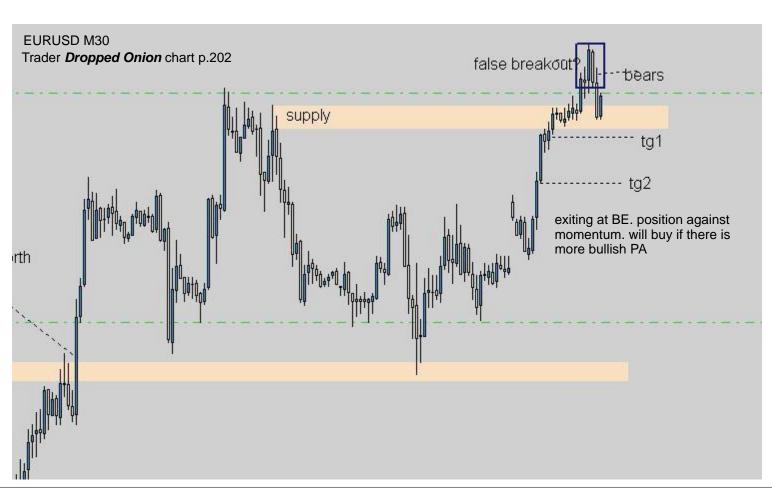


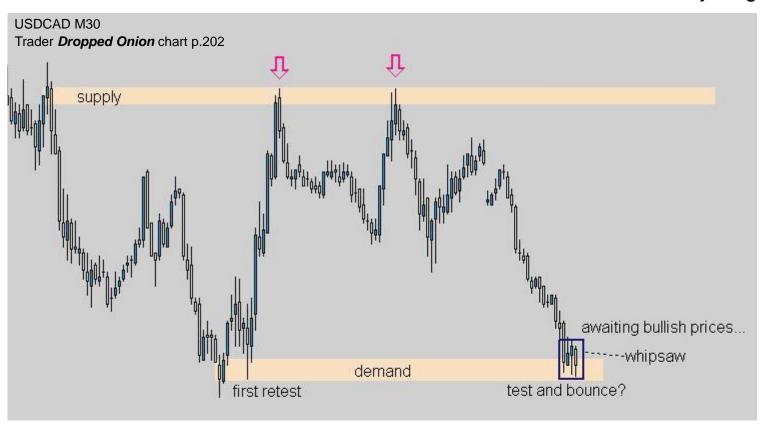
G20 can change everything on open, as it stands, supply looks like its it being consumed for further advance

