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Moving Averages is a common indicator which most of us (novice/professional) use in the stock market for trading and investment.

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Basics of the moving average:

It takes average of the price for the duration we want.

So 10 days moving average means an average price of 10 days closing price.

Common types of Moving Average:

Simple, Exponential, Weighted.

Use only one type in your trading setup.

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Setup looks easy, but is not that easy.

Sometimes stock stays in consolidation and it gives frequent buy and sell signal as seen in Airtel.

One way to avoid this noise is to use price action and look for the breakouts and then trade.

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2 ■ Support or Resistance

Moving averages can act as support or resistance to stocks.

Let's look at an example where it acted as a support.

In #IEX chart, 100 Days EMA acted as a support multiple times.

Also, a live trade was shared on IEX:

<https://t.co/CXa5CM4pnP>

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#IEX (daily chart)

Setup:

~ 50 ema support

~Fibonacci 23.6% support

The latest candle is a hammer and sort of bullish reversal candle.

CMP: 352.7

Looking good for upside with stop loss 342.

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Let's look at an example where it acted as a Resistance.

Suzlon:

Stock faced resistance at 100 days EMA and it kept going down after EMA level.

Stock went down from 105 to 20 in two years.

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3■ Finally Moving Average can be used as a Stoplosses.

~ For a buyer, if price closes below a crucial moving average, then buy position is closed in stocks.

~ For a seller, if price closes above a crucial moving average, then short position is closed in stocks.

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I hope everyone got a taste of how moving average can be used.

These are not a universal rules one must follow. One can create their rule or follow someone else rules.

Only important thing is one must follow a fix rule instead of tweaking or changing setup frequently.

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