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## Can I chart or scan for MACD based on the Low instead of the Close?

0 Can the low be used for indicators such as MACD rather than close, which often lands in an arbitrary spot between the highs and lows? If so, what is the syntax for the scan? And how do I chart same?

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0 Really not I understand the question totally. Perhaps you should rephrase it. Anyway, in reference to the low from the MACD, there is none. But perhaps what you want to keep an eye on is the movement from a low point to a higher one on the following session. That would give you : [yesterday's macd signal < macd signal]

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answered Dec 05 at 12:45

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my assumption is that MACD is based on the Close for the day, week, hour. As many people suggest, the Low for the day, week, hour may be more relevant for going long, so it seems right that the MACD should be based on a signal of Lows, rather than a signal of Closes. Hope that clarifies my Q.

 rawb (Dec 05 at 14:08)

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