# THE MEASURED MOVE PATTERN

the most important chart pattern you'll need to learn





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#### Part 1: Pattern Basics



## **The Measured Move**

- The measured move is a practical, rudimentary chart pattern for any technical trader to learn
- The first chart pattern we learn combines Fibonacci ratios and logic to demonstrate how TA works
- The "extend-retrace-project" sequence is fundamental to much of our pattern-based analysis of financial markets
- Traders use the measured move concepts to master more complicated patterns





#### The Measured Move

Bullish or Bearish Pattern

- "Foundational" Pattern
- 3 Connected Line Segments
- Segments are related by Fibonacci Ratios
- The FIRST trade setup is at the end of BC
- CD ≈ AB
- Easy to define risk/reward

#### **Technical Note**

To find Measured Moves, one must be proficient in using Fibonacci retracement and projection tools.





# Measured Move Requirements

A Measured Move consists of 3 segments ("waves")

- AB is the first segment
- BC is the second (middle) segment
- CD is the final segment; its value relates to both prior segments

The simple equation for finding CD's length is given by

$$n\overline{AB} = \overline{CD}$$