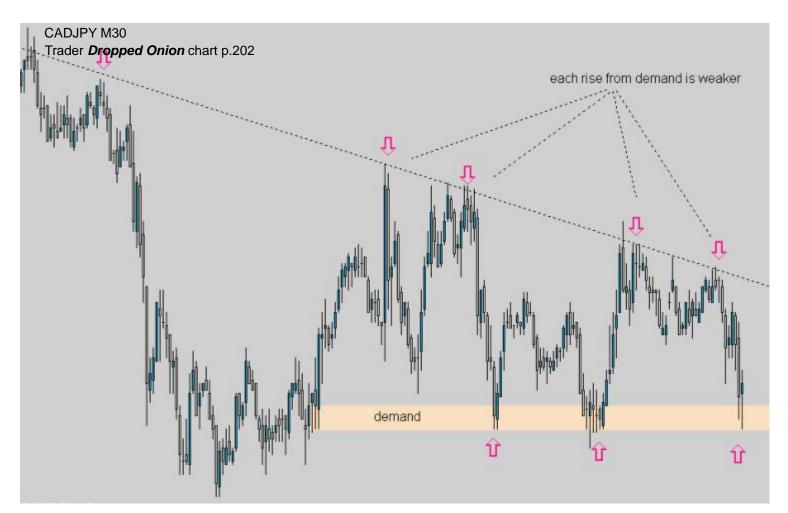




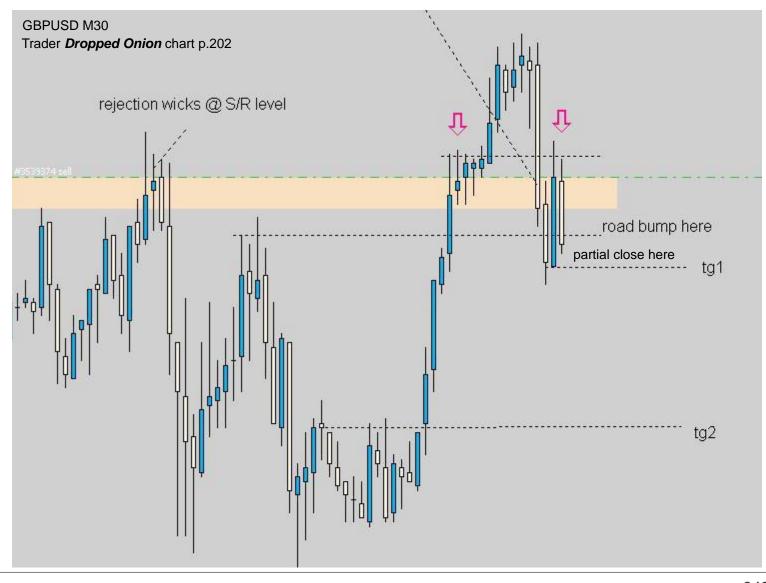




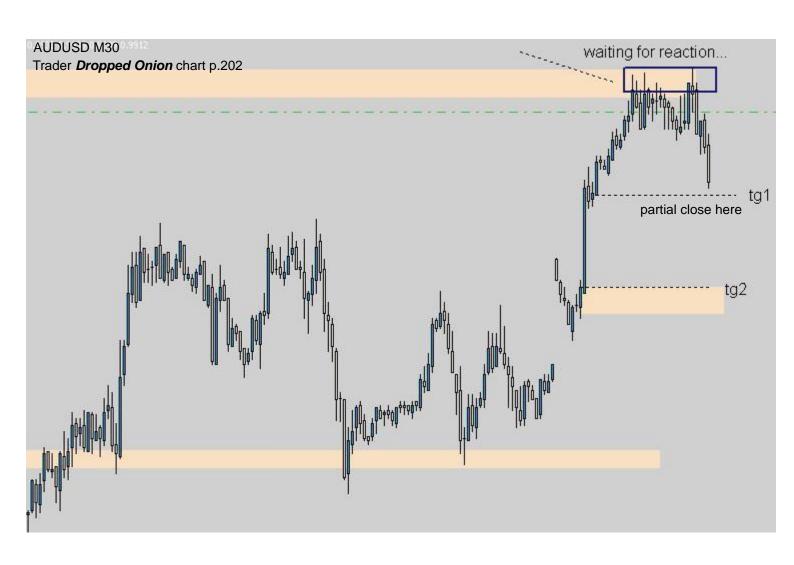








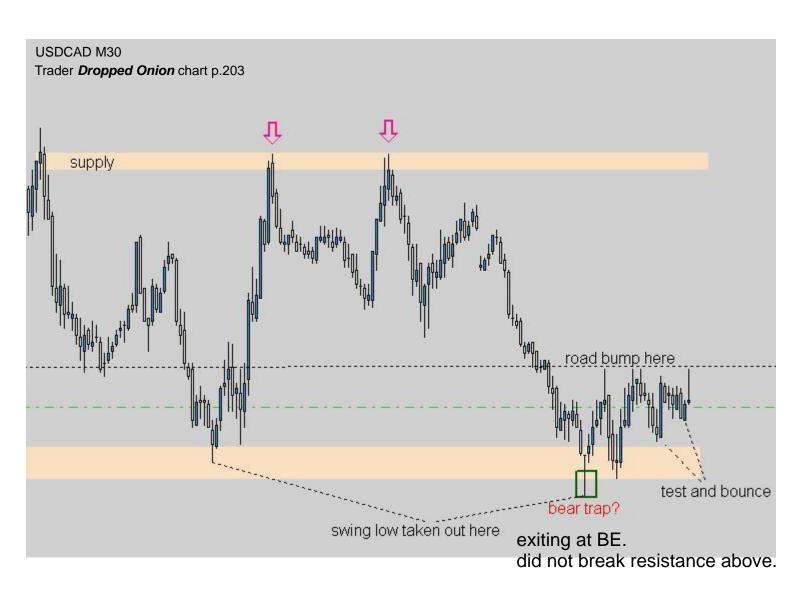




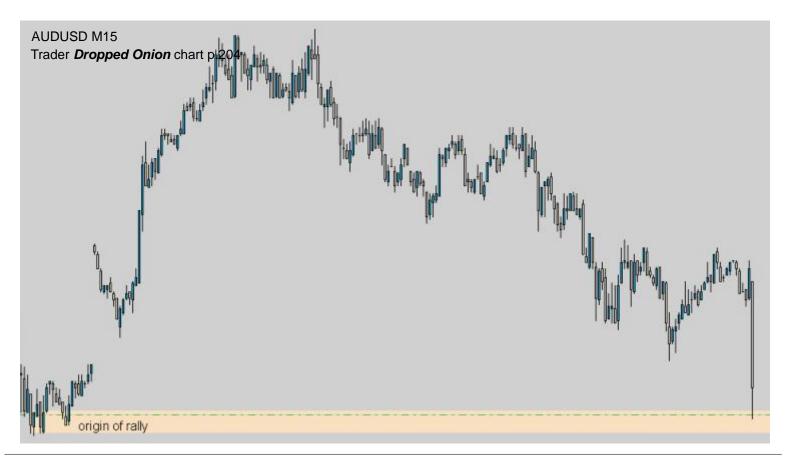


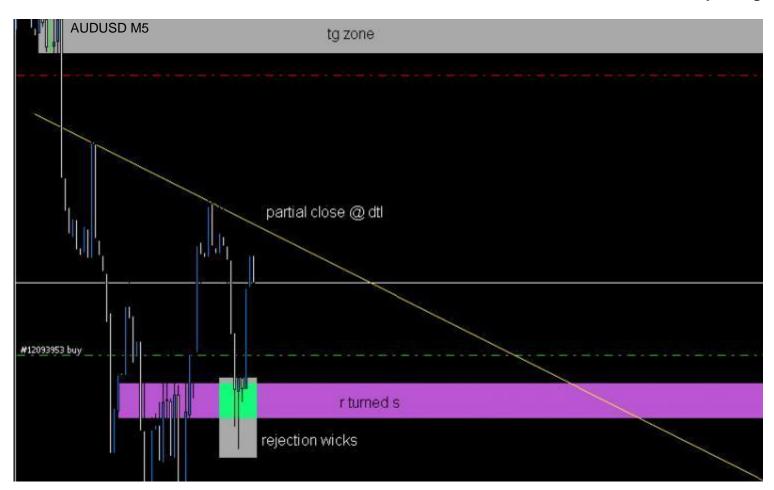




















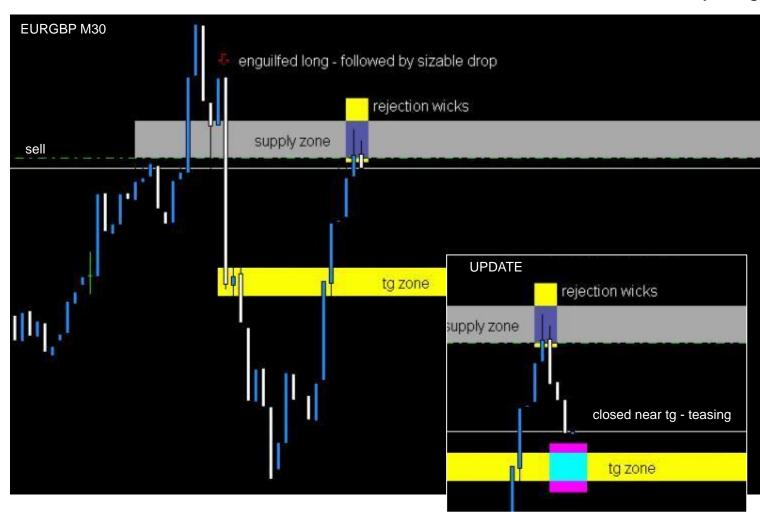


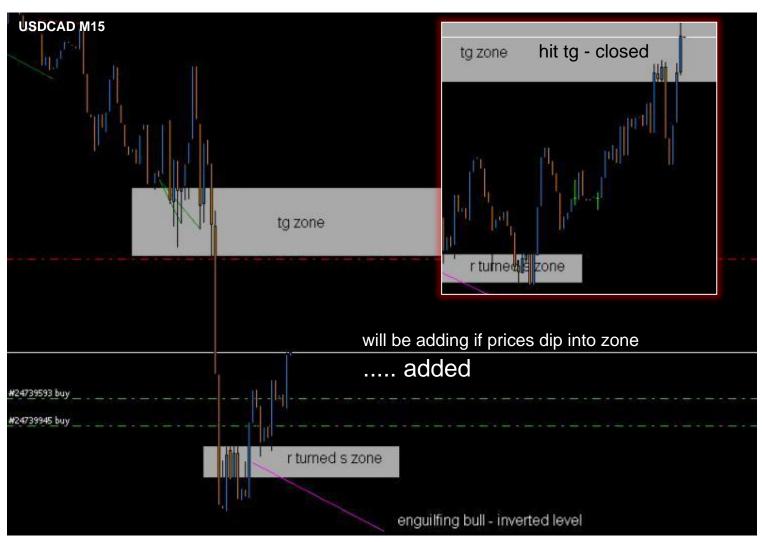














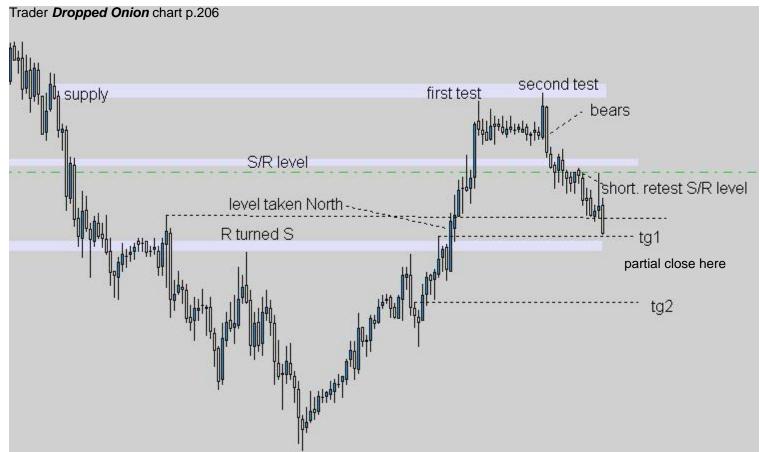
