



# TRADE NAVIGATOR

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## Batter Up II

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## Basics

This follow up to the Batter Up I collection of trading tools takes the beginning trader to the next level. Again, this library takes a trader from scanning for potentials (buy and sell) to identifying possible opportunities to trading each pattern. This collection contains a bit more advanced techniques than the Batter Up I Library, and expands on some of the ideas introduced in Part I .

## What you get with the Batter Up II Library

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## Filter Details

### **Batter Up Daily Picks: Combination Buy**

#### **Explanation:**

This filter was designed to run after end of day downloads to produce a list of the stocks with potential buying opportunities.

#### **Conditions:**

**Trend** – In order to find stocks with a strong trend we look for stocks with ADX values above 30. In reality, the higher the ADX the better.

**Price** – We only want stocks with current values over \$30 per share. This is because for a higher priced stock to move a good percentage takes less of a point move than a lower priced stock.

**Volume** – Most studies show that very good moves in stocks that are less “liquid.” So for this criteria we are look for stocks with daily volumes less than 200000 but greater than 50000.

### **Batter Up Daily Picks: Combination Sell**

#### **Explanation:**

This filter was designed to run after end of day downloads to produce a list of the stocks with potential selling opportunities.

#### **Conditions:**

**Trend** – In order to find stocks with a strong trend we look for stocks with ADX values above 30. In reality, the higher the ADX the better.

**Price** – We only want stocks with current values over \$30 per share. This is because for a higher priced stock to move a good percentage takes less of a point move than a lower priced stock.

**Volume** – Most studies show that very good moves in stocks that are less “liquid.” So for this criteria we are look for stocks with daily volumes less than 200000 but greater than 50000.

## **Criteria Details**

### **Batter Up Daily Pick Buy Setup: MA**

#### **Explanation:**

This filter criteria was designed to find all stocks that are trading above their 10 and 50 day moving averages.

### **Batter Up Daily Pick Sell Setup: MA**

#### **Explanation:**

This filter criteria was designed to find all stocks that are trading below their 10 and 50 day moving averages.

### **Batter Up Daily Picks: Momentum**

#### **Explanation:**

This filter criteria was designed to find all stocks that the ADX is above 30.

### **Batter Up Daily Picks: Price**

#### **Explanation:**

This filter criteria was designed to find all stocks that are trading above \$30.

### **Batter Up Daily Picks: Volume**

#### **Explanation:**

This filter criteria was designed to find all stocks that trade more than 50000 shares per day.

## Highlight Bar Pattern Details

### One 80's BuyLook

#### **Explanation:**

One 80's BuyLook highlights bars when the conditions below are identified.

#### **Conditions:**

1. The stock must close the first day in the bottom 25 percent of its daily range, and close the next day in the top 25 percent of its daily range.
2. The stock must close greater than its 10 day moving average and its 50 day moving average.

#### **Usage:**

*One 80s BuyLook*

### One 80's SellLook

#### **Explanation:**

One 80's SellLook highlights bars when the conditions below are identified.

#### **Conditions:**

1. The stock must close the first day in the top 25 percent of its daily range, and close the next day in the bottom 25 percent of its daily range.
2. The stock must close less than its 10 day moving average and its 50 day moving average.

#### **Usage:**

*One 80s SellLook*

## **Quiet Explosive Buy**

### **Explanation:**

The Quiet Explosive Buy highlights bars once the conditions below are identified.

### **Conditions:**

1. ADX must be greater than 30
2. 2nd inside bar

### **Usage:**

*Quiet Explosive Buy*

## **Quiet Explosive Sell**

### **Explanation:**

The Quiet Explosive Sell highlights bars once the conditions below are identified.

### **Conditions:**

1. ADX must be greater than 30
2. 2nd inside bar

### **Usage:**

*Quiet Explosive Sell*

## **Range Benchmark Buy**

### **Explanation:**

The Range Benchmark Buy will highlight bars once the conditions below are identified.

**Conditions:**

1. The range must be the highest range in 9 days.
2. The high must be within one tick of its 25 day moving average.
3. Stock must close greater than the previous days high.

**Usage:**

*Range Benchmark Buy*

**Range Benchmark Sell**

**Explanation:**

The Range Benchmark Sell will highlight bars once the conditions below are identified.

**Conditions:**

4. The range must be the highest range in 9 days.
5. The low must be within one tick of its 25 day moving average.
6. Stocks low must be lower than the previous low, and high must be lower than the previous high.

**Usage:**

*Range Benchmark Sell*

## Strategy Details

### One 80's

The One 80's is a short term trend reversal strategy that takes trades in the direction of the underlying trend. Long trades are entered "x" number of ticks above the current high once a One 80's BuyLook pattern is identified. Short trades are taken "x" number of ticks below the current low once a One 80's SellLook pattern is identified. This system uses fairly tight stop losses (1 point below/above) the entry price. Profit trailing stops are also used.

### Quiet Explosions

Quiet Explosions are fairly rare, but are by and large profitable when they do occur. For long positions this strategy buys at 1/8 above the current high after a Quiet Explosive Buy signal is identified. Short positions are taken 1/8 (of a point) below the current low after a Quiet Explosive Sell signal is identified. The long exit is based on the entry bar's low value minus "Risk Points." The same goes for the short exits, but using the entry bar's high value. This is a low risk strategy that will also exit when a desired profit is reached.

### Range Benchmarks

The Range Benchmark strategy employs the idea of getting in with the current momentum. It is primarily a short term profit taker, but can sometimes lead to longer term moves in the market. Therefore it is not as risky as some strategies. Range Benchmark enters the market long at 1/8 of a point above the current bars high when a Range Benchmark Buy signal is identified. It will sell short at 1/8 of a point below the current bars low once the Range Benchmark Sell signal is identified. Exits are placed at the entry bar's close for both sides (long and short). Included in this strategy are exits with profit at the entry price +/- a desired number of points. Overall, this is another low risk strategy that has the possibility of a good amount of profit.