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position building on audusd targeting supply...but price may have been capped as it turned down at previous swing low. still holding North







exactly. trading is a mixture of simplicity and ease. almost.

everything outside of those two things happens when we don't follow our plan - staying in a losing position, close winning positions too early, etc. otherwise hardest part is believing in what you do, your method, execution, expectancy - when they are all in line, we trade in tandem with the markets, entering when invited and exiting quickly when told.

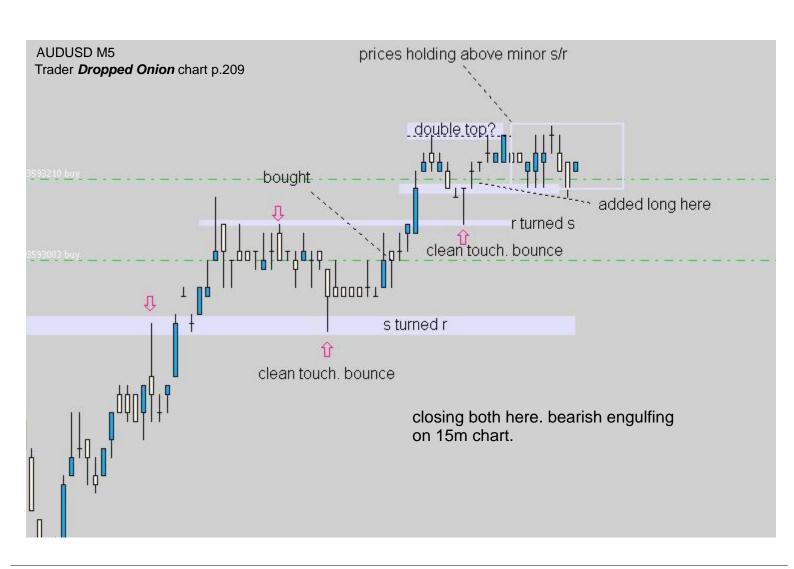
the market is your friend. believe, execute, expect. great thread Red! - Dropped Onion



eurgbp. demand holding prices. bounce north or demand being consumed?













Originally Posted by *Learn2b* Hi redsword11,

What did you mean by 'Watching PA for cluster to get engulfed north' in you Cable 15M chart?

Thanks Learn2b

if the cluster gets engulfed north it will act as a support for further advance to supply above, so the LEVEL will turn to support can go long AFTER it gets engulfed to supply level, then watch PA - price action - for short @ supply - Red









do you think all this action is ACTUALLY order flow?

think about it, @ big fundamental times MOST traders never put money in the market - so how do we get all this action ... huh? answer - its a virtual programme, someone pushing buttons - truth is harder to believe than anything else

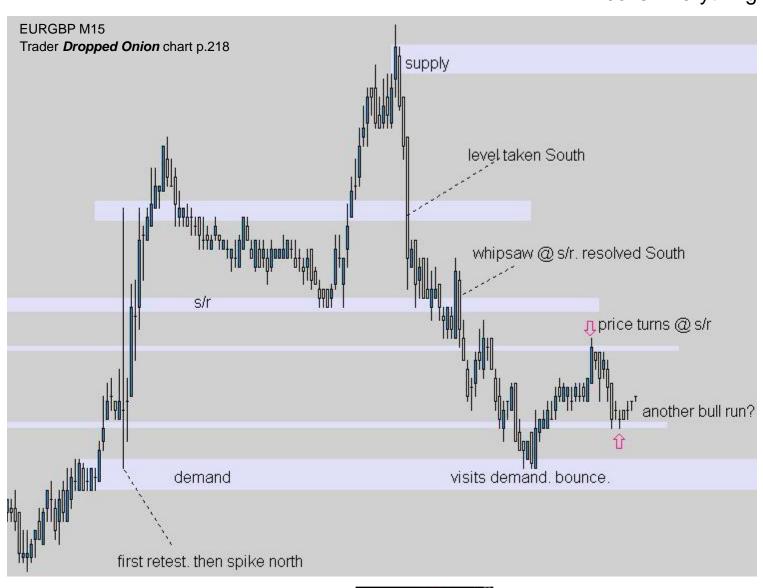
Originally Posted by **redsword11** simple or easy D.O?

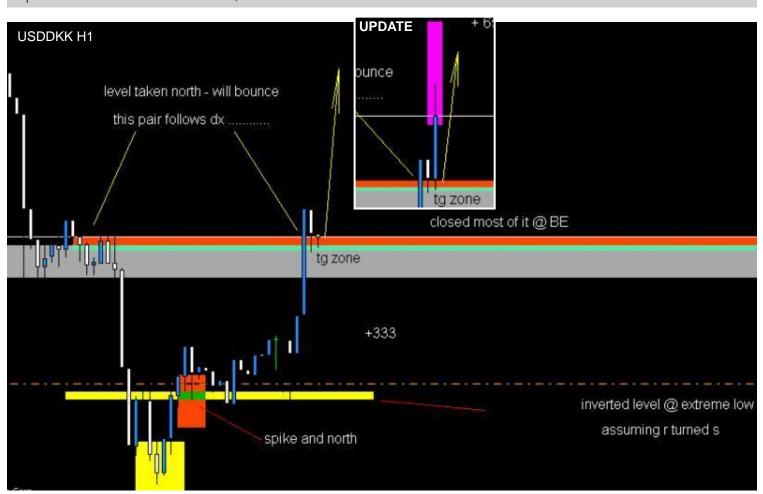
simple. we see prices telling us something and we enter and exit as price plays out - profit, loss, BE - their can be no other outcome. we just have to make sure that out of those three that we never have a large loss, profits can run and break-even is break-even. the tough part is waiting around to get in at the right moment and not chasing the market if you missed initial entry.

Is it complicated? No. Therefore we look for simple setups that we understand.

Is it easy to trade? Yes. we enter when price behaves in a manner we recognize. pull the trigger. if it works out, we manage the trade. if not we exit with a small loss and move on the to next trade, without bringing emotions to the table that will likely cloud our judgment on the current trade. - **Dropped Onion**







now you know ANY CLUSTER ON ANY PAIR ON ANY TF is a balance between buyers and sellers - when one side is exhausted then it will break one way or the other - so now there is NO SUCH THING AS NOISE or anything random in this market

it may not be tradable but at least you know what is going on within the dynamics and functions that market exhibits between supply and demand zones - Red

no guessing, let it give us the sell or buy with engulfing PA

THINK ABOUT IT - a supply zone will be confirmed by bearish engulfing @ that zone on some tf as it would not be a supply zone WITHOUT BEARISH ENGULFING because sellers have to exceed buyers and its reflected in price as BEARISH ENGULFING - too complicated or too simple?

inverse for demand zones - Red

Originally Posted by **Dropped Onion**

indeed. that is the essence of trading. nicely articulated Red. poetry in motion. you cannot have a fire without a spark. PA @ supply/demand is that spark.

people are simple. charts show peoples reaction and behavior over time. news/speculation/whatever pushes prices to these predetermined levels. we watch prices at levels we understand and trade according to a Plan.

prices reflect simple and predictable behavior. if this behavior was not in some sense predictable then none of us would be trading. we would spend our time/energy/focus on entirely...

..... human behavior repeats itself and its in our reading of that in the bars that gives us an edge - Red

focus on the process not the finish line. if we execute trades at prices we understand, we have done our job - Dropped Onion

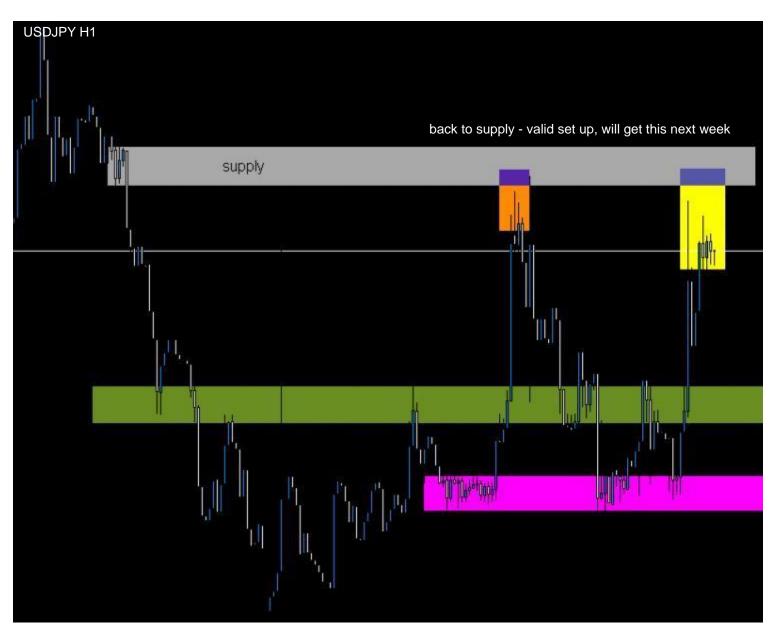
always glance @ cadjpy whilst trading loony - Red

yes, let prices settle, we regroup the levels and simply trade the PA as it presents itself

they can come to us with anything - don't matter, they have nothing we can't read. We just need to pick the best trades, clearest entries that offer favorable RR

not so difficult - Red







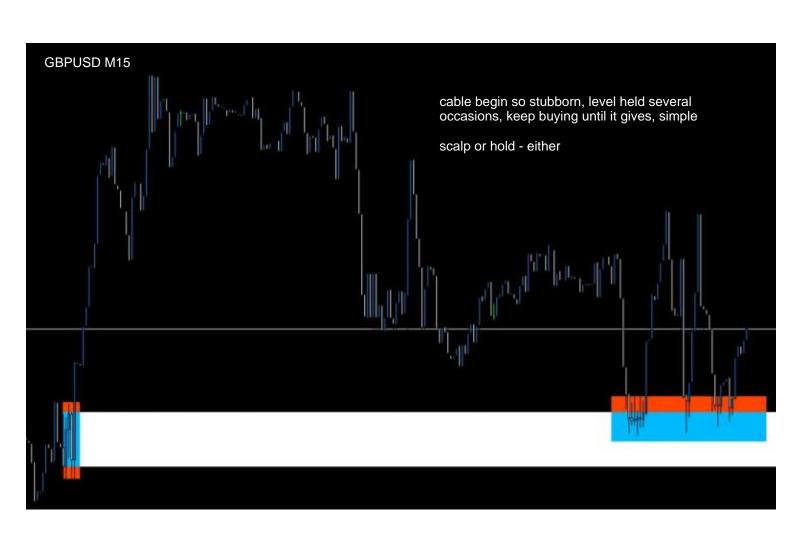












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will monitor PA for buy - would like to see a clear pole north as confirmation there is still demand present - then buy on retrace but will be ok for scalps if we get some bullish PA







GBPJPY H4



metals might correct and slv will be leading the way as ITS closer to its historic high than gold is - if slv corrects after testing its highest supply zone then gold will follow, but I do not sell metals, I only buy @ demand

commodities or consumables - the fact that they are consumables means that they are constantly in demand, for example wheat, corn and soya, crude, brent etc therefore buy @ demand is the safest means of trading them - Red



Apr 3, 2011 11:41pm (CET)
Originally Posted by *attila*quick question. how do you distinguish between test vs. consumption in a s/d zone? thanks.

something I will cover this week with entries, writing test just to highlight price arrival to zone, but you can't tell if its rejection or demand consumption until further PA

..... lets say we get a daily hammer and break of daily hammer north - chances are its rejection lets say we get a daily hammer but the high isn't taken and a bear moves south through the underwick of the hammer and broke the low of the wick

now - thats the thing, then the HAMMER WAS CONSUMPTION clearing the path south for a bear you can't tell until further PA and if futher PA is respected as it appears or engulfed the other way - Red















compression

compression (pattern) is one of the best things I learned from RED. It's more than just a raising/ falling wedge - anthoniex

ok - there is a difference between triangles and compression although they are both triangles

not easy to explain in writing

right - when prices are spiking south in a rising wedge its compression, when prices are not doing this or the triangle is dipping slightly towards demand like a bull flag then its bullish

rising triangles usually spike south until they reach supply and this may appear to be bullish @first sight because its rising but its only rising and consuming until it reaches a supply level to drop

bullflags - dip to consume supply to move further north, it dips to consume sellers @ a given supply then moves north from a demand level - much like driving, you reverse your car out the driveway only then to go forward to your destination, bullflag, although it dips its direction is north



a bullflag dips to consume supply to move north - compression spikes south but moves north to find supply to drop



but @ first sight a bullflag looks bearish because its dipping and a compression triangle looks bullish because it initially rising

the difference is clear

another example - some of you have been confusing flags for compression. Why does a BULLFLAG DIP? Its dipping to consume sellers @ a given level, once the sellers have been consumed, the flag is complete and prices can advance - no mystery. Then prices leave the flag to advance, then once prices reached supply, the approach to the zone there was compression, so I sold it

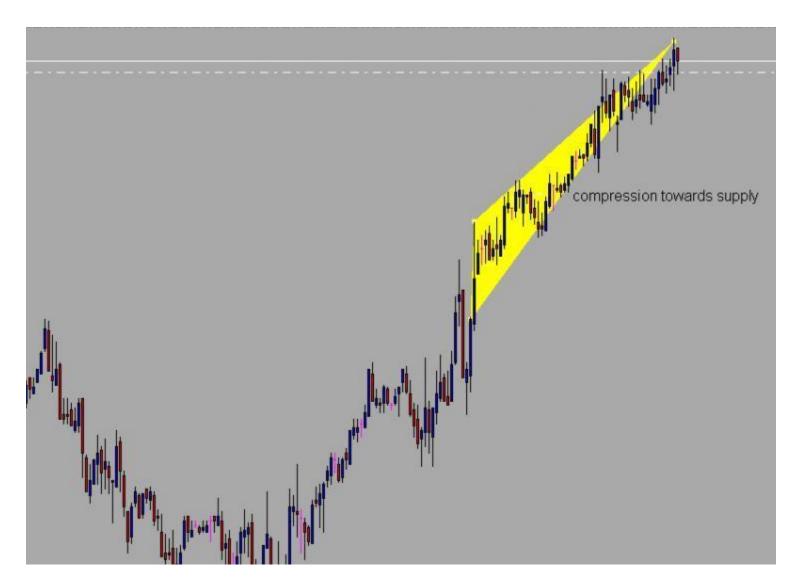
no mystery, nothing random whatsoever



.....right, lets put an end to whats compression (otherwise known as a finishing triangle) and what not compression. Noticed some confusing comments and charts lately with regards to compression. So, below is an entry from the past to clearly identify the PA



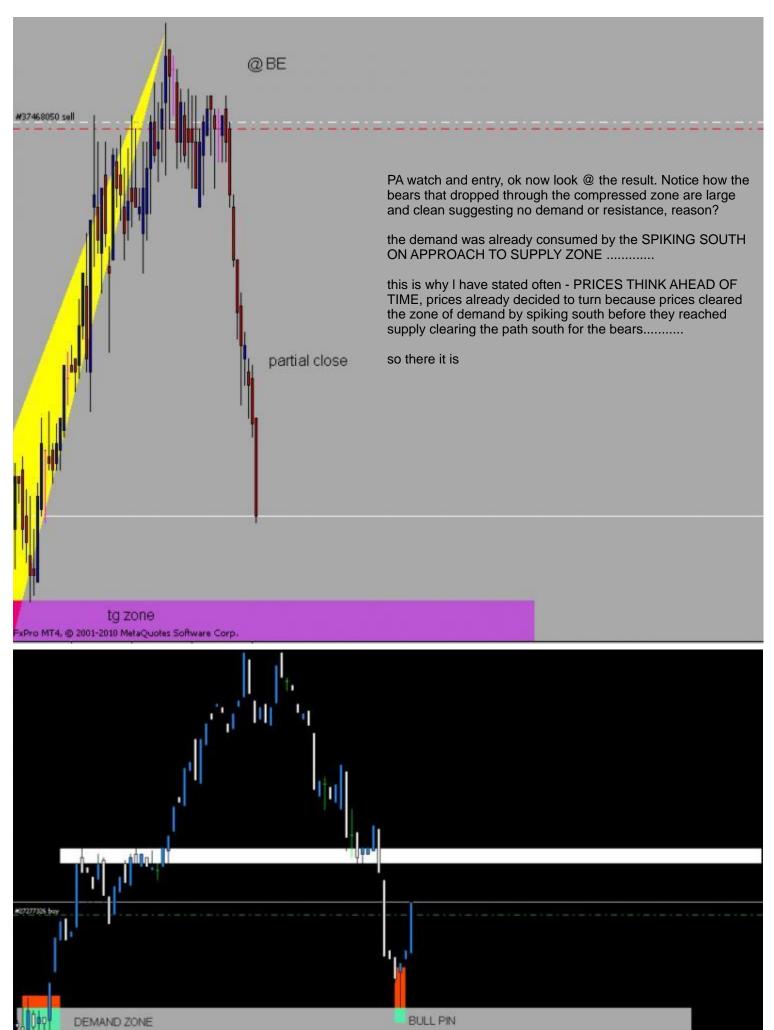
firstly, we look left and notice a supply zone - supply zone identified simply by noticing prices fell hard from there before, therefore sellers exceed buyers. Now we wait for PRICE ARRIVAL



...... ok, now price arrival to zone. But notice the manner in which it approaches - its spiking south WHILST RISING what does this mean?

Rising to find supply, spiking south is doing several things @ the same time. Prices are finding small pockets of demand and testing them to rise to supply. So, as its spiking south its also consuming those small pockets of demand therefore the path south is begin cleared of demand @ the same time!





Demand and Supply

by Ifmyante

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